## **Response to the IFAC Part 2, SMO Self-Assessment Questionnaire**

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	IFAC Part 2 SMO Self-Assessment			
1.	SMO 1			
1.1.	Quality Assurance Program			
1.1.1.	Quality Assurance Review Program In your jurisdiction is there a mandatory quality assurance review program in place for members of your organization performing audits of financial statements of	10	Yes	
	listed companies?	20	No	
1.2.	Responsibility for Quality Assurance - Overview	20	110	
1.2.1.	<i>Responsibility for Quality Assurance</i> Within your jurisdiction, is your organization responsible for monitoring the quality of the work of your members performing audits of financial statements? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	Yes - for all audits of financial statements	
	aff. strang,	20	Yes - for all audits except those of listed entities	

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		30	Our organization shares responsibility for the quality assurance program with another body	
		40	No, responsibility for quality assurance for all audits rests with another body	
		50	Other (please describe)	
		60	Not applicable - no members of our organization perform audits of listed entities	
1.2.6.	<i>Quality Assurance (Member Body) All</i> <i>Audits - Scope</i>			
	What types of engagements are included in the scope of the quality assurance review program? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Financial statement audit - listed entities (minimum requirement)	
		21	Financial statement audit - audit of other than listed entities	
		3□	Other services (e.g., review,	
		4□	compilation) Insolvency	
		5□	Other (please specify)	
1.4.	Member - Benchmarking		·······	
1.4.1.	Quality Control Standards and Guidance			
1.4.1.1.	<i>Quality Control Standards</i> Has your organization established and published quality control standards requiring firms to implement a system of quality	10	Yes	

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	control in accordance with International Standard on Quality Control 1?		
	•	20 No	
1.4.1.3.	<i>Quality Control Standards - Name</i> State the name of the relevant quality control standards.	NBAA adopted ISQCI and all auditing firms are required to comply. NBAA has issued Audit Quality Review Guidelines used by reviewers in checking compliance with ICQS1.	
1.4.1.4.	Other Quality Control Guidance Has your organization established and published other quality control guidance to assist your members to understand the objectives of quality control and to implement and maintain appropriate systems of quality control?	10 Yes 20 No	
1.4.1.6.	Other Quality Control Guidance Follow Up What plans does your organization have for developing and issuing other quality control guidance for your members? If you do not have such plans, what special reasons or conditions for that fact exist?	2⊙ No Since the quality control exercise started only last year, we are learning from the outcome of this exercise in order to establish the way forward. We have started with small firms, later on we shall expand to medium and large firms. Firms are categorized by the number of partners with exceptions of the big four firms. Small firms	

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		firm	e one to three partners, medium s have four to five partners and e firms has more than five ners.	
1.4.2.	Design of the Quality Assurance Review Program			
1.4.2.1.	Subject of the QA Review Program Who is the subject of the quality assurance review program?	11	Audit firm	
	le new program.	2□	Partner	
1.4.2.2.	Audit Firm As the audit firm is the subject of the quality assurance review program, the quality assurance program should be designed, as required by SMO 1, to obtain reasonable assurance that:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>The firm has an adequate system of quality control relating to audits of financial statements of listed entities (and of other entities or engagements that are also included in the scope of the review).</li> <li>The firm complies with that system.</li> <li>The firm and engagement teams have adhered to professional standards and regulatory and legal requirements in performing audits of financial statements selected for review.</li> </ul>			

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	Does the quality assurance program contain all three of these elements?			
		20	No	
1.4.2.5.	Publication of Scope Does your organization publish a description of the scope and design of its quality assurance review program?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.2.7.	<i>Name of Documents</i> Please name the published document(s) that describe the scope and design of the quality assurance review program.		Audit Quality Review lelines and Checklist	
1.4.2.8.	<i>Location of Documents</i> Please indicate where the document(s) that include details on the scope and design of the quality assurance program can be located (e.g., provide internet address or indicate that documents are available from your organization).	Avai	ilable from our organization	
1.4.3.	Review Cycle			
1.4.3.1.	Selection Approach Please select the approach used to select subjects for quality assurance review. Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Cycle approach	
		2□	Risk-based approach	

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1.4.3.2.	<i>Cycle Approach - Firm</i> As the audit firm is the subject of the review, please indicate the maximum number of years in the review cycle:	10	1 year	
1404		20 30 40 50 60	2 years 3 years 4 years 5 years 6 or more years	
1.4.3.4.	<i>Cycle Greater Than Three Years</i> As the review cycle is more than the three year cycle recommended by SMO1, please provide an explanation for adopting a longer cycle.	last cycl to m	have just started this exercise year and we thought a longer e period will give us more time aster the AQR techniques and hanisms	
1.4.4.	Implementation of the Quality Assurance Program			
1.4.4.1.	Date of Implementation On what date did the quality assurance review program commence? (provide month/year)	10/1	/2005	
1.4.4.2.	Number of Reviews - 2005 How many quality assurance reviews were completed during the year ended December 31, 2005 (or other 12 month period ending in 2005)?	4		

