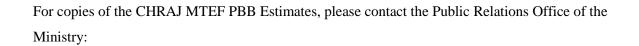


COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE JUSTICE

MEDIUM TERM EXPENDITURE FRAMEWORK (MTEF)
FOR 2017-2019

2017 BUDGET ESTIMATES



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PART A: STRATEGIC OVERVIEW OF THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND ADMINISTRATIVE JUSTICE

1. GSGDA II POLICY OBJECTIVES

The Policy objective in line with the GSGDA for the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice is to promote transparency, responsiveness and accountability.

2. MISSION

CHRAJ exists to enhance the scale of good governance, democracy, integrity, peace and social development by promoting, protecting and enforcing fundamental human rights and freedoms and administrative justice for all persons in Ghana and combat corruption.

3. CORE FUNCTIONS

The Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice consists of the following institutions, namely

- The National Human Right Institution
- The Public Services Ombudsman, an agency which ensures Administrative Justice
- The Anti-Corruption Agency for the Public Sector

The core functions of CHRAJ are:

- To investigate complaints of violations of fundamental rights and freedoms, injustice, corruption, abuse of power and unfair treatment of any person by a public officer in the exercise of his official duties;
- To investigate complaints concerning the functioning of the Public Services
 Commission, the administrative organs of the State, the offices of the Regional Coordinating Council and the District Assembly, the Armed Forces, the Police Service
 and the Prisons Service in so far as the complaints relate to the failure to achieve a
 balanced structuring of those services or equal access by all to the recruitment of those
 services or fair administration in relation to those services;
- To investigate complaints concerning practices and actions by persons, private enterprises and other institutions where those complaints allege violations of fundamental rights and freedoms under the Constitution;
- To take appropriate action to call for the remedying, correction and reversal of instances specified in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of this subsection through such means as are fair, proper and effective, including
 - o negotiation and compromise between the parties concerned;

- o causing the complaint and its finding on it to be reported to the superior of an offending person;
- bringing proceedings in a competent court for a remedy to secure the termination of the offending action or conduct, or the abandonment or alteration of the offending procedures; and
- bringing proceedings to restrain the enforcement of such legislation or regulation by challenging its validity if the offending action or conduct is sought to be justified by subordinate legislation or regulation which is unreasonable or otherwise ultra vires;
- To investigate allegations that a public officer has contravened or has not complied with a provision of Chapter Twenty-four (Code of Conduct for Public Officers) of the Constitution;
- To investigate all instances of alleged or suspected corruption and the misappropriation of public monies by officials and to take appropriate steps, including reports to the Attorney-General and the Auditor-General, resulting from such investigation;
- To educate the public as to human rights and freedoms by such means as the Commissioner may decide, including publications, lectures and symposia; and
- To report annually to Parliament on the performance of its functions.
- The Commission has 10 Regional Offices and 100 District offices across the country, with staff strength of about 800.

Between 2011 and 2014 following the prioritization on the fight against corruption by government in the GSGDA I, CHRAJ led stakeholder group made up of Government, MDAs and MMDAs, Private Sector and Civil Society to develop a national Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP) as the national strategy for combating corruption in Ghana. The NACAP was adopted unanimously by Parliament on the 3rd of July, 2014 as the blueprint for fighting corruption in Ghana over the next ten years, with implementation starting in 2015.

Under the NACAP, the Commission is required to:

- Coordinate the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);
- Monitor the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);
- work with other stakeholders to improve Ghana's performance on the corruption index;
- intensify public education on NACAP and corruption;
- assist Parliament to finalize the Conduct of Public Officers Bill;

• investigate complaints/allegations of corruption, breaches of the code of conduct for public officers under the 1992 Constitution, impropriety under the Whistleblowers Act, among others

4. POLICY OUTCOME INDICATORS AND TARGETS

Outcome	Unit of	Baseline		Latest	tstatus	Target	
Indicator Description	Measurement	Year	Value	Year	Value	Year	Value
NACAP Implemented	Percentage of implementation progress	2015	2%	2016	7%	2019	52%
Integrity in public office	Corruption Perception Index (On the scale of 1 – 10)	2015	4.7	2016	4.8	2019	5.0
Human rights and dignity respected	Mo Ibrahim Governance Survey(on the scale of 1-10)	2012	7.09	2015	7.6	2019	8.00
Improved public service administration	Mo Ibrahim Governance Survey(on the scale of 1-10)	2014	4.93	2015	6.7	2019	7.00

5. EXPENDITURE TRENDS FOR THE MEDIUM-TERM

In 2015, the Ministry of Finance allocated an amount of $GH\phi24,429,258.56$ for the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice for its operations made up of $GH\phi15,244,537.56$ GoG funds and $GH\phi9,184,721.00$ Development Partner fund.

Generally, out of a total budget allocation of GH¢ 24,429,258.56, only 59.6% in the sum of GH¢ 14,579,940.00 was released.

