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**TO: IAS ACCREDITED MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATION BODIES
AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES.**

**SUBJECT: Proposed Revisions to Accreditation Criteria for Accreditations of
Management Systems Certification Bodies, AC477-202210 (KE/MS)**

Hearing Information:

IAS Accreditation Committee
Thursday, October 6, 2022
8:00 am (Pacific Standard Time)
WebEx Meeting – Refer to IAS website for
details.

Dear Madam or Sir:

IAS is proposing revisions to its Accreditation Criteria for Accreditation of Management System Certification Bodies, AC477. A description of the proposed change is detailed below:

Line 286 – Annex A – Informational Purposes Only table – Deletion of row detailing GHG VVB (Green House Gas) option.

Rationale for change – The GHG VVB (Green House Gas) program is now a stand-alone accreditation program. Readers are referred to IAS Accreditation Criteria AC800 *Accreditation Criteria for Validation and Verification Bodies (VVBs) for additional information*. To avoid confusing the market, IAS staff recommends deletion of this program from the IAS accreditation criteria for management system certification bodies (AC477).

You are cordially invited to submit written comments, or to attend the WebEx committee hearing and present verbal comments. Written comments will be forwarded to the committee, **prior to the hearing**, if received by September 6, 2022. For your convenience, a comment form is provided. The link can be found on the Accreditation Committee meeting page on the IAS website, www.iasonline.org. Comments may be postal mailed to the address above or emailed to iasinfo@iasonline.org.

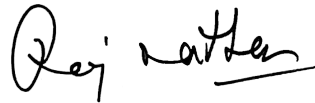
Any written material submitted for committee consideration will be available for public distribution as set forth in the Rules of Procedure for Accreditation Committee Meetings

found on the IAS website. Since this is a web meeting, comments for public distribution will be placed on the IAS website prior to the meeting.

Your cooperation is requested in forwarding to IAS, as noted above, all material directed to the committee. Prior to the hearing, parties interested in the deliberations of the committee should refrain from communicating, whether in writing or verbally, with committee members regarding agenda items. The committee reserves the right to refuse communications that do not comply with this request.

If you have any questions, please contact IAS at 562-364-8201 ext. 3309. You may also reach us by e-mail at iasinfo@iasonline.org.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Raj Nathan". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Raj Nathan
President

Enclosures: Proposed AC477

cc: Accreditation Committee

ACCREDITATION CRITERIA FOR MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATION BODIES

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. **Scope:** These criteria set forth the requirements for obtaining and maintaining International Accreditation Service, Inc. (IAS), Management System Certification Body (MSCB) accreditation. The criteria supplement the IAS Rules of Procedure for Management System Certification Bodies.

1.2. **Normative and Reference Documents:** Publications listed below refer to current editions (unless otherwise stated).

1.2.1. ISO/IEC Standard 17021-1, Conformity assessment – Requirements for bodies providing audit and certification of management systems – Part 1: Requirements.

1.2.2. ISO/IEC Standard 17021 series of standards as applicable.

1.2.3. All IAF Mandatory Documents (MD).
(http://www.iaf.nu/articles/Mandatory_Documents_/38)

1.2.4. IAF Resolutions related to accreditation bodies and transitions as available on the IAF website.

1.2.5. All IAF Informative Documents (ID).
(http://www.iaf.nu/articles/Informative_Documents_/32)

1.2.6. ISO/IEC Standard 17000, Conformity assessment – Vocabulary and general principles.

2. DEFINITIONS

2.1. Applicable definitions found in ISO/IEC Standard 17000 series apply.

2.2. **APAC:** Asia Pacific Accreditation Cooperation

2.3. **CAB:** Conformity Assessment Body

2.4. **IAF:** International Accreditation Forum

2.5. **MSCB:** Management System Certification Body applicant or accredited by IAS also referred to as 'Customer'

2.6. MSCB Certified client: Certified client of MSCB also referred to as 'Client'

2.7. **Witness Audits:** Certification audits that are observed by an IAS assessor

2.8. **Remote Assessments:** Accreditation Body's assessment of the physical location or virtual site of a CAB office or CAB's client, using electronic means

2.9. Virtual site: An online environment allowing persons to execute processes, e.g. in a cloud environment.

57 **2.10 MSCB main office location: The main office is listed on the IAS Certificate of Accreditation**
58 **where activities are conducted and/or information maintained regarding the** performance
59 and management of all processes related to **all** management system activities (refer to 2.15).

