



## INVITATION ONLINE LIVE EVENT 12.11.2020

# Reforming business environments amid fragility and conflict

### ABOUT THE ICR FACILITY

The ICR Facility is co-funded by the European Union (EU), the Organisation of African, Caribbean and Pacific States (OACPS) under the 11th European Development Fund (EDF), together with the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) and the British Council. It is implemented by GIZ, the British Council, Expertise France, and SNV.

The ICR Facility supports specific and targeted interventions at the economy-wide, sectorial and value chain level with Technical Assistance for up to 90 days based on requests. Requests can be handed in by OACPS public and private stakeholders according to the eligibility requirements. The ICR Facility offers Technical Assistance in the field of Business Environment Reform for inclusive and sustainable economic development on the basis Public-Private Dialogue.

The countries which are in highest need for private investment and economic growth are often also countries where it is most difficult to invest and to do business in. Not only do businesses in these countries struggle to access markets and obtain inputs, but their governments are also challenged to manage the business environment and economy. As a result, unemployment and poverty remain excessively high, contributing to further fragility and conflict. The ICR Facility works with public and private stakeholders in a variety of settings, including those characterised by fragility and conflict, to improve the investment climate and business environment in ACP countries.

### WHEN

12th of November 2020  
01:30-03:00 pm (CET)

## REGISTER NOW

Join us for an online event targeted at stakeholders from ACP countries to reflect on how to implement Business Environment Reforms in fragile and conflict-affected situations. After the session, there will be opportunities for stakeholders from ACP countries to seek further one-on-one assistance through remote support.

### AGENDA

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| 1. Welcome and Introduction   | <i>Stefanie Khan, Project Manager, ICR Facility</i> |
| 2. Presentation on how to implement business environment reform in fragile and conflict affected situations | <i>Simon White, International Consultant</i>        |
| 3. Comments and Q&A Session   |   |
| 4. Reflection of ACP stakeholders on reforming the Business Environment in their contexts                   | <i>Representatives from ACP Countries</i>           |
| 5. Comments and Q&A Session   |   |
| 6. Remote Assistance Application Process (1-on-1-clinics)   | <i>Stefanie Khan, Project Manager, ICR Facility</i> |

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