Below is a tabular representation on the status of approved ceilings and amounts released to the Commission as at December, 2015.

ITEM	BUDGET(GH)	RELEASE(GH)	BALANCE (Gh)
Compensation of Employees	12,954,457.56	12,888,999.02	65,458.54
Goods & Services- GoG	1,590,080.00	1,208,521.76	381,558.24
Goods & Services – Development Partners	1,836,944.00	0.00	1,836,944
CAPEX - GoG	700,000.00	482,419.22	217,580.78
CAPEX – Dev. Partners	7,347,777.00	0	7,347,777.00
Total	24,429,258.56	14,579,940.00	9,849,318.56

Compensation of Employees for 2015 was about 14 percentage increase over same for 2014. Wages and Salaries for 2015 amounted to $GH\phi12,954,457.56$. However $GH\phi12,888,999.02$ was released and expended in the review year.

Goods and Services - GoG & Development Partners

The amount allocated for Use of Goods and Services in 2015 was $GH \not \in 3,427,024.00$ and by end of December 2015, an amount of $GH \not \in 1,208,521.76$ had been released constituting 35.3% of the appropriation vote. In detail, the released sum of $GH \not \in 1,208,521.76$ was the GoG component of the total allocation and constituted 76% of the GoG vote.

It is worth noting that no fund release was made from the Development Partner allocation within the review year.

CAPEX – GoG & Development Partners

For non-financial assets, an amount of $GH \notin 8,047,777.00$ ($GH \notin 700,000$ -GoG and $GH \notin 7,547,777$ – Development Partner) was allocated for 2015.

The released amount of GH¢482,419.22 from the GoG component constituted only 6% of the total CAPEX allocation. However, with respect to GoG, and which appropriation vote was GH¢ 700,000.00, the released sum of Gh¢ 482,419 constituted 69% of appropriation amount.

The table below shows approved ceilings in 2016 under the various classifications.

ITEM	BUDGET(GH)	RELEASE(GH)	BALANCE(GH)
Compensation of employees	13,722,770.00	15,018,016.71	1,280,039.00
Goods & Services- GoG	2,000,000.00	2,000,000.00	NIL
CAPEX – GoG	NIL	NIL	NIL
Total	15,722,770.00	17,018,016.71	1,280,039.00

The Commission's compensation for 2016 was GH¢13,722,700. By end of December 31, 2016, GH¢15,018,016.71 had been expended on wages and salaries.

The vote under Goods & Services in the review year was GH¢2,000,000.00, which amount was fully released to the Commission by end of December 31, 2016.

6. SUMMARY OF KEY ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2016

The Commission during the year undertook the following:

Human Rights Mandate

- OPCAT ratified in June by Parliament. CHRAJ was very instrumental in the advocacy.
- 3Collaborated with the Human Rights Unit Commonwealth Secretariat in "sensitization" of traditional leaders (chiefs and queen-mothers) in the Northern Region on combating child, early forced marriages.
- Collaborated with the Ghana federation of the Blind on strategies to combat stigma and discrimination suffered by persons with disability generally.
- Organized final phase of training in stigma and discrimination for CHRAJ staff drawn from the Northern sector.
- Participated in international conferences in respect of: a) validation of tool kits for implementation of the Luanda Guidelines on Arrest and Detention; b) conference on implementation of article 33 of the UN Declaration on Rights of the Disabled.
- Collaborated with UNHCR, the Ghana Refugee Board, the Ministry of Interior and Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Regional Integration in developing a ten year action

- plan on statelessness as required by the Abidjan Ministerial Declaration on Statelessness and the Accra Forum of Heads of States and Government.
- Jointly commissioned a consultancy study on data on statelessness in Ghana and gaps in the legal framework on statelessness in Ghana with UNHCR
- Participated in Business and Human Rights conference for Africa organized by the UN Working Group on Business and Human Rights in collaboration with the Moroccan Human Rights Council in Rabat, Morocco
- Participated in the First Ministerial Conference on Statelessness in West Africa in Abidjan, Côte D'Ivoire
- Attended the Network of National Human Rights institutions in West Africa General Assembly Meeting and a training on the use of international human rights mechanisms in Abuja, Nigeria
- Participated in the 10th Biennial Conference of NANHRI in Yaoundé, Cameroon
- Participated in the 12th Biennial Conference of the International Coordinating Conference of Human Rights Institutions in the World in Mexico where Mr Whittal was elected as the Africa Representative on the Working Group of the ICC on the SDGs
- Case Content Research into Child Right related cases received by the Commission
- Inspected EOCO Cells
- As at July 2016, Human Rights complaints received amounted to 5,301
- Organized 1,557 public education programmes on Human Rights