60 **2.11 MSCB key location:** Entities performing and/or managing key management system certification
61 activities, on behalf of accredited certification bodies, **which are** wholly or partly owned or
62 employed by the MSCB (refer to 2.15).

63 **2.12 Subcontractor key location:** Entities performing and/or managing key management system
64 certification activities, on behalf of accredited certification bodies, **which are NOT** wholly or
65 partly owned or employed by the MSCB.

66 **2.13 Subcontractor (No key activities):** Entities performing and/or managing processes related to
67 management system activities, on behalf of accredited certification bodies, **which are NOT**
68 wholly or partly owned or employed by the MSCB (processes include; marketing,
69 communications, outreach, etc.).

70 **2.14 Entity/Entities:** Collective term used in this document to describe any/all of the above four
71 location types.

72 **2.15 Key Management System Certification Activities:** Policy formulation; Process and/or
73 procedure development; Initial approval of auditing personnel, or control of their training; On-
74 going monitoring of auditing personnel; Application review; Assignment of auditing personnel;
75 Control of surveillance or recertification audits; Final report review or certification decision or
76 approval.

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78 **3. ELIGIBILITY**

79 3.1. Accreditation services are available to all third-party Management System Certification Bodies
80 that meet the following requirements:

81 3.1.1. Have at least a minimum of one certified customers in each sub scope in the
82 requested scope of accreditation

83 3.1.2. Have completed at least one Internal Audit and one Management Review of the MSCB
84 main and key locations.

85 3.1.3. Have a complete and demonstrable management system based on the requirements of
86 the ISO/IEC 17021 series of standards (as applicable)

87 3.1.4. Have at least one auditor or pool of auditors approved for each IAF technical cluster,
88 critical code, technical area or category in the requested scope of accreditation.

- 89 3.1.5. All office and witness assessments are conducted onsite unless agreed by IAS for
90 remote or virtual assessments or mandated by IAF under special circumstances.
- 91 3.2. Accreditation services are available for all third-party MSCBs who provide certification for the
92 disciplines listed in Annex A. These publications refer to current editions (unless otherwise
93 stated). IAS may consider requests for recognition of other disciplines on a case-by-case basis.
- 94 3.3. All documents submitted to IAS must be in English.
- 95 3.4. The MSCB, or any part of the same legal entity or any entity under the organizational
96 control of the MSCB cannot offer or provide management system consultancy.
- 97 3.5. The IAS Accreditation cycle for MSCB is 4 years. Refer to Annex B.
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99 **4. REQUIRED BASIC INFORMATION**

100 4.1. MSCBs must demonstrate compliance with the following requirements:

101 4.1.1. ISO/IEC Standard 17021 series of standards as applicable.

102 4.1.2. All IAF Mandatory Documents (MD).

103 (http://www.iaf.nu/articles/Mandatory_Documents_/38)

104 4.1.3. IAF Resolutions related to accreditation bodies and transitions as available on the IAF
105 website.

106 4.1.4. All IAF Informative Documents (ID).

107 (http://www.iaf.nu/articles/Informative_Documents_/32)

108 4.1.5. ISO/IEC Standard 17000, Conformity assessment – Vocabulary and general principles.

109 4.2. Relevant IAS policy documents

110 4.2.1. IAS Policy – Certification Bodies (CBs) maintaining CB Key Locations, Subcontractor Key
111 Locations, Subcontractors, and CB Locations

112 4.2.2. Policy on the Transfer of Accreditation by MSCBs'

113 4.2.3. Policy on the Restricted Use of IAS Endorsement by Accredited Organizations

114 4.2.4. Policy on the use of the ILAC/IAF/IAS Combined Marks

115 4.2.5. Food Safety Systems Certification (FSSC) V.5 Transition Policy

116 4.2.6. Accreditation policy for Aerospace Quality Management System Certification Bodies

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118 **5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (AS APPLICABLE)**

119 5.1. All requested scopes must be in the format used in the IAS MSCB desired scope of accreditation
120 pre-application form

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122 5.2. Additional standards and guidelines will be used when performing assessments of the respective
123 certification disciplines as listed in the Annex A. These publications refer to current editions
124 (unless otherwise stated).

