

### **Overview**

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# Ukraine

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### Area:

603,500 square kilometers The largest country within Europe

### **Economy:**

Market economy
Major industries: world player
in agriculture industry, energy, metallurgy,
chemicals, manufacturing, massive
high-tech industrial base, fast developing IT
and high-tech sector

### Location:

Borders Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Hungary and Moldova in the west, Belarus and Russia to north and east, Bulgaria, Georgia and Turkey to the south over the Black Sea,

### **Political System:**

Parliamentary-Presidential Republic

### **Diaspora Worldwide:**

20 million strong network

### **Ukraine Reforms Architecture**





A holistic approach to reforms – an aligned, coherent and comprehensive framework, which increases the capacity within the Ukrainian public administration to more efficiently carry out reforms, engaging all stakeholders across the board of Ukrainian leadership

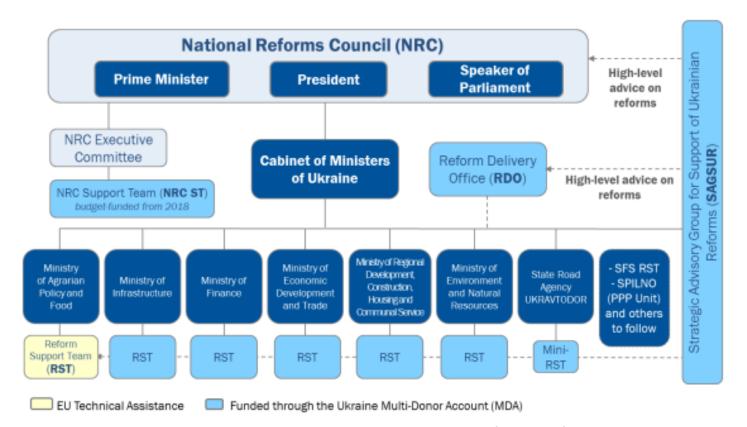
### URA - key objectives

- Enhance the capacity of the administration and the reforms infrastructure in the country
- Increase ownership of reform implementation across these stakeholders
- Facilitate improved coordination and effective delivery across the administration Improve communication and coordination between the government and donors
- Create the blueprint and launch PAR

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# **Ukraine Reforms Architecture: 150 people**



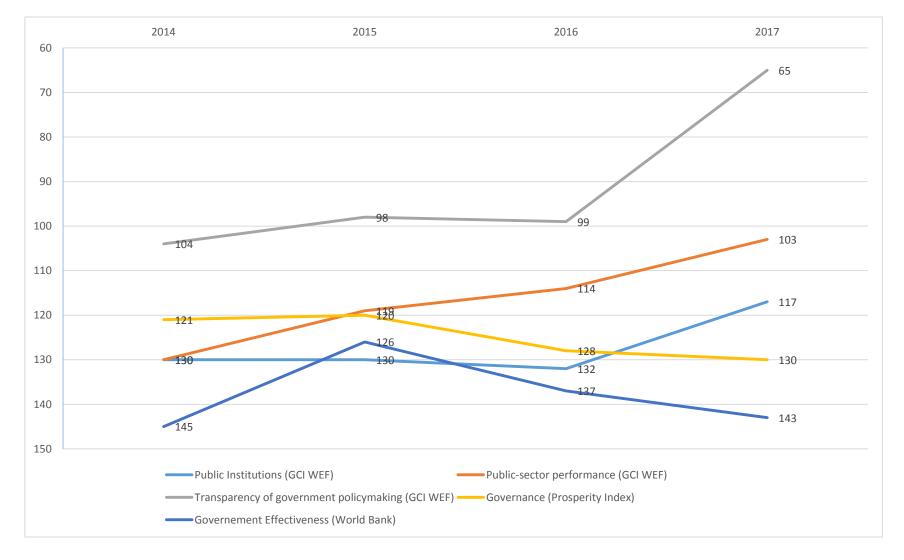
**Strategic Advisory Group for Support of Ukrainian Reforms (SAGSUR)** - 10 international & local experts, providing high-level advice to the President, PMU and Ministers

Reforms Delivery Office (RDO) - 20 people, providing overall coordination at Cabinet of Ministers level

7 pilot **Reform Support Teams (RSTs)** - 10-30 people each, tasked with implementation of the sectorial reforms & public administration reform



# Ukraine is struggling in governance effectiveness



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# **Effective Governance is the priority for UA**



### **PAR** in Ukraine





### **Key strategic documents**

#### 2015:

New Law on Civil Service

#### 2016:

- PAR Strategy and Action plan for 2016-2020
- Reforms Staff Positions (RSP) concept
- Financing agreement with EU on supporting to PAR in Ukraine (104 mln Euro for 5 years)

#### 2017:

- PFM Strategy
- CEB optimization concept



# Implementation of Government priorities calls for capable ministries

### Role of the government

- Defines strategic priorities
- Public policy coordination
- Monitoring and evaluation

2020 Mid-Term Plan of the Government

Government's Action Plan for 2017

Indicative Agenda of Cabinet of Ministers meetings for 2017

#### **Ministries**

- Setting priorities for the sector
- Policy making and stakeholder consultations
- Regulations, standards, resource planning
- Policy evaluation