Administrative Justice Mandate

- Developed Generic Template on Client Service Charter for the Public Service intended to inform capacity for responsive, accountable, effective, efficient and transparent public sector service delivery.
- Consultant recruited for post-monitoring and evaluation of Ombudsman Trainings for 4 modules.
- As at July 2016, 192 complaints on Administrative Injustice had been received by the Commission
- Organized 440 public education programmes on Ombudsman

Anti-Corruption Mandate

- By July 2016, the Commission had received 44 corruption complaints
- Investigated twenty-nine (29) cases on allegations of corruption, breaches of Code of Conduct for Public Officers under the 1992 Constitution, impropriety under the Whistleblowers Act.
- Ongoing Systemic Investigation into two MDAs (NHIA & LAND TITLE)

- 1000 copies each of NACAP Document and its abridged form printed and disseminated. In addition, 500 copies of Annual Progress Report printed and disseminated.
- 3000 various brochures, leaflets and materials on NACAP and Anti-Corruption awareness creation printed and disseminated.
- Workshop for MONICOM and relevant stakeholders organized to prepare 2016 NACAP Implementation Work Plan.
- Training on Usage of NACAP Reporting Tool by Implementing Agencies.
- HILIC meeting convened to update members on their Anti-Corruption activities through NACAP.
- Collation of 2016 Report commenced for half year Progress Report.
- Commission in collaboration with UNODC organized an UNCAC Review follow-up Conference.
- Two Representatives formed part of a Delegation that represented Ghana at the 7th Session of the Conference of State Parties in Vienna, Austria.
- Assisted Government in the participation at the U.K. Prime Minister's Summit on Corruption.
- EU-Ghana Anti-Corruption, Rule of Law and Accountability Programme launched in Accra on 14th June, 2016. This was launched to promote good governance in Ghana by reducing corruption, improving accountability and compliance with rule of law.
- Two Representatives participated in the 9th Annual Conference and General Meeting of International Association of Anti-Corruption Authorities (IAACA) in Namibia.
- Workshop organized for National Ethics Advisory Committee Members (NEAC) to develop Integrity Compliance Tools for MDAs under the PSIP including Gift Policy.
 29th June – 2nd July, 2016.
- Organized 578 public education programmes on corruption.



1.5. Appropriation Bill

Summary of Expenditure by Sub-Programme, Economic Item and Funding

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Year: 2017 | Currency: Value

		Go	oG			IGF		Funds / Others			Donors				
	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Сарех	Total	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Сарех	Total	Statutory	ABFA	Others	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Grand Total
035001 - Management and Administration	14,823,550	2,985,920	5,000,000	22,809,470								1,910,386	10,641,545	12,551,931	35,361,402
0350011 - General Administration	14,823,550	2,475,920	5,000,000	22,299,470								1,190,386	10,641,545	11,831,931	34,131,402
0350012- Finance		30,000		30,000								50,000		50,000	80,000
0350013- Human Resource		45,000		45,000								80,000		80,000	125,000
0350014- Policy; Planning; Budgeting; Co- ordination; Monitoring and Evaluation		435,000		435,000								590,000		590,000	1,025,000
035002 - Promote and Protect Fundamental Human Rights		255,000		255,000								300,000		300,000	555,000
0350020- Promote and Protect Fundamental Human Rights		255,000		255,000								300,000		300,000	555,000
035003 - Administrative Justice		200,000		200,000								200,000		200,000	400,000
0350030- Administrative Justice		200,000		200,000								200,000		200,000	400,000
035004 - Anti-Corruption		1,250,000		1,250,000								250,000		250,000	1,500,000
0350040- Anti-Corruption		1,250,000		1,250,000								250,000		250,000	1,500,000
Grand Total	14,823,550	4,690,920	5,000,000	24,514,470								2,660,386	10,641,545	13,301,931	37,816,402

PART B: BUDGET PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 1: MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

1. Budget Programme Objective

To provide good leadership, coordinate implementation of programmes and ensure efficient support for service delivery.

2. Budget Programme Description

The Commission, through the Management and Administration programme will adopt approaches to improve organizational performance by motivating, training, recruiting, retaining and balancing the mix of professional and support staff with sufficient competencies to perform their assigned duties. Furthermore, this programme will establish efficient systems and processes and maintain high standards of operations geared towards ensuring effective delivery of CHRAJ's mandates.