- 125 5.3. All accredited MSCBs and their certified clients must comply and be included in the IAF
126 CERTSEARCH database including meeting the requirements stated in the IAS Rules of
127 Procedure (MSCB) on the use of the IAF CERTSEARCH Mark. This applies to:
128 5.3.1.MSCBs accredited by IAS,;
129 5.3.2.Entities certified by IAS accredited MSCBs.
130 5.3.3. MSCBs must disclose all certified clients issued with the IAS symbol in the IAF CertSearch
131 database. Non-disclosure will result in suspension and/or cancellation of the MSCB
132 accreditation.
133 5.3.4.Encourage MSCB clients to use the IAF CertSearch logo on the client websites.
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135 5.4. For Aerospace Quality Management System Certification Body accreditations, refer to the policy
136 listed on section 4.2.6 for all stages of application to final accreditation.
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138 5.5. Accredited **Management Systems Certification Bodies – Unannounced Visits**: The following
139 requirements must be observed by both MSCBs and their certified clients:
140 5.5.1.When IAS assessors arrive unannounced at either MSCB location or MSCB certified
141 clients’ site, they must be permitted access to the facility, management system
142 documentation and all associated records. Please note that MSCBs have signed the
143 application for accreditation with IAS which requires compliance to the AC477, Rules of
144 Procedure for MSCBs and any published IAS policies and requirements.
145 5.5.2.The MSCB certified client must have a readily available copy of the last audit report issued
146 by the MSCB
147 5.5.3.Have demonstrable evidence of the certification process (e.g., Management Review,
148 internal audits, audit report, closure of findings, corrective action etc.).
149 5.5.4.IAS will only accept certified client’s audit report provided directly by the MSCBs.
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151 5.6. **Accredited Management Systems Certification Bodies – Transitions to IAS requirements,**
152 **international standards or IAF MDs**: The following is required when transitioning:
153 5.6.1.A transition plan to be provided by the MSCB to IAS
154 5.6.2.Qualified and experienced personnel
155 5.6.3.Audit records if any, relating to the transition or a witness assessment as needed
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157 5.7. **Applicant Management System Certification Body – Initial Accreditation**: The following
158 must be provided when seeking a quotation for accreditation:
159 5.7.1.Formal Application is through the IAS Portal

- 160 5.7.2. IAS Desired Scope of Accreditation Form. Template available in the IAS portal,
161 document titled "IAS-MSCB-Accreditation -- Desired Scope of Accreditation (Available
162 under "Scope Document" within portal)
- 163 5.7.3. Information regarding current or past accreditation status, including, but not limited to:
164 5.7.3.1. Any negative findings that are currently unresolved according to accreditation
165 body procedures
166 5.7.3.2. Any outstanding payment to an IAF member accreditation body
167 5.7.3.3. Any sanctions that have been brought against the CAB within the past five years
168 and the reasons for those sanctions.
169 5.7.3.4. Please note section 2.10 with regard to main office location
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171 **5.8. Applicant Management System Certification Body – Initial Assessment:** The following must
172 be provided prior to IAS scheduling of an initial assessment:

- 173 5.8.1. IAS online application form and associated fee
174 5.8.2. Proposed scope request (Desired Scope of Accreditation Form. Template available in
175 the IAS portal, document titled "IAS-MSCB-Accreditation -- Desired Scope
176 of Accreditation)
177 5.8.3. Quality documentation and associated procedures (refer clause 10 of ISO/IEC 17021-
178 1:2015)
179 5.8.4. List of all auditors, relevant personnel and decision makers, including information on
180 the IAF codes, categories or technical areas for which listed individuals have
181 demonstrated competence (refer to clause 7.2 of ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015 and IAF
182 MD10)
183 5.8.5. List of all MSCB certified clients with names, addresses, client technical contacts and
184 email addresses and scope of certifications issued.
185 5.8.6. List of entities operating on behalf of the MSCB as defined under 2.10-2.15 for
186 performing certification activities..) (See IAF MD23)
187 5.8.7. List of countries in which certifications have been issued (See IAF MD23 and IAF
188 MD12). Please note that may prohibit issuance of certificates under IAS accreditation in
189 those countries that are identified under sanctions by the US State Department on their
190 website.
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192 **5.9. Applicant/Accredited Management Systems Certification Bodies – Onsite/Remote**