Ministries' Action Plans

Policy documents

**Draft legislation** 

Mission

Objectives, indicators

Resource planning

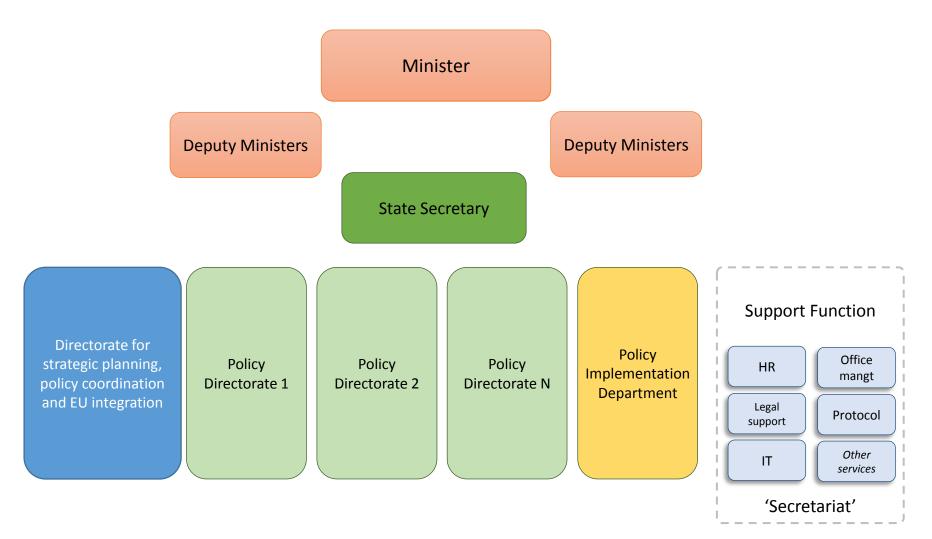


### Policy function should be strengthened

- Ministerial structures to be streamlined, overlaps eliminated
- Evidence based decisions and policy analysis to be introduced
- Competencies of civil servants to be strengthened



# Building capable ministries through reorganization and unification





# Stage 1: 10 ministries, 2 Agencies and SCMU

Priority Areas	Ministry		
Pension reform	Ministry of Social Policy		
Healthcare reform	Ministry of Healthcare		
Land reform	Ministry of Agrarian Policy		
Education reform	Ministry of Education		
Public finance management	Ministry of Finance		
Justice sector reform	Ministry of Justice		
Decentralization	Ministry of Regional Development		
Energy reform	Ministry of Energy		
Infrastructure reform	Ministry of Infrastructure		
Development of culture	Ministry of Culture		
Policy coordination	Secretariat of CMU		

### Stage 2: all other ministries

# Common approach to manage change\*



# Functional review of the Ministries

# Competitive RSP recruitment

# Improved policy making

- Unified methodology
- Classification of policy functions of Government
- Creating policy directorates (DGs) procedure
   in 10 Ministries
   Include
- Unified units for strategic planning, policy coordination and European integration in all Ministries
- Identify non-essential functions of ministries
- Update statutes of ministries

#### **Recruitment and selection:**

- Establish new job profiles
- Update the recruitment procedure
- Include external HR experts
   Salary
- Establish adequate salary level
   Training
- Intensive induction training
- Train on modern methods of policy analysis and policy development

- Introduce new types of documents into Cabinet proceedings (policy vs regulations vs analytics)
- Strengthen policy cycle
- Improve strategic planning and budgeting
- Open data and e-gov
- Mechanisms of horizontal coordination (DGs)

#### Communications\*

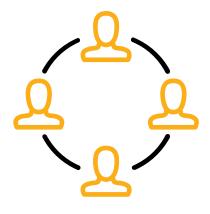
- Increase trust to civil service
- Improve image of the civil service

- Attract best candidates
- Promote success stories

<sup>\*</sup> With the support of the EU (technical assistance projects)

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### Reforms Staff Positions - model of new civil service



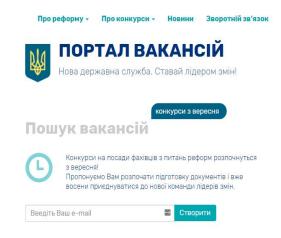
# 1000 posts in 10 Ministries

#### Communication Requirements Selection **Training** • Establish new job profiles: Update the Competition Implement a communication · Design a common training Procedure for civil service Professional program for RSP strategy to: knowledge • Train on modern methods positions Increase trust to civil Communication skills • Include external HR experts of policy analysis and policy service (soft skills) in selection commissions, with Create a brand for civil development Leadership **EU** support service Build a strong professional network based on shared Motivation Establish competitive salary Attract best candidates • Develop new methods to Promote success stories level values evaluate competencies Modern web portal

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### **Reforms Staff Positions – recruitments**







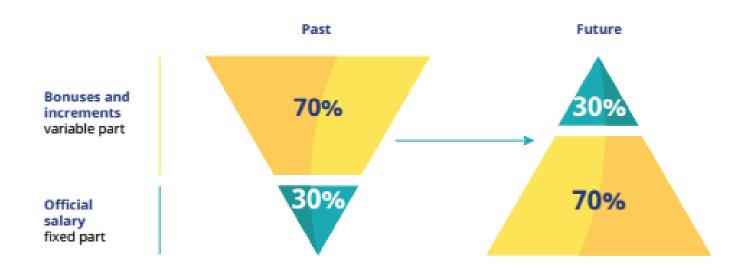
- Total vacancy announced 820
- > Candidates apply online 20 000
- Vacancies closed 690
- Average candidates per vacancy 29
- Maximum candidates per vacancy 81 (SCMU)

#### Portal data:

- Unique profiles 6781 users
- Traffic, users:
  - monthly 42 000
  - weekly 13 000
  - daily 2 500



# Rightsizing and salary composition on civil service



	2015	2016	2017	Change 2016/2017
Number of civil servants thousands employees	295	268	242	- 9.7%

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# PAR communication is challenging, but crucial

- Career.gov.ua
- Recruitment campaign "Be the Leader of Change":
- Videos: real people and real stories
- PAR brand, logo and visual identity
- Infographs
- Social networks promotion
- Innovative events "world cafe"
- Online courses:
  - How to apply on civil service
  - HRM on civil service







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