The Commission will do the following to achieve this:

- Submit Annual Reports to Parliament
- Submit Special Reports (State of Human Rights, Corruption and other reports)
- Improve Human Resource Management Systems.
- Establish systems and processes to improve service delivery.
- Recruit experienced professional staff with requisite core skills and specializations.
- Develop and retain human resource capacity.
- Rehabilitate existing offices and residential accommodation.
- Acquire new offices and residential accommodation.
- Acquire office equipment and transportation.
- Enhance visibility of CHRAJ



2.9. Budget by Chart of Account

9 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
035001 - Management and Administration	35,361,402	35,361,402	35,361,402
035001 - Management and Administration	35,361,402	35,361,402	35,361,402
21 - Compensation of employees [GFS]	14,823,550	14,823,550	14,823,550
211 - Wages and salaries [GFS]	14,705,067	14,705,067	14,705,067
212 - Social contributions [GFS]	118,483	118,483	118,483
Goods and Services	4,896,306	4,896,306	4,896,306
22 - Use of goods and services	4,787,306	4,787,306	4,787,306
27 - Social benefits [GFS]	50,000	50,000	50,000
28 - Other expense	59,000	59,000	59,000
31 - Non financial assets	15,641,545	15,641,545	15,641,545
311 - Fixed assets	15,641,545	15,641,545	15,641,545

BUDGET SUB-PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 1: MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

SUB-PROGRAMME SP1.1: General Administration

1. Budget Sub-Programme Objectives

- To effectively coordinate the activities of the Commission
- To provide adequate logistics for efficient service delivery.

2. Budget Sub-Programme Description

This sub-programme ensures coordination, monitoring and evaluation of the Commission's work, providing;

- Policy direction for the Commission;
- Creating conducive environment for work and for the public
- Office and residential accommodation and logistics (e.g. office equipment, IT infrastructure, transport etc.) for the smooth running of the Commission.
- Management of the properties of the Commission

The main sources of funding are GoG and Development Partners.

3. Budget Sub-Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, their indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this sub-programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimate of future performance.

		Past Y	Zears		Projections			
Main Outputs	Output Indicator	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019		
	Residential accommodation renovated & refurbished	20%	60%	75%	85%	100%		
Conditions of Service - Article 71 Holders	Office accommodation renovated and refurbished	40%	60%	75%	95%	100%		
	No. of Bungalows acquired for Commission Members	0	0	1	1	1		
	Number of vehicles acquired	1	0	2	1	3		
Revise Organizational structure	Organizational structure revised	90%	93%	95%-	98%	100%		
Redevelop CHRAJ Website & upgrade software	Percentage Completion/ software updates	15%	100%	Annual software update	Annual software update	Annual software update		
Renovate and refurbish Office accommodation	Percentage completion	25%	40%	55%	78%	92%		
Acquire Vehicles	Number of vehicles acquired	0	0	5	15	25		

4. Budget Sub-Programme Operations and Projects

The table lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the sub- programme.

Operations	Projects (Investment)
Internal Management of the Organization	Internal Management of the Organization
Continuous Revision of Organizational structure	Bungalows/Flats - (Article 71 Holders)- Conditions of Service - (Accommodation)
Payment of subscriptions	Motor Vehicles (Article 71 Holders)- Conditions of Service - (3 Cross Country vehicles for 3 Commissioners)
Internal Management / Support - Manpower Development, Budget Preparation, M&E, Internal Audit	Motor Vehicles - 3 Saloon vehicles
	Motor Vehicles - Pickups for District Offices
	Networking & ICT equipment



2.7 Budget by Chart of Account

7 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
0350011 - General Administration	34,131,402	34,131,402	34,131,402
0350011 - General Administration	34,131,402	34,131,402	34,131,402
21 - Compensation of employees [GFS]	14,823,550	14,823,550	14,823,550
22 - Use of goods and services	3,557,306	3,557,306	3,557,306
27 - Social benefits [GFS]	50,000	50,000	50,000
28 - Other expense	59,000	59,000	59,000
31 - Non financial assets	15,641,545	15,641,545	15,641,545

BUDGET SUB-PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 1: MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

SUB-PROGRAMME SP 1.2: Finance

1. Budget Sub-Programme Objective

To improve the financial management systems and reporting.

2. Budget Sub-Programme Description

This sub programme is responsible for the financial management practices of the Commission. The main operations undertaken include:

- Ensuring compliance with accounting procedures
- Maintaining proper accounting records
- Preparation of annual estimates.
- Ensuring budgetary control and management of assets, liabilities, revenue and expenditures
- Preparing cash-flow statements and final accounts
- Ensuring adherence to internal controls
- Preparation of internal audit reports
- Carrying out audit inspections

The Finance Department and the Internal Audit unit are responsible for delivering this sub-programme. The main sources of funding are GOG and Donor.

3. Budget Sub-Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this sub-programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimate of future performance

		Past Y	Years	Projections			
Main Outputs	Output Indicators	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019	
Payments processed	Payments made within	10 days	10 days	10 days	8 days	8 days	
Financial Reports	Financial Report prepared	15 days after the end of the quarter					
Response to Audit queries	management letters Issued	30 days					
Assets Register	Assets Register	End of every quarter					
Preparation of Budget	Budget produced by	31 st August					

4. Budget Sub-Programme Operations and Projects

The table lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the sub- programme.