193 **Assessment:** The following must be provided prior to any office assessment:

- 194 5.9.1. Office Assessment
195 5.9.1.1. Arrangements for video/remote conferencing. This is applicable only when
196 remote assessment is approved by IAS.

- 197 5.9.1.2. Copy of latest quality documentation and supporting procedures, forms, work
198 instructions, etc.
- 199 5.9.1.3. Internal Audit/Management Review input/output evidence
- 200 5.9.1.4. Information on complaints and appeals received within the last four (4) years
- 201 5.9.1.5. Any internal corrective actions and the evidence supporting their closure and
202 verification
- 203 5.9.1.6. Certified customer files as requested by the assessment team
- 204 5.9.1.7. List of entities operating on behalf of the MSCB as defined under 2.10-2.15 for
205 performing certification activities. (See IAF MD23)
- 206 5.9.1.8. Evidence demonstrating the CAB's commitment to identifying, analyzing and
207 managing risks, including those relating to impartiality/conflict of interest (ISO/IEC
208 17021-1:2015 clause 5.2.3), liability and financing (ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015 clause
209 5.3.1), operational control (ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015 clause 6.2.1), personnel (ISO/IEC
210 17021-1:2015 clause 7.2.9), control of entities operating on behalf of accredited CABs
211 (IAF MD23 clause 1.1) and the specific risks associated with markets served (ISO/IEC
212 17021-1:2015 clause 9.1.4.2 g).

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214 **5.10. Applicant/Accredited Management System Certification Bodies - Witnessing:** The
215 following must be provided prior to any witness assessment (where applicable, the requirements
216 apply for both onsite and remote witnessing):

- 217 5.10.1. Schedule and information for witness audits to be conducted
- 218 5.10.2. Auditor documents (confidentiality/impartiality agreement, contract, competence
219 evaluation)
- 220 5.10.3. Audit program (full certification cycle)
- 221 5.10.4. Audit plan (specific to each audit being witnessed)
- 222 5.10.5. For initial accreditation, IAS requires stage 1 and stage 2 audits to be witnessed. This
223 applies for each sub scope (QMS, EnMS, ITMS etc.) requested by the CAB during the
224 application stage.
- 225 5.10.6. Logistical arrangements (e.g., travel, accommodation) for assessment team

226 **Note 1:** For witness audits, the number of auditors should not be more than double the number
227 of assessors (2 auditors:1 assessor) as this prevents an adequate assessment of CAB's
228 competence. Where this is not possible, CABs must seek permission from IAS head office to
229 exceed this ratio.

230 **Note 2:** For discipline-specific witnessing requirements, please refer to relevant applicable IAF
231 sub scope Mandatory Documents.

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233 5.11. **Accredited Management System Certification Bodies – Scope Expansion (Onsite/**

234 **Remote):** The following must be provided prior to any scope expansion assessment:

235 5.11.1. Remote Scope Expansion (when possible)

236 5.11.1.1. Information regarding competence of personnel involved with the certification
237 process (auditors, decision makers, application reviewers, personnel determining
238 audit time, etc.)

239 5.11.1.2. At least one complete customer file (application received to certificate issued)
240 demonstrating effectiveness of the certification process for the requested expansion.

241 5.11.1.3. Actions to address risks related to the scope expansion

242 5.11.2. Onsite Scope Expansion

243 5.11.2.1. Any Critical Code or Discipline that requires witnessing by the relevant ISO
244 standard or IAF MD, these must be witnessed prior to granting accreditation

245 5.11.2.2. The full scope of a certification body must be witnessed within the first
246 accreditation cycle. After the initial cycle, IAS reserves the right to reduce the
247 witnessing requirements so that full scope is witnessed within the next two cycles,
248 when appropriate

249 5.11.3. Scope Expansion during normal Surveillance/Reassessment

250 All of the above required information under 4.5.2 and:

251 5.11.3.1. Prior written notice to IAS and the assessment team (at least two weeks)

252 5.11.3.2. Any scope expansion requested while the assessment team is present may only
253 be conducted with authorization from the IAS head office

254 **Note:** For discipline-specific witnessing requirements, please refer to relevant IAF sub scope
255 Mandatory Documents.