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1.4.4.3.	Number of Reviews - 2004 How many quality assurance reviews were completed during the year ended December 31, 2004 (or other 12 month period ending in 2004)?	0		
1.4.4.4.	Number of Reviews - 2003 How many quality assurance reviews were completed during the year ended December 31, 2003 (or other 12 month period ending in 2003)?	0		
1.4.5.	Quality Assurance Review Team Procedures			
1.4.5.1.	Publication of Review Guidelines Does your organization publish guidelines for procedures to be followed by quality assurance review teams?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.5.2.	<i>Name of Guidelines</i> State the name of the published document(s) that include the procedures required to be followed by quality assurance review teams.		R Guidelines and Checklist	
1.4.5.4.	<i>Location of Guidelines</i> How can the document(s) that include the procedures required to be followed by	Avai	ilable in our organization	

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	quality assurance review teams be located (e.g., provide internet address or indicate that documents are available from your organization)?			
1.4.5.5.	<i>Content of Guidelines</i> SMO 1 requires that the procedures to be performed during the quality assurance review include:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>a. An assessment of the system of quality control relating to audits of financial statements of listed entities (minimum requirement)</li> <li>b. Sufficient review of the quality control policies and procedures and reviews of engagement working papers to evaluate: <ul> <li>The functioning of that system of quality control, and compliance with it; and</li> <li>The compliance with professional standards and regulatory and legal requirements in respect of audits of financial statements</li> <li>c. Review of engagement working papers</li> <li>d. Specific requirements regarding documentation of the review</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			
	Does your quality assurance review program include requirements for all of these procedures?			

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		20	No	
1.4.5.7.	<i>Review of Engagement Working Papers</i> SMO 1 requires procedures to be performed for the review of engagement working papers, including the evaluation of:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>The existence and effectiveness of the system of quality control implemented by the subject of the review;</li> <li>Compliance with professional standards and regulatory and legal requirements in performing the engagement;</li> <li>The sufficiency and appropriateness of evidence documented in the working papers; and</li> <li>Whether the auditor's reports are appropriate in the circumstances.</li> </ul>			
	Does your quality assurance review program include requirements for all of these procedures?	20	No	
1.4.5.9.	Documentation	20	NU	
1.1.0.7.	Do the procedures to be performed by the quality assurance review team require documentation:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>of evidence supporting the quality assurance review report; and</li> <li>that establishes that the quality assurance</li> </ul>			

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	review was carried out in accordance with the established guidelines.			
	Are both of these requirements included in the quality assurance review program?			
		20	No	
1.4.6.	The Quality Assurance Review Team			
1.4.6.1.	Skills and Competence			
	Members of the quality assurance review team should have the necessary competencies to perform expected work. As required by SMO 1, these competencies should include:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>Appropriate professional education</li> <li>Relevant professional experience</li> <li>Specific training on performing quality assurance reviews</li> </ul>			
	Does the quality assurance review program require members of the quality assurance review team to have all three of these competencies?			
	-	20	No	
1.4.6.3.	<i>Certification/Credentials</i> Are members of the quality assurance review team required to possess certification or credentials issued by your organization to be eligible to serve as team members?	10	Yes	

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		20	No	
1.4.6.5.	Quality Assurance Review Team Leader Where more than one reviewer is used to conduct a review, is a quality assurance review team leader assigned for each quality assurance review assignment?	10	Yes	
	assurance review assignment.	20	No	
1.4.6.7.	<i>QA Review Team Leader - Responsibilities</i> As required by SMO 1, the responsibilities of the quality assurance review team leader should include:	10	Yes	
	<ul> <li>Supervision of the quality assurance review.</li> <li>Communication of the quality assurance review team's conclusions to the subject of the review.</li> <li>Preparation of the quality assurance review report.</li> </ul>			
	Does the quality assurance program place all these responsibilities on the review team leader?			
1460		20	No	
1.4.6.9.	Size of Quality Assurance Review Team Please estimate the average number of reviewers included on a review team.	2		

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	Review Team			
1.4.7.1.	<i>Exemption for QA Reviewers</i> Does your organization exempt members from professional client confidentiality requirements concerning audit engagement working papers for the purpose of quality assurance reviews?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.7.2.	<i>Exemption for QA Reviewers Follow Up</i> Please explain why your organization does not exempt reviewers from professional client confidentiality requirements concerning audit engagement working papers for the purpose of quality assurance reviews?	revie of in	essional ethics requires the ewer to observe confidentiality formation he comes across ng the review exercise.	
1.4.7.3.	<i>Confidentiality Requirements</i> Is the quality assurance review team required to follow professional confidentiality requirements similar to those established for professional accountants performing audits of financial statements?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.8.	Ethical Requirements and QA Review Team			
1.4.8.1.	<i>Fundamental Principles</i> Are the fundamental principles set out in the IFAC Code of Ethics (relevant national ethical requirements) considered in relation to the quality assurance review team's	10	Yes	