Operations	
Treasury and Accounting Activities	
Prepare and submit budget estimate	
Monitor and report on budgetary allocation	
Prepare and submit monthly accounts returns	
Coordinate the review of the annual accounts	
Preparation of Financial Reports	
Preparation of internal audit reports	
Carrying out audit inspections	

Projects (Investment)	
No Projects	



2.7 Budget by Chart of Account

7 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
0350012- Finance	80,000	80,000	80,000
0350012- Finance	80,000	80,000	80,000
22 - Use of goods and services	80,000	80,000	80,000

BUDGET SUB-PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 1: MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

SUB-PROGRAMME SP 1.3: Human Resource

1. Budget Sub-Programme Objective

To ensure adequate human resource and improve the skills and delivery of all staff.

2. Budget Sub-Programme Description

The Budget sub-programme seeks to;

- Facilitate the recruitment, placement and retention of staffs.
- Organize training and development programmes to improve efficiency.

The Human resource Department is responsible for delivering this sub-programme. The main sources of funding are GoG and Donor.

3. Budget Sub-Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this sub-programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimate of future performance

		Past Years		Projections			
Main Outputs	Output Indicator	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019	
Develop standards for Professional staff	Standard operating manuals	2	2	1	2	2	
Staff development	Number of staff trained	150	150	200	250	300	
Human Resource Software Package	Software Package installed by	100%	100%	review	review	review	
Revise Human Resource Management policy	New Human Resource policy	100%	100%	review	review	review	

4. Budget Sub-Programme Operations and Projects

The table lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the sub- programme.

Operations
Recruitment, Placement and Promotions
Manpower Development
Capacity Building of Staff

Projects (Investment)				
Software Acquisition and Development				
Implementation of Human Resource Software Package streamlined				



2.7 Budget by Chart of Account

7 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
0350013- Human Resource	125,000	125,000	125,000
0350013- Human Resource	125,000	125,000	125,000
22 - Use of goods and services	125,000	125,000	125,000

BUDGET SUB-PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 1: MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

SUB-PROGRAMME SP 1.4: Policy, Planning, Monitoring and Evaluation

1. Budget Sub-Programme Objectives

- To facilitate the formulation and review of relevant policies and plans
- To monitor and evaluate the implementation of the programmes of the Commission

2. Budget Sub-Programme Description

This sub-programme is responsible for:

- Monitoring the application of Human Rights, Administrative Justice and Anti-Corruption policies
- Monitoring publication of reports (state of human rights, annual reports, state of corruption etc.)
- Monitoring of CHRAJ's implementation of NACAP
- Collecting, collating, and analyzing relevant data
- Ensuring routine updates of the strategic plan and formulating new strategic plans;
- Facilitating the implementation of the Annual budget; and
- Identifying and monitoring Media and Private Sector contributions to the work of the Commission.

3. Budget Sub-Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Ministry measures the performance of this sub-programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Ministry's estimate of future performance.

		Past Y	l'ears		Projections	
Main Outputs	Output Indicator	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019
Monitoring	Monitoring and Evaluation Plan	End of third quarter				
and Evaluation	Monitoring and Evaluation report developed by	31st Dec.				
Publications	Annual Reports produced by	June of the Ensuing year				
	Special Human Rights Reports developed by	10 th Dec.				
Strategic plan	Strategic plan completed by	31st Dec.				
Enhance	Public engagement programmes	25	30	30	37	42
visibility	Media engagements	5	10	10	13	17

4. Budget Sub-Programme Operations and Projects

The table lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the sub- programme.

Operations	Projects (Investment)
Planning and Policy Formulation	
Review M & E plans of the Commission	
Undertake impact assessment of programmes	
Provide policy direction for the systemic investigation into human right abuses	
Policies and programme review activities	
Review and develop policies	



2.7 Budget by Chart of Account

7 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
0350014- Policy; Planning; Budgeting; Co-ordination;	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000
0350014- Policy; Planning; Budgeting; Co-ordination; Monitoring and Evaluation	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000
22 - Use of goods and services	1,025,000	1,025,000	1,025,000

BUDGET PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 2: HUMAN RIGHTS

1. Budget Programme Objective

To promote and protect fundamental human rights and freedoms.

2. Budget Programme Description

In protecting and enforcing fundamental human rights, the Commission will;

- Investigate complaints of human rights violations by persons and institutions in both private and public sectors.
- Resolve disputes/conflicts through mediation, negotiation, formal hearings etc.
- Carry out special investigations into human rights violations that are systemic, cultural or in other areas of public interest.
- Conduct research, field investigations, as well as public hearings on human rights
- Enforce its recommendations

To prevent human rights abuses, the Commission;

- Organizes monitoring visits to detention facilities, hospitals, schools, communities, to
 ensure that human rights are being respected and to signal and inform the citizenry of
 the presence and existence of a national human rights institution.
- Organizes radio, schools and community educational programmes across the length and breadth of the country.
- Establishes Human Rights and Integrity Clubs (HRICs) in schools
- Empowers the public to demand promotion, respect and fulfillment of their rights, and
- Enhances capacity of duty-bearers to respond appropriately to human rights demands

These functions are carried out by the Legal/Investigation Department in collaboration with the Public Education Department. The programme is funded by Government of Ghana with Donor support. The main beneficiary of the programme is the General Public.

