

# LIBERIA



## History of Partnership

The House Democracy Partnership (HDP)<sup>1</sup> approved a legislative strengthening partnership with the Legislature of Liberia in July 2006. The partnership concentrates on the development of Liberian parliamentary staff structure, legislative library setup and operations, and legislative drafting and administration. In 2009, HDP pledged \$250,000 towards a project to develop a modern legislative library to better serve Liberian legislators and their staff.



## Recent HDP Engagement with the Legislature of Liberia

### MP and Regional Seminars:

- April 2023 – A regional seminar on **Strengthening Public Debt Management and Legislative Budgeting Best Practices.**
- June 2021 – A virtual MP exchange with Chile, Colombia, Guatemala, Indonesia, Iraq, Lebanon, Liberia, Peru, The Gambia, and Tunisia on **Integrating Openness and Transparency in the Legislature.**
- June 2021 – A regional MP seminar on **Strengthening Legislative Oversight of the Executive.**
- February 2021 – A virtual women MP exchange on **Empowering, Enhancing, and Mainstreaming Women's Inclusion in Parliament.**

### Staff Delegations and Technical Assistance Consultancies (TACs):

- December 2023 – A TAC with the Legislature of Liberia on **Oversight of Public Debt.**
- October 2021 – A virtual staff exchange on **Staff Training - Supporting Enhanced Research and Budget Analysis Techniques for PBO and PI Analysts.**
- November 2020 – A virtual staff exchange with Colombia, Georgia, Indonesia, Kenya, Kosovo, Kyrgyzstan, Liberia, North Macedonia, Peru, and Tunisia, on **Providing Quality Research Services for Member and Committee Offices.**
- January 2020 – A TAC with the Legislature of Liberia on **Legislative Caucus Development and Agenda-Setting.**

## HDP Congressional Delegations (CODELs)

HDP has organized six U.S. Congressional delegation visits to Liberia.

- October 2019
- June 2016
- July 2012
- July 2010
- July 2008
- May 2007

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<sup>1</sup> At the time the partnership was initiated, the House Democracy Partnership was known as the House Democracy Assistance Commission (HDAC). The name was subsequently changed to reflect the nature of HDP as a partnership with partner countries.