

*Article 59**Bilateral and multilateral agreements and arrangements*

States Parties shall consider concluding bilateral or multilateral agreements or arrangements to enhance the effectiveness of international cooperation undertaken pursuant to this chapter of the Convention.

Chapter VI**Technical assistance and information exchange***Article 60**Training and technical assistance*

1. Each State Party shall, to the extent necessary, initiate, develop or improve specific training programmes for its personnel responsible for preventing and combating corruption. Such training programmes could deal, inter alia, with the following areas:

- (a) Effective measures to prevent, detect, investigate, punish and control corruption, including the use of evidence-gathering and investigative methods;
- (b) Building capacity in the development and planning of strategic anti-corruption policy;
- (c) Training competent authorities in the preparation of requests for mutual legal assistance that meet the requirements of this Convention;
- (d) Evaluation and strengthening of institutions, public service management and the management of public finances, including public procurement, and the private sector;
- (e) Preventing and combating the transfer of proceeds of offences established in accordance with this Convention and recovering such proceeds;
- (f) Detecting and freezing of the transfer of proceeds of offences established in accordance with this Convention;