

Angola Corruption Legislation

Specific legislation:

- **Law of the High Authority Against Corruption**
 - *Section 8* provides for the President to propose the creation of preventive mechanisms to the National Assembly.

Supporting legislation:

- **Penal Code of 1886**
 - *Sections 324* establishes the offence of being an accomplice, where a public officer is aware of a crime being committed by a subordinate.
 - *Section 325* prescribes the imposition of a penalty on a public official if he or she was an accomplice to a crime and was in a position to prevent the crime but refrained from taking action.
 - *Section 326* deals with punishment to be imposed on public officials who violate, or fail to comply with laws or rules that are applicable to them.
- **Law of Crimes against the Economy**
 - *Section 49(1)* deals with Active Corruption.
 - *Section 17* deals with the illegal appropriation of goods.
 - *Section 19* deals with the improper use of goods and services.
- **Constitution of Angola**
 - *Section 88(f)* establishes that the National Assembly is the supreme body responsible for procurements and contracts.
