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"On the road to strengthening public oversight"

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Status of the transposition table and strengths of the recent audit reform

- ➤ Transposition table have been prepared and they have identified the areas where the Law should be harmonized with the Directive 2014/56/EC and Regulation 537/2014/EC
- > Last amendments of Audit law
 - precisely regulate the scope and procedure of quality control of the audit firm by ICARM.
 - increasing responsibility and transparency in the working of certified auditors, audit firms and certified auditors sole proprietors.
 - specifying the cases to which it is envisaged the imposition of disciplinary measures by ICARM and CAOARM.

Challenges...

- 1) Quality control of PIEs independent of profession;
 - ❖ Build capacity of CAOARM perform independent public oversight of audit engagements of PIEs;
 - Methodology for public oversight of audit engagements for PIEs and training of employees of CAOARM;
 - Establishment of sustainable funding system of CAOARM;
- 2) Constantly updating of translation of IAS, IFRS and IFRS for SME;
- 3) Appropriate accreditation system of study and postgraduate programs.

Support by CFRR to resolve the challenges

- Build capacity of CAOARM perform independent public oversight of audit engagements of PIEs
- Development of methodology and software for public oversight of audit engagements for PIEs