3. Budget Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimate of future performance

		Past Y	Past Years		Projections		
Main Output	Output Indicator	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019	
Monitor the State of Human Rights to protect civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights and rights of the vulnerable	The State of Human Rights Report issued	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	
Develop National Human Rights Action Plan	NAHRAP ready for implementation	22%	22%	40%	60%	100%	
Investigate & redress Human Rights violations	Number of cases investigated	9,800	9,000	9000	9,000	9,000	
Carry out Public Education & Sensitization on Human Rights in Schools	Number of Public Education programmes	2500	2,500	4,000	5,000	5,000	
Partner with Health Training Institutions/ professionals bodies and GHS to mainstream Basic Human Rights Course for Health Professionals	Number of Institutions participating in the course	5	12	15	15	18	
Organize Annual Human Rights & Integrity Camps for Schools	Annual Human Rights & Integrity Camps for Schools organized	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	

4. Budget Operations and Projects

The tables lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the programme

Operations	Projects (investment)
Human Rights Promotion and Protection	
Organize Public Education on Human Rights	
Develop National Human Rights Action Plan	
Monitor the State of Human Rights	
Investigate Human Rights Complaints Nationwide	
Develop National Human Rights Action Plan (NHRAP) including gender	
Preparation of various Reports	
Enforce decisions	



2.9. Budget by Chart of Account

9 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
035002 - Promote and Protect Fundamental Human Rights	555,000	555,000	555,000
035002 - Promote and Protect Fundamental Human Rights	555,000	555,000	555,000
Goods and Services	555,000	555,000	555,000
22 - Use of goods and services	555,000	555,000	555,000

BUDGET PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 3: ADMINISTRATIVE JUSTICE

1. Budget Programme Objective

To promote fair administration of public service and contribute to public demand for better service delivery.

2. Budget Programme Description

The Commission is mandated to protect and promote Administrative Justice to ensure that government and its officers are accountable and transparent. The Commission ensures that the administrative organs of the State provide equal access to employment and services and that they are administered fairly. In particular, this function of the Commission is to ensure that public officials avoid arbitrariness and discrimination in their decisions and actions.

It also investigates "complaints concerning the functioning of the Public Services Commission, the administrative organs of the State, the Armed Forces, the Police Service and the Prison Service in so far as the complaints relate to the failure to achieve a balanced structuring of those services or equal access by all to the recruitment of those services or fair administration in relation to those services" – Article 218 (b).

This programme further ensures improved standards and adherence to practices of good conduct in administering Public Services by:

- Promoting principles and practices of good administration;
- Promoting Client Service Charters for all public services
- Supporting improvement of frontline complaints handling by Public Services;
- Creating awareness of CHRAJ's role as an ombudsman and the scope of its Administrative Justice function and;
- Enforcing decisions on Administrative Justice investigations

These operations are carried out by the Legal/Investigation Department in collaboration with the Public Education Department. The programme is funded by Government of Ghana and Donor Partners. The main beneficiaries of this sub-programme are Government institutions.

3. Budget Programme Results Statement

The table indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimate of future performance.

		Past `	Years		Projections	
Main Output	Output Indicator	2015	2016	Budget Year 2017	Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019
Promote Principles & Practices of Good administration & conduct in Public Services (including Client Service Charters)	Number of MDAs implementing Service Charters	24	43	60	105	
Investigate complaints of Administrative Justice	Number of complaints investigated	515	560	850	1000	1050
Conduct Public Education on Principles of Good Administrative Justice	Number of Public Education programmes	750	980	1300	1500	1550
Strengthen international cooperation with sister Ombudsman Institutions & international bodies { IOI, AOMA, etc}	Number of conferences, workshops and seminars attended	3	5	7	9	11

4. Budget Operations and Projects

The tables lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the programme

Operations	Projects (investment)
Ombudsman Services	
Collaborate & consult with Ombudsman Institutions	
Promote Principles & Practices of Good Administration & Conduct in Public Service	
Conduct Public Education on Principles Administrative Justice	
Organize Public Education on Administrative Justice	
Investigate Administrative Justice Complaints Nationwide	
Preparation of various Reports	
Enforce decisions	



2.9. Budget by Chart of Account

9 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
035003 - Administrative Justice	400,000	400,000	400,000
035003 - Administrative Justice	400,000	400,000	400,000
Goods and Services	400,000	400,000	400,000
22 - Use of goods and services	400,000	400,000	400,000