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	conduct of a review?			
		20	No	
1.4.8.3.	<i>Consideration of Independence</i> Quality assurance review team members are expected to be independent of the member (i.e., the accountant or firm being reviewed) and the member's clients selected for review.	10	Yes	
	Do those who select and approve a review team determine whether the independence of the quality assurance review team leader and each member of the quality assurance review team has been reasonably assured?			
		20	No	
1.4.8.5.	<i>Reciprocal Reviews</i> Where the review is performed by team members from a single firm (e.g., a "peer review"), please indicate whether firms are permitted to perform reciprocal quality assurance reviews.	10	Yes, reciprocal reviews are permitted	
	assurance reviews.	20	No, reciprocal reviews are not permitted	
		30	Not applicable - peer review is not used	
1.4.9.	Reporting			
1.4.9.1.	Quality Assurance Review Report Is the quality assurance review team leader required to issue a written quality assurance review report to the reviewed firm or partner upon completion of each quality assurance	10	Yes	

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	review assignment?	20	No	
1.4.9.3.	<i>Contents of Report</i> As required by SMO 1, the quality assurance review report should include the following elements:		Yes	
	<ul> <li>The review guidelines (referred to in Question 1.4.5.1) utilized by the quality assurance review team.</li> <li>Recommendations for areas of improvement at both firm wide and engagement level.</li> </ul>			
	Does the quality assurance program require both of these elements to be included in the report?	20	No	
1.4.9.5.	<i>Contents of Report - Firm</i> As required by SMO 1, the quality assurance review report should include the following conclusions:			
	<ul> <li>Whether the firm's system of quality control has been designed to meet the requirements of the applicable quality control standards;</li> <li>Whether the firm has complied with its system of quality control during the period</li> </ul>			

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	under review; and - Reasons for reaching negative conclusions on either or both of the above.			
	Does the quality assurance program require all of these elements to be included in the report?			
	•	20	No	
1.4.9.8.	<i>Response to Reporting</i> Is the subject of the review required to provide a timely written response to the recommendations and conclusions of the quality assurance review report, including planned actions and expected time of completion or implementation?	10	Yes	
	* *	20	No	
1.4.9.10.	<i>Reporting to the Public</i> Does your organization prepare and make available to the public (and upon request from regulatory authorities) an annual report summarizing the results of the quality assurance review program?	10	Yes	
1.4.9.11.	Reporting to the Public Follow Up	20	No	
1.4.7.11.	Please explain why your organization does not prepare an annual report summarizing the results of the quality assurance review program available to the public?		are hardly a year since we ed the AQR exercise.	
1.4.10.	Corrective and Disciplinary Actions			

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1.4.10.1.	<i>Corrective Actions Required</i> Does your organization require each of its members to make appropriate corrections to its system of quality control, or in its compliance with policies and procedures?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.10.3.	Disciplinary Actions If one of your members subsequently fails to demonstrate compliance with professional standards and regulatory and legal requirements, do you take appropriate disciplinary action?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
1.4.10.5.	<i>Linkage with Disciplinary Actions</i> Does your organization clearly establish a link between less than satisfactory results of quality assurance reviews and the initiation of corrective and disciplinary actions under its disciplinary system?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
2.	SMO 2			
2.1.	<i>MB Membership Requirements</i> Which of the following are required for individuals to be admitted as members in your organization? Select all the options that are appropriate.	11	Complete a program of professional accountancy education	
		21	Complete a practical experience requirement	

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		31	Complete a final assessment of the individual's professional capabilities and competencies	
		4□	None of the above	
2.2.	Continuous Professional Development Is there a requirement for your members to develop and maintain competence through continuous professional development	10	Yes	
	(CPD)?	20	Na	
2.3.	Professional Accountancy Education	20	No	
2.3.1.	<ul> <li>Professional Accountancy Education</li> <li>Program</li> <li>Who delivers the professional accountancy education program for your members?</li> <li>Select all the answer options that are appropriate.</li> </ul>	10	Our organization	
	- F F - F	2□ 3☑ 4☑ 5□ 6□	Another IFAC member body Universities Approved training institutions Government bodies Other organizations	
2.3.2.	<i>Describe Other Organizations</i> Where your response in question 2.3.1 indicates another IFAC member body, universities, approved training institutions, and / or other organizations deliver the professional accountancy education program, describe these organizations and	have appr	v are accreditation bodies that legal authority to evaluate and ove programs of Universities other institution of higher	

