







# **IFATE** NEXT GENERATION www.ifatetirwanda.org

## Advocacy strategy of Transparency international Rwanda based on evidence

"Ifate next generation"

is a mechanism used to collect evidence on corruption and to advocate for citizens



### What does IFATE mean?

**Ifate** is Kinyarwanda and means "restrain from". The message is to call upon citizens to restrain from bribing and corruption.

"IFATE" is a digital system for reporting cases of corruption. Complaints and information on corruption can be transmitted via an online form, per SMS / WhatsApp to a database operated by Transparency International Rwanda (TI-RW)



How to get access to IFATE and/or report corruption



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The overall goal of IFATE is to create a platform where citizens can **report corruption for free**. With this, TI-RW can further gain information on systemic corruption and injustice and use the information to improve **evidence-based advocacy**.



The tool has proven to be a platform for citizens to pro-

vide information on systemic corruption, higher level cases and corruption loopholes.

By ensuring a certain level of **anonymity**, the citizens' reluctance to report corruption cases has been reduced significantly. The system allows breaking down the corruption reports into different categories, institutions and locations, but most importantly it allows getting complaints from **whistle-blowers** who give information on corrupt behavior—a kind of information which is often not forwarded by other complaint channels.

For those who can't access internet, the reporting mechanism was made **available even to poorer groups** of the population in the rural areas by relying on different communication channels.



Transparency International Rwanda is a Rwandan civil society organization created in 2004. It is the leading civil society organization in the fight against corruption in Rwanda.

TI-Rw became accredited as national chapter of Transparency International in September 2011 and is since then part of the Transparency International movement with over a hundred national chapters worldwide and a coordinating Secretariat located in Berlin, Germany.

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