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On Sustainability and Governance

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Beneficiary: Office of the Deputy Prime Minister and Office of Government, Slovakia

Host: Presidency of the Government, General Secretariat of Co-ordination, Greece

14 – 15 July 2025
***Venue**: L. Amalias 20&Souri, 105 57 Athens*

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Technical Support Instrument
Supporting reforms in 27 Member States

Aim of the exchange:

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The aim of this exchange is to support co-operation between Slovakia and Greece in the field of sustainable development and long-term strategic planning. The visit aims to improve the public administration performance by exchanging good practice on fulfilling key functions of the centre of government (especially setting long-term priorities and goals for sustainable development, cross-sectoral policy coordination, strategic and investment planning, and monitoring government performance). In particular, Slovak Office of the Deputy Prime Minister, in co-operation with Office of Government of Slovakia, as beneficiaries, will exchange information and knowledge with the Presidency of the Government, General Secretariat of Coordination of Greece, as a host institution. The visit will allow the beneficiary authority to acquire practical experience from the hosting institution on institutional capacity building and on professionalising the functions of the centre of government, promote the values and principles of good public administration and increase awareness on the importance of strategic planning and governance in the face of complex challenges hindering the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.

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Day 1: 14 July 2025

Sustainability and Governance

Venue: Presidency of the Government,General Secretariat of Coordination

L. Amalias 20 & Souri, 105 57, Athens

		Topic:	*Speakers*
Local time	*Room*		
10:00	*Meeting room*	*Arrival of participants to the Presidency of the Government*	
10:10 – 11:30		**Introduction** ✓ **Tour de table** ✓ **Main topics of the exchange** ✓ **Aims of the exchange** **Introductory presentations** ✓ **Institutional and legal framework for coordinating, implementing and monitoring sustainable development in Slovakia** ✓ **Institutional and legal framework for coordinating, implementing and monitoring public policies in Greece, including policies on sustainable development** ▪ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	• All participants
11:30 - 13:00		**European Semester, Sustainable development and well-being** ✓ **Coordinating the implementation and monitoring of the 2030 Agenda - The role of the Centres of Government** ✓ **Budgeting for sustainable development and well-being** ✓ **European Semester and Medium Term Fiscal Structural Plans – The role of the of the Centres of Government** ✓ Slovak presentation ✓ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences ✓ Greek presentation ✓ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	• Slovakia • Greece
13.00 – 14:00		*Lunch break*	

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14:00 – 15:30		**Building the Centre of Government in Slovakia** ✓ **Monitoring government performance** ✓ **Regulation policy (regulatory impact assessment, policy evaluation)** ✓ **Building the centre of government as an institution** ▪ Slovak presentation ▪ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	▪ Slovakia ▪ All participants
15:30 – 17:00		**Building the Centre of Government in Greece** ✓ **Executive State: organisation and functioning of the Government** ✓ **Building the capacities of public administration for strategic planning and governance** ✓ **Ensuring institutional continuity and stability in the face of political changes** ✓ **Monitoring of primary/ secondary legislation and EU legislation infringements** ✓ **Utilisation of the Technical Support Instrument (TSI)** ▪ Greek presentation ▪ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	▪ Greece ▪ All participants
17:00 – 17:30		**Wrap-up** Summarizing the day's insights, takeaways and key learnings	• Slovakia • Greece
17:30		End of day 1	

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Day 2: 15 July 2025

Sustainable Investments

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		Topic	*Speakers*
Local time	*Room*		
10:00	*Meeting room*	*Arrival of participants to the Presidency of the Government*	
10:10 – 11:30		**Investment Plan Slovakia 2050** ✓ **Supporting long-term investment planning from the centre of Government** ✓ **Prioritising investments vis-á-vis sectoral/regional strategies and sustainability/well-being objectives** ✓ **Strategic investment packages** ▪ Slovak presentation ▪ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	▪ Slovakia ▪ All participants
11:30 – 13:00		**Long-term investment planning in Greece** ✓ **Role of Presidency of the Government/General Secretariat of Coordination and ministries in long-term planning, including investment planning and in the project cycle management** ✓ **Planning of government work - Annual Action Plans** ✓ **Utilisation of the IT system MAZI** ✓ **Strategic Significance Contracts Development Programme** ✓ **Project Preparation Facility (PPF)** ▪ Greek presentation ▪ Interactive discussion and sharing experiences	▪ Greece ▪ All participants
13:00 – 14:00		*Lunch break*	
14:00 – 16:00		**Wrap-up** Summarizing the exchange Future collaboration	• Slovakia • Greece
16:00		End of the exchange	

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