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	their legal authority to deliver the program. (Include the name of the other IFAC member body where relevant).		
2.3.3.	<ul> <li>Prof Accountancy Education Program Follow Up</li> <li>Please describe how your organization ensures the professional accountancy education program, delivered by the organization in response to question 2.3.1., meets the required content.</li> <li>Include in your description the specific activities your organization undertakes with regards to the necessary content requirements.</li> </ul>	NBAA is involved in the following activities to ensure quality in professional accountancy education programs (i) Review and approve syllabus (ii) Moderation of examinations question papers and student scripts for core subject including accounting, auditing, financial management, cost and management accounting (iii) Physical visiting the accountancy training institutions to inspect quality	
2.11.	IES 5 Practical Experience Requirement		
2.11.1.	Approved Provider Section 2.11 deals with the practical experience requirement established by your organization. Does the practical experience requirement	10 Yes	
	have to be obtained with approved providers or employers?		

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		20	No	
2.11.2.	<i>Provider Characteristics</i> Please describe the characteristics set by your organization for recognizing approved providers.	Logi	ough the use of Graduate books under the supervision of loyers/practicing firms.	
2.11.4.	<i>Length of Practical Experience</i> What is the required length of pre- qualification practical experience? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	Three years	
		20	Less than three years	
		30	More than three years	
2.11.6.	Practical Application SMO 2			
2.11.6.1.	Practical Application Where relevant graduate (beyond under- graduate, e.g., masters) professional education has a strong element of practical accounting application, may any portion of the professional education be contributed to the practical experience requirement?	10	Yes	
	the practical experience requirement.	20	No	
2.11.7.	Timing of Experience			
2.11.7.1.	Pre or Post Qualification Experience The practical experience for accountants may be obtained (select all the answer options that are appropriate):	1□ 2□ 3☑	Before the professional accountancy education program of study At the same time as the professional accountancy education program of study After the professional	

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			accountancy education program of study	
2.11.7.2.	Describe Pre or Post Experience Describe the length of practical experience that may be obtained pre-qualification and / or post-qualification.	Thre	e years post qualification	
2.12.	IES 5 Monitoring of Practical Experience Requirement			
2.12.1.	Monitoring of Practical Experience Is the period of practical experience monitored?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
2.12.3.	Monitoring Practical Experience How is the practical experience requirement (or practical application) monitored and assessed? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	1□	Mentoring system	
	are appropriate.	2□	Approved training employers and organizations	
		3□	Self-declaration required	
		41	from the candidate Record of the practical experience is kept and submitted to the member body when applying for	
		5□	membership An assessment is made by the	
		6□	mentor or employer Other (please describe)	

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2.13.	IES 6 Assessment of Prof Capabilities and Competence			
2.13.1.	Assessment by IFAC Body or Other Section 2.13 deals with the final assessment requirements established by your organization. Select all the organizations involved in	11	Our organization (including training entities that are affiliated with our organization or a subsidiary of our organization).	
	conducting the final assessment. If the final assessment is conducted jointly between various organizations, select all those that have some responsibility for conducting the final assessment and in the Comment Box, describe the nature of their respective roles and responsibilities.			
		2□	Another IFAC member body	
		3□	Government or regulatory body	
		4□	Other	
2.13.4.	<i>Characteristics of Assessment</i> Which of the following characteristics are applicable to the final assessment process? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Uniform for all students	
	appropriate.	2□	Given simultaneously where it is being held in more than	
		31	once location in the country Assessment is set and assessed only by qualified or	

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		. –	approved individuals	
		4□	None of the above	
2.13.5.	<i>Qualifying for Final Assessment</i> What requirements must the candidate satisfy to take the final assessment? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Specified pre-qualification requirements relating to professional knowledge, professional skills, and professional values, ethics,	
		2□	and attitudes Specified practical experience requirements	
		3□ 4□	Other (please describe) None of the above	
2.13.6.	<i>Timing Considerations for Final Assessment</i> Is there a requirement or restriction for completing the final assessment? For example, some organization may require the candidate to take the final examination within a specified number of years of meeting the pre-assessment requirements.	10	Yes	
		20	No	
2.13.7.	<i>Requirement or Restrictions</i> Describe the requirements or restrictions relating to when the final assessment must be undertaken.	acco	niversity degree majoring in ounting or its equivalent ification.	
2.13.8.	Assess Professional Knowledge Describe in general terms how required professional knowledge (e.g. technical knowledge about accounting, finance, audit,	knov	required professional wledge is assessed during the assessment by setting high	

