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Press Release

LACC HOLDS WORKSHOP FOR INTEGRITY INSTITUTIONS

Wednesday, September 28, 2022 - The Executive Chairperson of the Liberia Anti- Corruption Commission (LACC) says he will continue to foster regional collaboration and capacity building that cuts across the region.

Cllr. Edwin Kla Martin made the remarks at the opening of a week long Criminal Investigation Training held at a local hotel held in Monrovia on Wednesday.

Cllr. Martin noted that the training workshop is part of a broader collaboration under the auspices of the Network of Anti-Corruption Institutions of West Africa (NACIWA) and that there is a need to use the strategic advantage of sister institutions to build regional capacity.

The LACC boss who is also Vice President of NACIWA called on the participants to take the workshop serious as it will feed into the quality of reports that are released to the public and strengthen evidence that is presented to the courts.

In response, Mr. Michael Wetkas, Assistant Commandant at the Economic and Financial Crimes Commission (EFCC) in Nigeria noted that there is need to share experience in the region adding that fighting corruption is a difficult task which can be dangerous and as such, the region has to work together to succeed.

He furthered pledged the EFCC support to the LACC and hoped that the other integrity institutions in the region will continue to strengthen the relationships.

The training brings together participants from the Liberia Anti-Corruption Commission (LACC), General Auditing Commission (GAC), Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU) and the Liberia National Police (LNP).

The training is supported by African Development Bank (AFDB).