BUDGET PROGRAMME SUMMARY

PROGRAMME 4: ANTI-CORRUPTION

1. Budget Programme Objectives

- To promote National Integrity and reduce opportunities for corruption
- To coordinate implementation of National Anti-corruption Action Plan(NACAP)
- To monitor and evaluate the implementation of the ten-year NACAP and submit progress reports on implementation.
- To investigate complaints and allegations of Corruption and take appropriate action
- To investigate breaches of Code of Conduct and Conflict of Interest rules
- To investigate Whistleblower Disclosures [Complaints] and protect Whistleblowers
- To conduct public education and awareness on anti-corruption
- To enhance International Cooperation in the fight against corruption

2. Programme Description

Under its 3rd mandate, the Commission combats corruption through prevention, investigation and enforcement, and public education. The Commission does this through its Anti-corruption department.

Following the adoption by Parliament of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP) as the blueprint for fighting corruption in Ghana, the Commission is required to coordinate and monitor the implementation of NACAP, work with stakeholders to improve Ghana's performance on the corruption index, intensify public education and preventative mechanisms under the NACAP to fight corruption.

The National Anti-corruption Action Plan (NACAP) is Ghana's strategic response to the problem of corruption, and adopts a developmental approach to the fight against corruption.

Under the NACAP, The Commission will:

- Coordinate the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);
- Monitor the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);
- work with other stakeholders to improve Ghana's performance on the corruption index;
- intensify public education on NACAP and corruption;
- assist public offices to strengthen internal mechanisms for preventing and reducing opportunities for corruption, including Whistle blowing reporting mechanisms
- assist Parliament to finalize the Conduct of Public Officers Bill for MPs

- conducts training for public officers, ethics officers and Heads of departments on the Conduct of Public Officers Law
- Assists public offices to develop internal Code of Conduct for their staff in compliance with the Conduct of Public Officers Law.
- Investigate breaches of the Conduct of Public Officers Law and
- investigate about 200 complaints/allegations of corruption, conflict of interest, breaches of code of conduct, impropriety under the whistleblowers Act

This programme, through its operations, seeks to:

- Enhance public capacity and strengthen systems to combat corruption and promote national integrity by:
- Enhance transparency, create awareness of the evils of corruption and the ethos of anticorruption, and promote and enhance national integrity;
- Empower the public to report corruption and related misconduct more confidently
- Facilitate coordination and cooperation among key governance and accountability institutions, including Parliament;
- Promote international cooperation in the fight against corruption through:
 - o Sharing experiences and learning good practices of other countries;
 - Participating in reviews and forums established under the United Nations Convention against Corruption and the Africa Union Convention on Preventing and Combating Corruption;
 - Fulfilling membership obligations to Networks and Associations both in Africa and the world;
 - O Providing regular information to the United Nations Organisation on Drugs and Crime and other relevant UN Bodies, the Africa Union Advisory Board on Corruption and AU Commission and its relevant establishments as well as ECOWAS and other sub-regional anti-corruption establishments.

3. Budget Programme Results Statement

The table below indicates the main outputs, its indicators and projections by which the Commission measures the performance of this Programme. The past data indicates actual performance whilst the projections are the Commission's estimates of future performance.

•		Past	Years	Projections					
Main Output	Output Indicator	2015	2015 2016		Indicative Year 2018	Indicative Year 2019			
Coordinate the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);	Percentage of	5%	10%	25%	35%`	50%			
Monitor the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);	implementation	2%	10%	20%	35%	50%			
Printing and dissemination of materials on NACAP.	Number of copies	1,000	1,500	20,000	30,000	10,000			
Conduct public education on NACAP and corruption, and rally the nation around the implementation of the NACAP;	Number of Public Education programmes	250	1,500	2,400	2,400				
Train Ethics and Compliance officers of MDAs/MMDAs	Number trained	35	150	150	150	200			
Print copies of and disseminate model Code of Conducts for Public Officers under the Conduct of Public Officers Law	Copies printed and disseminated	0	0	50,000	100,000	100,000			
Conduct training for CHRAJ legal officers and investigators to enforce Conduct of Public Officers Law	Number of officers trained	0	0	100	200	250			
Investigate complaints/ allegations of corruption, breaches of the code of conduct for public officers under the 1992	Number of cases investigated	50	200	300	400	400			

Constitution, impropriety under the Whistleblowers Act						
Conduct system examination of four(4) public institutions (under the MOU between GoG & Canadian High Commission)	Number of institutions Examined	0	4	4	6	8
Promote international cooperation in the fight against corruption, (eg. UNCAC, ICAC, AU Convention)	Number of meetings, workshops and conferences	3	6	8	8	12
Prepare relevant Legislative Instrument for the enforcement of Code of Conduct	Percentage completion	25%	45%	70%	95%	100%

4. Budget Operations and Projects

The tables lists the main Operations and Projects to be undertaken by the programme

