#### ANTI-CORRUPTION ORGANISATION

### October 2017 Report



### **Highlights**

- One new case file was opened this month
- AC hotline received **19** calls this month
- Health Corruption hotline received 11 calls this month

#### General

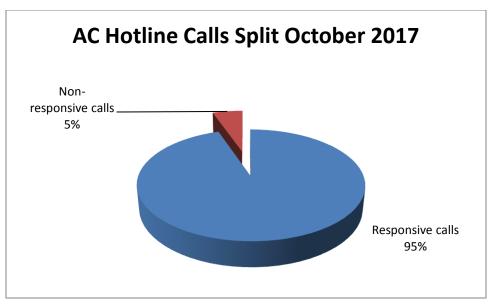
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One new case file was opened this month. The case file involves a case of land fraud where the victim complained of a high official in the government working in complicity with his uncle to matriculate lands belonging to him and his siblings left to them as inheritance by their father. AC has arranged for working sessions between the lawyer and the victim to gather more facts and build a court case but the victim does not show up each time.

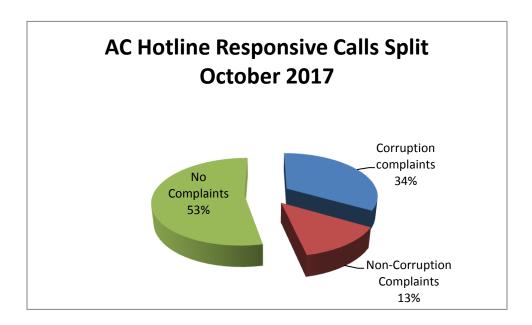
Case follow-up continued this month in the corruption case involving many counts with about three hundred victims opened in the month of October 2016. The case file which was at the level of the prosecutor pending calling up the matter in open court hearing, was returned to the examining magistrate of the Court of First Instance without a competent trial court designated by the president of the Court of Appeal as prescribed by legal procedure. The lawyer handling the case is awaiting the submission of the examining magistrate to know the next step to take since procedure has not been respected so far.

#### **AC Hotline Phone**

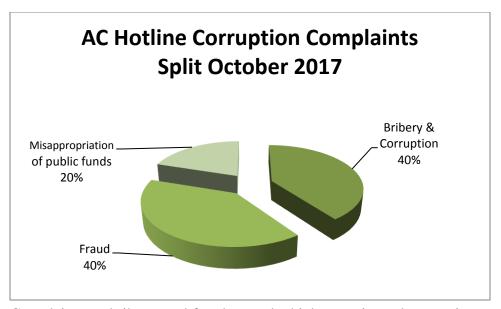
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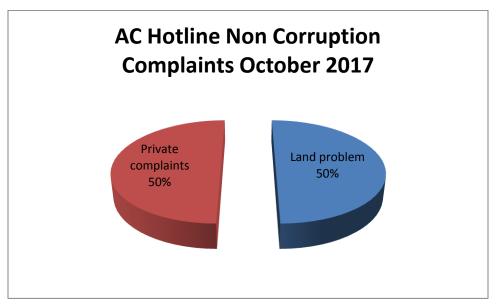
Responsive calls this month represented 95% of calls that came in through the AC hotline phone while 5% of callers' numbers were non-responsive.



53% of calls were no complaint calls which made up the bulk of the calls this month. Corruption complaint represented 34%, while 13% of callers reported complaints not related to corruption.

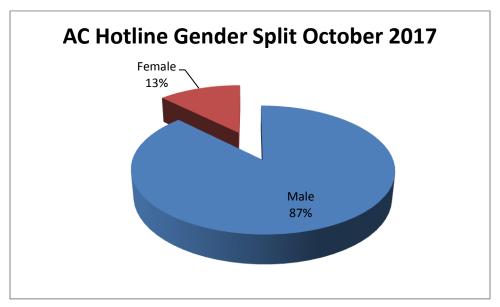


Complaints on bribery and fraud were the highest registered corruption complaints representing 40% each while complaints of misappropriation of public funds represented 20% corruption related complaints.



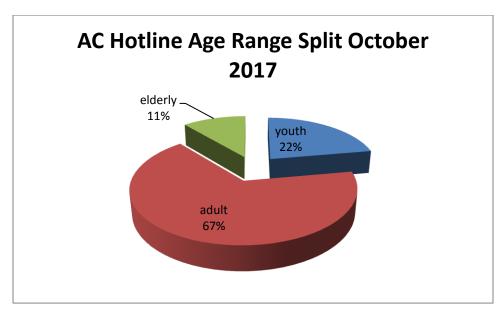
Private complaints and land problems both registered 50% each of non-corruption complaints calls received in the month of October 2017.

#### Gender



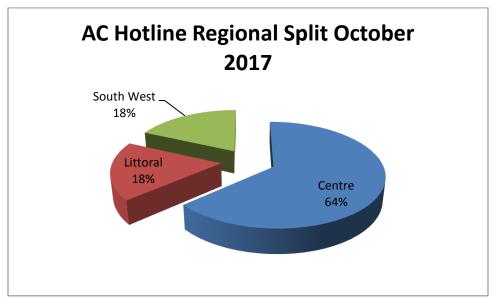
87% of participants in calls were the male gender while the female gender made up 13% of callers.

# **Age Range of Callers**



The adult age range represented 67% of total callers this October month of 2017, followed by the youth age range with 22% and lastly, the elderly with 11% of calls.

