



Chisinau, 23.07.2007 – A second survey on public perception and attitudes towards corruption has been carried out in April-May 2007 by IMAS-Inc commissioned by the **Joint Project of the European Commission and the Council of Europe against corruption, money laundering and terrorist financing in the Republic of Moldova (MOLICO)**. The survey has been realised in the framework of assistance provided by MOLICO Project to Moldovan authorities in the implementation of the National Strategy to Prevent and Combat Corruption and the Action Plan 2006-2009.

The survey aims to determine the impact of the National Anti-corruption Strategy and the attitude of citizens towards law-enforcement bodies responsible for counteracting this phenomenon. It measures public opinion as regards the spread of corruption, acceptability and the level of tolerance of corruption in Moldova. In addition, the survey scrutinizes the corruption practices and the influence of mass media in awareness of corruption-fighting measures.

A **press conference** for the presentation of the survey results is scheduled at **15:00 pm on Wednesday 24 July 2007**, in the press conference of MOLDPRES Agency.

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