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	financial reporting, legislative requirements, information technology etc) is assessed during the final assessment.	standards examinations on accounting, finance, auditing, financial reporting, legislative requirements, and information technology.	
2.13.9.	Assess Professional Skills Describe in general terms how required professional skills (e.g. ability to solve problems, make decisions, exercise judgment, personal skills, interpersonal and communication skills, organizational and business management skills etc) are assessed during the final assessment.	The ability to solve problems, make decisions, exercise judgment, personal skills, interpersonal and communication skills, organizational and business management is assessed by setting high quality examinations which include cases of the real world experience.	
2.13.10.	Assess Professional Values, Ethics, Attitudes Describe in general terms how required professional values, ethics, and attitudes are assessed during the final assessment.	NBAA does enforce to Accountancy Institution to include in their curriculum the Code of Ethics	
2.13.11.	<i>Recorded or Oral Format</i> Is the final assessment conducted through:	<ul> <li>10 Recorded format with recorded (e.g. written) response required</li> <li>20 Oral format with oral responses</li> <li>30 Both recorded and oral</li> </ul>	

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			response formats	
2.13.13.	Assessment Formats What formats are used in conducting the final assessment (select all the answer options that are appropriate)?	11	Multiple choice questions	
		2☑ 3☑ 4□ 5□ 6□	Case studies Technical questions Thesis Other (please describe) None of the above	
2.13.14.	<i>Reliability and Validity</i> Describe in general terms the procedures in place to ensure the final assessments are reliable and valid. Include a description of how the assessment questions are set and by whom and also how reviewers / assessors are selected.	The NBAA final assessment (examinations) process is very reliable because of its own independent and highly qualified staff and trainers who are involved in setting and reviewing the final examinations.		
2.13.15.	Frequency of Final Assessments How many times in a year is the final assessment offered? Select the answer option that is the most appropriate.	10	Yearly (or once a year)	
	option and is the most appropriate.	20 30 40 50 60	Half yearly (or twice a year) Three sessions a year Four sessions a year Five sessions a year Other (please describe the frequency of the examinations)	

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2.14.	IES 7 Continuing Professional Development - CPD			
2.14.1.	<i>Responsibility for CPD Requirements</i> Section 2.14 deals with the continuous professional development requirements established by your organization.	11	Our organization	
	Who establishes the continuous professional development requirements applicable to your members? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.			
		2□	Another organization (state the name of the organization including whether it is an IFAC member body)	
		3□	Law and / or regulation (state the name of the law /	
		4□	regulation) Other (please describe)	
2.14.2.	<i>CPD and Professional Accountants</i> Which membership categories are required to maintain professional competence through continuous professional development? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	All our qualified members	
		21	Qualified members who perform audits of listed entities	
		3₽	Qualified members who perform audits of entities	

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			other than listed entities	
		41	Qualified members who	
			provide services (other than	
		_	audit) to the public	
		5⊠	Qualified members who are	
			employed in business	
		6	Other (please describe)	
2.14.3.	Requirement - CPD			
2.14.3.1.	Type of CPD Requirement	_		
	Which of the following answer options	1 🗹	Members must satisfy a	
	describes the way the continuous		number of hours of	
	professional development is structured?		continuous professional	
	Select all the answer options that are		development a year or over a	
	appropriate.		number of years	
		$2\square$	All members are to satisfy	
			specified content	
			requirements (e.g. specified	
			courses or knowledge	
			content)	
		3□	Members working in	
			specialist areas or areas of	
			high risk to the public are to	
			satisfy specified content	
			requirements (e.g. specified	
			courses or knowledge	
			content)	
		4□	Other	
2.14.3.3.	Hours of Continuous Professional			
	Development			

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	Which one of the following answer options best describes the continuous professional development hours required?	10	Members have to complete a minimum of 120 hours or equivalent learning units of relevant professional development activity over a three-year rolling period.	For members in practice 40 hours per year. For members in employment 30 hours per year. While for Accounting Technicians is 20 hours per year.
		20	Members have to complete a minimum of 20 hours or equivalent learning units in each year	
2.14.3.4.	Other Hours Follow Up	30	Other	
211 1121 11	Describe the continuous development hours required by members.	Members in practice - 40 hours Members in employment - 30 hours Accounting Technicians - 20 hours		
2.14.3.8.	<i>Monitoring of CPD</i> Is there a process to monitor whether your members who are qualified as professional accountants meet the continuous professional development requirements?	10	Yes, there is a monitoring process for CPD requirements	
		20	No, there is no monitoring process for CPD requirements	
2.14.4.	Monitoring of CPD Requirement			
2.14.4.1.	Monitoring Process SMO 2 Which of the following elements does the monitoring process include? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Professional accountants are required to submit a declaration	
		2□	Professional accountants are	

