# The role of internal and external auditors

to support PSA reforms

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## **Three Lines of Defence**

#### GOVERNING BODY/ AUDIT COMMITTEE



# Regulator

External Audit

## **Three Lines of Defence**

External Audit

Internal Audit

Other Independent Review

#### Oversight functions

Policies and procedures

#### Selfassurance

Business units / teams / processes

#### 3<sup>st</sup> Line of Defence

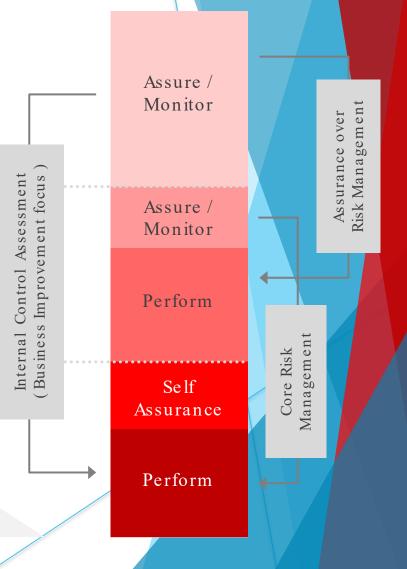
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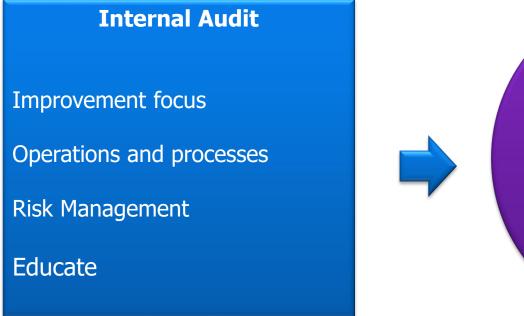
# Role of audit



# Perspectives



## How can audit help accounts preparers?



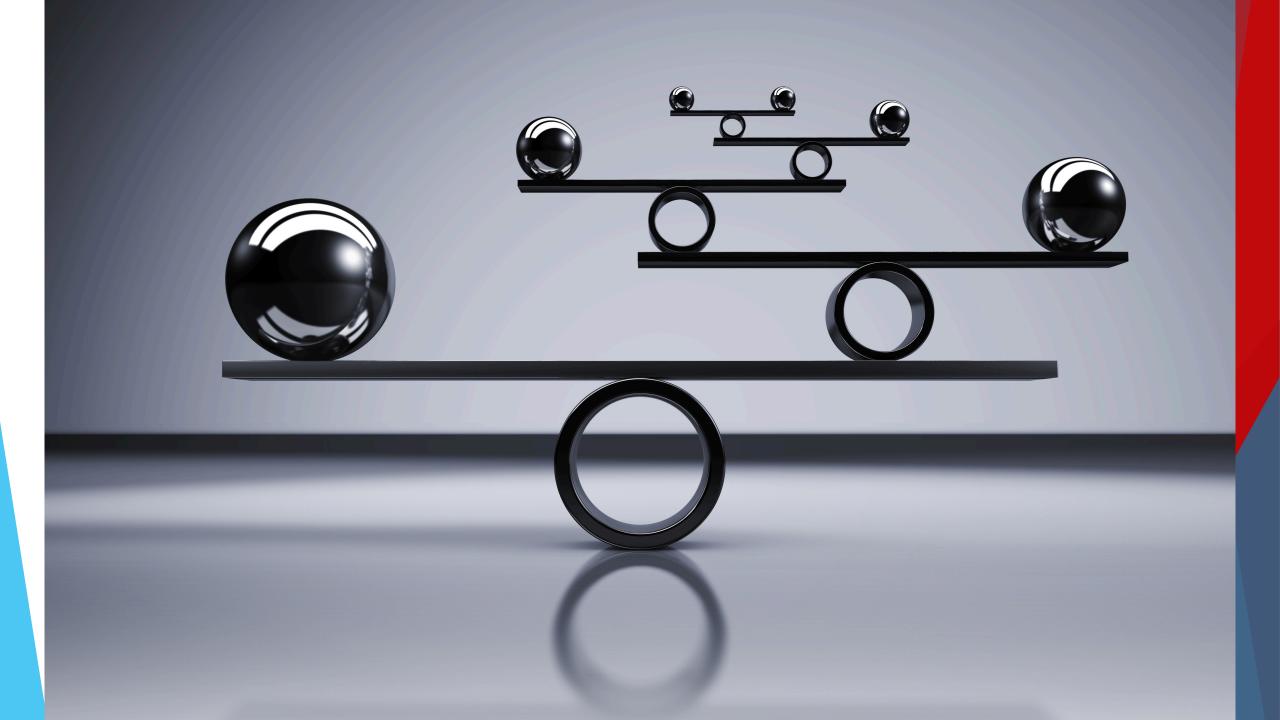


#### **External Audit**

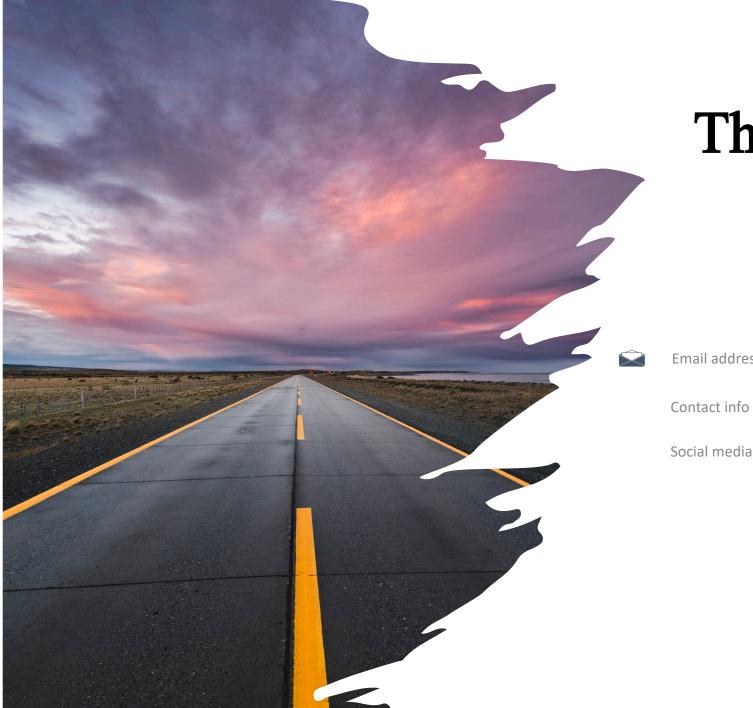
Share best practice across government entities

#### Focus on financial statements

Objective: Presents fairly not fraud



# Questions?



# Thank you

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