IFD Agreement Reform Areas Improve FDI Competitiveness

- Establish online supplier databases
- Improving outward FDI (OFDI) facilitation measures transparency and effectiveness

- Increase investment measure transparency and effectiveness (e.g., publication and availability of measures, advance publication of measures, opportunity for comments, impact assessments, etc.)
- Establish focal points and ICT systems to track and resolve investor grievances
- Simplify profit and payment repatriation processes
- Increase private sector consultation and follow-up
- Promote the adoption of responsible business conduct standards



- Support the establishment of IPAs
- Strengthen IPA service provision
- Create comprehensive incentives inventories
- Streamline business entry and establishment procedures (e.g., company/ tax registration, registering property, etc.)
- Streamline FDI-specific procedures (e.g., FDI approval/registration, authentication/ notarization of foreign documents, foreign exchange operations, etc.)
- Enhance FDI entry regime transparency (e.g., on restrictions to FDI)
- Increase licensing and permit systems efficiency
- Improve expatriate work permit and visa regimes
- Establish single information portals and onestop-shops
- Promoting the use of ICT in entry and establishment procedures