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		3□	required to submit evidence Our organization audits a	
			sample of professional	
			accountants to check	
			compliance	
		41	Compliance is monitored	
			through firm quality control	
			standards	
		5⊠	Compliance is monitored	
			through a quality assurance	
			review program	
		6□ 7□	Other (please describe) None of the above	
2.14.4.2.	Declaration and CPD SMO 2	/⊔	None of the above	
2.17.7.2.	Describe the matters addressed in the	11	Professional accountant's	
	declaration (select all that apply):		obligation to meet ethical	
			obligations	
		21	Professional accountant's	
			obligation to maintain	
			knowledge	
		3₫	Professional accountant's	
			obligation to maintain skills	
			to perform competently	
		4⊠	Compliance with CPD requirement	
		5□	Other (please describe)	
2.14.4.3.	Sanctions SMO 2	50	other (please describe)	
<u>2,17,7,</u> 3,	Where a professional accountant does not	10	Yes, sanctions or actions for	
	satisfy the CPD requirements (within a		non-compliance are imposed	
	reasonable period of encouraging the		I FORT	

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	professional accountant to meet the requirements), are sanctions or other non- compliance actions, such as expulsion or denial of the right to practice, imposed?	20 No, sanctions or other non- compliance actions are not imposed	
2.14.4.4.	<i>Sanction Types and CPD</i> Describe the nature and extent of the sanction, expulsions or denial of the right to practice.	Warning, refusal to register one in a particular registration category, demotion of registration category, de-registration etc.	
2.15.	Activities to Promote IESs SMO 2 Please describe the activities your organization undertakes to promote and assist in implementing the pronouncements issued by IFAC's International Accounting Education Standards Board.	Conducting of CPD programs. Conducting of in-house training programs. Provision of reading literature including the publication of the professional accountancy journal and students news letter and provides opportunity for members to discuss on IASB and IFACs Exposure Drafts.	
3.	SMO 3		
3.1.	Auditing Standards in Law/Regulation Does law or regulation establish the set of auditing standards to be used in the audit of private sector listed entities and non-listed	1☑ Yes for audits of listed entities	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	entities? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.			
	Where the law / regulation establishes the auditing standards to be used by reference to the set of standards to be used by their name or by including the text of the standards in the law / regulation, please respond "yes" to this question. Section 3.8. of this module includes questions about the law / regulation.			
	Where the law / regulation gives authority to a national standard-setter to establish the auditing standards, please respond "no". Section 3.2. of this module includes questions about the standard-setter and the auditing standards that are established.			
	C	21	Yes for audits of non-listed entities	
		3□ 4□	No for audits of listed entities No for audits of non-listed entities	
3.8.	Law/Reg and Auditing Standards			
3.8.1.	Law/Reg Auditing Standards - Private Sector			
	Is there only one set of auditing standards or are the auditing standards applicable to listed entities different from non-listed entities?	10	The auditing standards for listed entities and non-listed entities are the same set of standards	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		20	The auditing standards for listed entities and non-listed entities are not the same set of standards	
3.8.2.	Auditing Standards for Private Sector			
	Does the law/regulation require the use of IAASB pronouncements? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	The law/regulation simply refers to IAASB pronouncements as the auditing standards (without bringing in the full or partial text of individual IAASB pronouncements)	
		20	The law/regulation contains the full text of each IAASB pronouncement	
		30	The law/regulation contains the basic principles and essential procedures of the IAASB pronouncement	
		40	The law / regulation has a requirement to use IAASB pronouncements using another approach (please describe)	
		50	The law / regulation requires the use of national standards with no reference to IAASB pronouncements	
3.8.9.	<i>MB Responsibilities and IAASB SMO 3</i> Does your organization have responsibility	11	Develop other authoritative	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	for any of the following activities? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.		pronouncements	
		2⊠ 3□	Promulgate the IAASB pronouncements established by law / regulation (e.g. by publishing or communicating the standards to the public) Other (please describe)	
		4□	None of the above	
3.8.10.	Authoritative Pronouncements and Law/Reg SMO 3 Please state the name of the other authoritative pronouncements and describe their purpose.	inter of au	ic notices e.g. Outsourcing of nal audit function, submission idited accounts to the Board for tiny etc.	
3.8.11.	<i>Describe Activities and Law/Reg SMO 3</i> Describe your organization's activities for promulgating and / or implementing the standards.	work	e of circulars, seminars and cshops, announcement in Board ications and NBAA website.	
3.9.	Law / Reg and MB Responsibilities SMO 3			
3.9.1.	Incorporation into Law/Reg SMO 3 Is information publicly available about the IAASB pronouncements that have been established into law/regulation, including:	10	Yes	
	The IAASB pronouncements that have been established into law / regulation;			