Operations
Anti-corruption prevention and investigation
Coordinate & monitor the implementation of the National Anti-Corruption Action Plan (NACAP);
Implement National Integrity Programme
Investigate Complaints and Allegations of Corruption
intensify public education on NACAP and corruption
Collaborate and Consult with Anti-Corruption Institutions/National & International Cooperation
work with other stakeholders to improve Ghana's performance on the corruption index
assist Parliament to finalize the Conduct of Public Officers Bill for MPs

Projects (investment)
Three Cross-Country Vehicles for NACAP coordination of implementation & monitoring
Networking & ICT equipment for NACAP implementation



2.9. Budget by Chart of Account

9 - Sub-Programme and Natural Account

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Funding: All Source of Funding Year: 2017 | Currency: GH Cedi

	Budget	Indicative Year	Indicative Year
035004 - Anti-Corruption	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000
035004 - Anti-Corruption	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000
Goods and Services	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000
22 - Use of goods and services	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000



1.6. Appropriation Bill

Summary of Expenditure by Cost Center, Economic Item and Funding

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Year: 2017 | Currency: Value

		Go	G		IGF					Funds / Others		Donors			
	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Statutory	ABFA	Others	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Grand Total
035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)	14,823,550	4,690,920	5,000,000	24,514,470								2,660,386	10,641,545	13,301,931	37,816,402
03501 - Human Rights Department		255,000		255,000								300,000		300,000	555,000
0350101 - Gen. Admin		255,000		255,000								300,000		300,000	555,000
0350101001 - Gen. Admin		255,000		255,000								300,000		300,000	555,000
03502 - Administrative Justice Department		200,000		200,000								200,000		200,000	400,000
0350201 - Gen Admin		200,000		200,000								200,000		200,000	400,000
0350201001 - Gen Admin		200,000		200,000								200,000		200,000	400,000
03503 - Anti Corruption Department		1,250,000		1,250,000								250,000		250,000	1,500,000
0350301 - Gen Admin		1,250,000		1,250,000								250,000		250,000	1,500,000
0350301001 - Gen Admin		1,250,000		1,250,000								250,000		250,000	1,500,000
03504 - Administration and Finance Department	14,823,550	2,085,920	5,000,000	21,909,470								1,460,386	10,641,545	12,101,931	34,011,402
0350401 - Gen Admin	14,823,550	2,085,920	5,000,000	21,909,470								1,460,386	10,641,545	12,101,931	34,011,402
0350401001 - Gen Admin	14,823,550	2,085,920	5,000,000	21,909,470								1,460,386	10,641,545	12,101,931	34,011,402
03505 - Regional Offices		900,000		900,000								450,000		450,000	1,350,000
0350501 - Greater Accra Regional Office		64,000		64,000								32,000		32,000	96,000
0350501001 - Greater Accra Regional Office		64,000		64,000								32,000		32,000	96,000
0350502 - Volta Regional Office		96,000		96,000								48,000		48,000	144,000
0350502001 - Volta Regional Office		96,000		96,000								48,000		48,000	144,000
0350503 - Eastern Regional Office		108,000		108,000								54,000		54,000	162,000
0350503001 - Eastern Regional Office		108,000		108,000								54,000		54,000	162,000
0350504 - Central Regional Office		96,000		96,000								48,000		48,000	144,000
0350504001 - Central Regional Office		96,000		96,000								48,000		48,000	144,000
0350505 - Western Regional Office		90,000		90,000								45,000		45,000	135,000
0350505001 - Western Regional Office		90,000		90,000								45,000		45,000	135,000
0350506 - Ashanti Regional Office		128,000		128,000								64,000		64,000	192,000
0350506001 - Ashanti Regional Office		128,000		128,000								64,000		64,000	192,000



1.6. Appropriation Bill

Summary of Expenditure by Cost Center, Economic Item and Funding

Entity: 035 - Commission on Human Rights and Admin. Justice (CHRAJ)

Year: 2017 | Currency: Value

		Go	oG		IGF					Funds / Others		Donors			
	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Сарех	Total	Compensation of employees	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Statutory	ABFA	Others	Goods and Services	Capex	Total	Grand Total
0350507 - Brong Ahafo Regional Office		102,000		102,000								51,000		51,000	153,000
0350507001 - Brong Ahafo Regional Office		102,000		102,000								51,000		51,000	153,000
0350508 - Northern Regional Office		102,000		102,000								51,000		51,000	153,000
0350508001 - Northern Regional Office		102,000		102,000								51,000		51,000	153,000
0350509 - Upper East Regional Office		60,000		60,000								30,000		30,000	90,000
0350509001 - Upper East Regional Office		60,000		60,000								30,000		30,000	90,000
0350510 - Upper West Regional Office		54,000		54,000								27,000		27,000	81,000
0350510001 - Upper West Regional Office		54,000		54,000								27,000		27,000	81,000