## **Regional Representation**



The Centre region registered the highest number of callers this month of October representing 64%, followed by the Littoral region and South West regions each having 18% of calls.

#### **Investigations**

Investigations were carried out on a land corruption case opened this month. The victim complained of a high official in the government who is working in complicity with his uncle to matriculate parcels of lands left to him and his siblings as inheritance by their father. According to him, the uncle has received some minimal sum of money from the government official as proceeds for the sale of their land and has permitted him to matriculate the lands in the name of the high official. Investigations in the land tenure office where a copy of the land registration documents were obtained with some difficulty was discovered that the high official had claimed parental lineage to the communal land, in Awae where the land is found, a misrepresentation that cannot be overlooked.

AC has arranged two working sessions for the victim and the lawyer that would have resulted in a court case but the victim did not commit. AC considered him not engaged and could not proceed with the case.

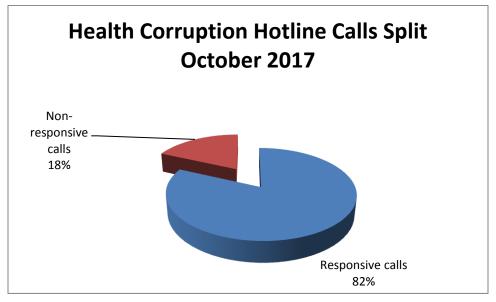
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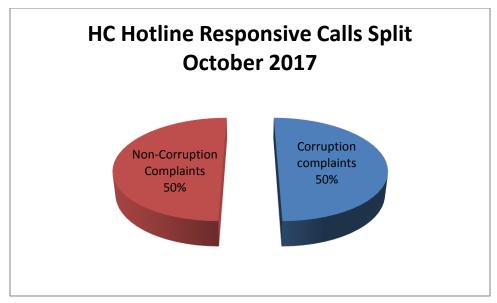
## **Health Corruption Hotline**

The Health Corruption hotline received 11 calls this month of October 2017 registering one corruption complaint from a victim who complained that they pay 200frs to collect a bottle of ART (anti-retroviral treatment) at the district hospital of Nkambe, claiming that it is to cover the transport cost.

Data from the calls has been analyzed as is represented on charts below.

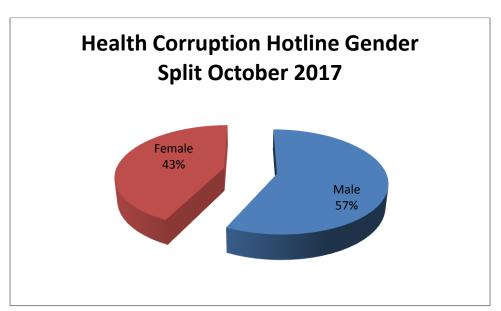


Responsive calls this month of October 2017 represented 82% of the total calls while non-responsive were 18%.



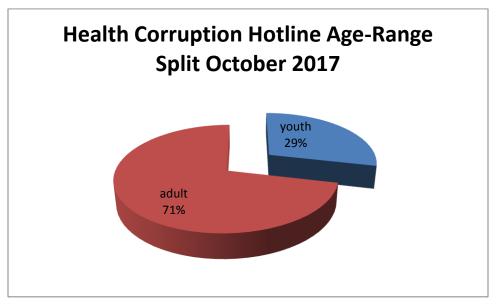
Corruption as well as non-corruption complaints both represented 50 % each of the calls made to the health corruption hotline in October 2017.

#### Gender



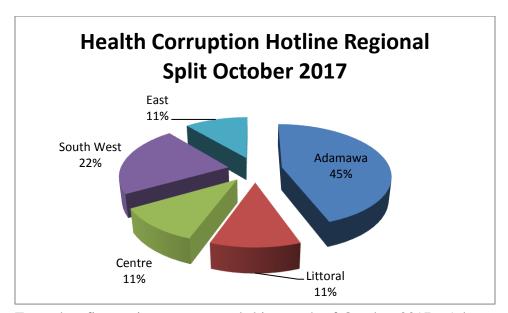
The male gender this month of October 2017 had 57% of callers, while 43% made up the female gender.

### **Age Range of Callers**



Like September, the elderly age range was not represented also in the month of October 2017. The adult age range represented 71% of callers while the youth age range represented 29% of the calls received.

## **Regional representation**



From the five regions represented this month of October 2017, Adamawa region participated highest with most callers, representing 45% of total calls, followed by the South West region with 22% of callers and from the Littoral, East and Centre regions with 11% each.

### Finance

### AC received funds this month from NEU FOUNDATION

Amount in	Use	Details	Amount in USD
Francs CFA			
20,000	AC Hotline	19 calls received	\$40
5,000	HC Hotline	11 calls received	\$10
	Investigations		
0			
	Legal	1 case follow-up	
0	Media	0	
396,300	Management	Co-ordination	\$793
469,545	Office	0	\$939
890,845	TOTAL		
	Expenditure		\$1,782
	October 2017		

### **Donor Financial Report October 2016**

<b>Amount in FCFA</b>	Donor	Month	Amount in USD
184, 367	Balance	Carried over from	\$369
		September	
728,000	NEU	Received in October	\$1,456
	<b>FOUNDATION</b>		
890,845		<b>Used in October</b>	\$1,782
21,522		Carried forward to	\$43
		November	