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	Whether the IAASB pronouncement established into law / regulation is the version in effect as at September 30, 2005; The effective date set by law / regulation where it differs from the IAASB pronouncement; The differences between the IAASB pronouncement and what was established into law / regulation; and The reasons for the differences?			
		20	No	
3.9.2.	Incorporation Description - Law/Reg SMO 3 If information about IAASB pronouncements that have been established into law / regulation is available in English, indicate this in your response and submit a copy of the information to Compliance Staff.	10	Yes, information is available and in English and will be submitted to Compliance Staff	
	If this information is not available, refer to the <a href="SMO 3 Comparison with&lt;br&gt;IAASB Pronouncements.doc">SMO 3: Comparison with IAASB Pronouncements</a> report by clicking on the link and complete it to the extent your organization is able to and submit it in Word format to Compliance Staff.			
	Indicate whether your organization will be			

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	submitting available information or the "SMO 3: Comparison with IAASB Pronouncements" report.			
		20	No, information is not available; however our organization or jointly with another IFAC member / associate will complete the "SMO 3: Comparison with IAASB Pronouncements" report and submit it to Compliance Staff	
		30	No, information is not available	
3.10.	Translation SMO 3			
3.10.1.	<i>Translation of IAASB Pronouncements</i> Are the IAASB pronouncements translated into a national language?	10	No as English is the national language or a widely spoken language	
		20	Yes, the IAASB pronouncements are translated	
		30	No and English is not an official language or is not widely spoken	
3.11.	Activities to Promote IAASB Pronouncements Please describe the activities your organization undertakes to promote and assist in the implementation of IAASB	circu	inars and workshop, issues of alars, announcement in NBAA buntant's journal.	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	pronouncements and other IAASB activities.			
4.	SMO 4			
4.1.	Responsibility and National Ethical Requirements			
4.1.1.	<i>IFAC MB and Ethical Requirements</i> Does your organization establish ethical requirements (e.g. code of ethics, code of conduct, ethics rules, member regulations, etc.) to be complied with by your members?	10	Yes, our organization does establish ethical requirements	
	Help text: In some countries, ethical requirements may be established on a regional, provincial, or state basis. Where this is the case in your country for the ethical requirements that apply to your members, please contact Compliance Staff for further instruction.	20	No, our organization does not establish ethical requirements	
4.1.2.	<i>IFAC MB and Convergence with IFAC Code</i> Has your organization implemented convergence with the IFAC Code of Ethics as an objective?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
4.1.9.	<i>IFAC MB Approach to Ethics</i> Which of the following options best describes your organization's activities to incorporate the IFAC Code?	10	Our organization adopted the IFAC Code as issued without modifications	
	For the purposes of the Part 2 SMO 4 module, modifications include:			

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
Deletion/omission of concepts, principles, or guidance that are established in the IFAC Code; Inclusion of concepts, principles, or guidance that are not in the IFAC Code; Other amendments that give rise to differences between your organization's ethical requirements and the IFAC Code.				
		20	Our organization adopted the IFAC Code but with modifications	
		30		
		40	Our organization develops our own ethical requirements and uses another approach to incorporate the IFAC Code of Ethics	
4.1.10.	<i>IFAC MB and Code - Eliminate Differences</i> Describe the process used to adopt the IFAC Code or the process used to eliminate differences between your organization's ethical requirements and the IFAC Code.	IFAC Code of Ethics was given to members for comments and then convened workshops and seminars for the discussion and deliberation, and then approval of the NBAA		