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257 5.12. **Applicant/Accredited Management Systems Certification Bodies – Response to**

258 **Findings:** The following criteria must be met when responding to findings issued by IAS
259 personnel:

260 All finding responses must include effective Root Cause Analysis

261 5.12.1. Root cause analysis should include:

262 5.12.1.1. Identification of the root issue

263 5.12.1.2. Evaluation of additional impacts

264 5.12.1.3. Actions taken to address the immediate impacts

265 5.12.1.4. Actions taken to address ongoing impacts

266 5.12.1.5. Plan for verification of effectiveness of actions taken

267 5.12.1.6. Timeframe for completion of actions

268 5.12.2. All findings responses must include objective evidence (where applicable); objective
269 evidence must be:

- 270 5.12.2.1. Submitted in English
271 5.12.2.2. Appropriately identified and organized
272 5.12.2.3. Accompanied by a narrative describing the complete corrective action process
273 for the specific finding
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275 **6. LINKS TO ADDITIONAL REFERENCES**

- 276 6.1. Food Safety System Certification (FSSC) – www.fssc22000.com
277 6.2. International Accreditation Forum (IAF) – www.iaf.nu
278 6.3. International Organization for Standardization (ISO) – www.iso.org
279 6.4. Asia Pacific Accreditation Cooperation (APAC) – <https://www.apac-accreditation.org/>
280 6.5. IAF CertSearch – <https://www.iafcertsearch.org>
281 6.6. International Aerospace Quality Group (IAQG) – www.iaqg.org

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283 *These criteria were previously issued June 2013, February 2014, February 2015, February 2016, April 2017, September*
284 *2018, September 2019, and December 1, 2020 and July 14, 2021.*

Annex A: Informational Purposes only.

IAS Abbreviation	Main Scope (Standard) IAF Level 3	Additional Accreditation Document(s) IAF Sub scope Level 4	IAF MDs, External Requirements IAF Sub scope Level 4	Certification Standard(s) IAF Sub scope Level 5
QMS (Quality)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 17021-3:2017	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 5, 11, 12, 17, 23	ISO 9001:2015
EMS (Environmental)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 17021-2:2016	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 5, 11, 12, 17, 23	ISO 14001:2015
OHSAS (Occupational)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 17021-10:2018	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 5, 11, 12, 17, 22, 23	ISO 45001:2018
FSMS (Food Safety)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/TS 22003:2013	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 16, 23	ISO 22000:2018
FSSC (Food System)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/TS 22003:2013	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 16, 23	FSSC 22000 V5.0
ISMS (Information Security)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 27006:2015	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 13, 23	ISO/IEC 27001:2013
ITSMS (Info. Tech. Service)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 20000-6:2017	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO/IEC 20000-1:2018
BCMS (Business Continuity)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-6:2014	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 22301:2019
MED-QMS (Medical Quality)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	N/A	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 23	ISO 13485:2016
EnMS (Energy)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO 50003:2014	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 50001:2018
ABMS (Anti-Bribery)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-9:2016	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 37001:2016
GHG-VVB (Green House Gas)	ISO/IEC 17021-4:2015	ISO 14066:2011 ISO 14064-1:2018	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 6, 11, 12, 14, 23	ISO 14065:2013

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		ISO 14064-2:2019 ISO 14064-3:2019		
AMS (Asset Man.)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-5:2014	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 55001:2014
LS-ET-SP (Learning Services)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	N/A	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 29990:2010
ESMS (Event Sustain.)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-4:2013	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 20121:2012
RTSMS (Road Traffic)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-7:2014	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 39001:2012
SDCMS (Sustain. Comm. Dev.)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC TS 17021-8:2019	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 37101:2016
FMMS (Facility Management)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC DTS 17021-11:2018	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 41001:2018
EOMS (Educational Organizations)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	N/A	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO 21001:2018
PIMS (Privacy Information MS)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	ISO/IEC 27006:2015 ISO/IEC 27001:2013	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO/IEC 27701:2019
CMS (Compliance Management Systems) (IN DRAFT INTERNATIONAL STANDARD PHASE)	ISO/IEC 17021-1:2015	TBD	IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, 23	ISO/DIS 37301

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International Aerospace Quality Group (IAQG)	ISO/IEC 17021- 1:2015		IAF MD 1, 2, 4, 5 11, 17, 23 and IAF ID 1	AS 9104/1

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Disclaimer:

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1. Where IAF requirements referenced in the above table are in transition, browse the IAF Website Publications page for latest versions of the IAF Mandatory Documents (MDs).

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2. All standards listed above for the relevant sub scopes are considered current at the time of this publication, please consult the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) or the specific Standards Development Organization

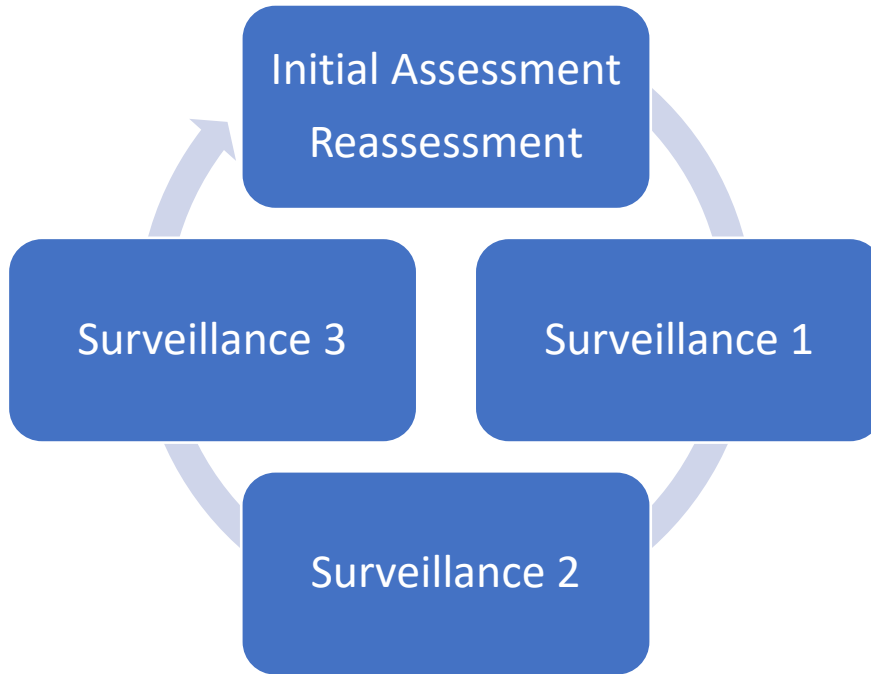
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 296 Annex B: IAS ACCREDITATION CYCLE for Office Assessment
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Example of MSCB Assessment Schedule *	Initial Accreditation Decision date to next Surveillance Assessment 1 date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 1 Assessment Date to Surveillance 2 Assessment Date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 2 Assessment date to Surveillance 3 Assessment date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 3 assessment date to Reassessment 1 date (12 months apart)
	June 1, 2019 to June 1, 2020	June 1, 2020 to June 1, 2021	June 1, 2021 to June 1, 2022	June 1, 2022 to June 1, 2023

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 301 2nd Cycle

Example of MSCB Assessment Schedule*	Reassessment 1 date to next Surveillance Assessment 1 date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 1 Assessment Date to Surveillance 2 Assessment Date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 2 Assessment date to Surveillance 3 Assessment date (12 months apart)	Surveillance 3 assessment date to Reassessment 2 date (12 months apart)
	June 1, 2023 to June 1, 2024	June 1, 2024 to June 1, 2025	June 1, 2025 to June 1, 2026	June 1, 2026 to June 1, 2027

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 303 * Depending on the relevant IAF MDs' witness requirements for specific sub scopes, some
 → 304 MSCBs shall be visited on an annual basis.