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		Gov	erning Board.	
4.2.	MB and Version of IFAC Code			
4.2.1.	Version of IFAC Code Which version of the IFAC Code was adopted or used as the basis for your organization's ethical requirements?	10 20 3⊙	The IFAC Code currently in effect, revised and issued in June 2004 A version issued prior to 2004 The revised IFAC Code issued and in effect June 30,	
4.3.	<i>Ethical Requirements by Gov / Reg Bodies</i> In addition to the ethical requirements established by your organization, are there also laws or regulations that set out ethical requirements to be complied with by your members?	10	2006 Yes	
		20	No	
4.4.	Gov / Reg Bodies and Ethical Requirements			
4.4.1.	<i>Gov/Reg Bodies - Ethical Requirements</i> Where ethical requirements applicable to your members are established in law or regulation, do they include any of the following types of laws and regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	1	There is a law / regulation (e.g. Audit Law, Accountants Law) that sets out ethical requirements to be complied with by all professional accountants	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		21	There is a law / regulation that sets out ethical requirements to be complied with by professional accountants who audit listed entities	
		31	There is a law / regulation that sets out ethical requirements to be complied with by professional accountants who audit entities other than listed entities	
		41	There is a law / regulation that sets out ethical requirements to be complied with by professional accountants who provide services to the public (other than as auditors of listed or other entities)	
		5⊠	There is a law / regulation that sets out ethical requirements for professional accountants employed in business None of the above	
4.4.3.	<i>Describe Law / Reg - Prof Accountants</i> Regarding your response to question 4.4.1 and the law / regulation for professional accountants, please:	NBA 1999	AA (Code of Ethics) by-laws advertising of professional aces is prohibited.	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text	Answer	Comments
	State the law / regulation's name; Provide a general description of the law / regulation; Describe how the law / regulation sets out the scope of professional accountants that it applies to.		
4.4.4.	Describe Law / Reg - Audit Regarding your response to question 4.4.1 and professional accountants who audit listed entities and / or other entities, please: State the law / regulation's name; Provide a general description of the law / regulation; Describe how the law / regulation sets out the scope of professional accountants that it applies to.	NBAA (Code of Ethics) by-laws 1999 advertising of professional services prohibited.	
4.4.5.	Describe Law / Reg - Other Services Regarding your response to question 4.4.1 and professional accountants who provide services to the public (other than as auditors or listed or other entities) please: State the law / regulation's name; Provide a general description of the law / regulation; Describe how the law / regulation sets out the scope of professional accountants that it applies to.	NBAA (Code of Ethics) by-laws 1999 advertising of professional services.	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text	Answer	Comments
4.4.6.	Describe Law / Reg - Employed Regarding your response to question 4.4.1 and professional accountants who are employed in business, please: State the law / regulation's name; Provide a general description of the law / regulation Describe how the law / regulation sets out the scope of professional accountants that it applies to.	NBAA (Code of Ethics) by-laws 1999 advertising of professional services.	
4.4.7.	<i>Gov/Reg and Convergence</i> Please explain whether your organization has undertaken any activities to promote the IFAC Code of Ethics to the relevant government or regulatory body that sets ethical requirements. Include in your explanation descriptions of any specific activities and the outcome or the reasons why such activities have not been undertaken.	Promoted through seminars and workshops to members same of whom are come from government and regulatory bodies.	
4.5.	<i>Comparison of Requirements SMO 4</i> Does your organization have information that identifies any differences between the IFAC Code of Ethics currently in effect or the revised Code and the national ethical requirements? In responding to this question, differences include:	10 Yes, our organization has this information and it will be submitted	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	Principles, concepts, and guidance in the			
	IFAC Code that are not addressed in the			
	national ethical requirements; Principles, concepts, and guidance in the			
	IFAC Code that are not equivalent to the			
	national ethical requirements;			
	Principles, concepts, rules, regulations, laws,			
	or other mandatory ethical requirements in			
	national ethical requirements that are not addressed in the IFAC Code.			
	addressed in the IFAC Code.			
	The phrase "national ethical requirements"			
	as used in this questionnaire refers to the			
	totality of ethical requirements established			
	by your organization and others including			
	government and regulatory bodies that are applicable to your members.			
	applicable to your members.	20	This information will be	
			submitted by another IFAC	
			member body	
		30	No, the information is not	
4.6.	Fundamental Dringinlag National		available	
4.6.1.	Fundamental Principles - National Integrity - Principle			
4.6.1.1.	Integrity			
	Do the national ethical requirements require	10	Yes, professional accountants	
	professional accountants to comply with the		are required to comply with	
	fundamental principle "integrity" as		the same principle	
	described in the revised IFAC Code?	20	Ver un franzis 1	
		20	Yes, professional accountants	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		30	are required to comply with a similar or equivalent principle The same or similar / equivalent principle has not been established	
4.6.1.2.	<i>Integrity Requirement</i> Is the principle set out in your organization's ethical requirements and / or in laws and regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Our organization's ethical requirements	
		21	Law that regulates professional accountants and / or auditors	
		3□ 4□	Securities regulation Other laws and / or regulation	
4.6.2.	<b>Objectivity - Principle</b>			
4.6.2.1.	<i>Objectivity</i> Do the national ethical requirements require professional accountants to comply with the fundamental principle "objectivity" as described in the revised IFAC Code?	10	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with the same principle	
		20	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with a similar or equivalent principle	
		30	The same or similar / equivalent principle has not been established	
4.6.2.2.	<i>Objectivity Requirement</i> Is the principle set out in your organization's ethical requirements and / or in laws and	11	Our organization's ethical requirements	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.			
		21	Law that regulates professional accountants and / or auditors	
		3□ 4□	Securities regulation Other laws and / or regulation	
4.6.3.	Professional Competence / Due Care - Principle			
4.6.3.1.	<i>Prof Competence / Due Care</i> Do the national ethical requirements require professional accountants to comply with the fundamental principle "professional competence and due care" as described in the revised IFAC Code?	10	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with the same principle	
		20	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with a similar or equivalent principle	
		30	The same or similar / equivalent principle has not been established	
4.6.3.2.	Prof Competence / Due Care Req Is the principle set out in your organization's ethical requirements and / or in laws and regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Our organization's ethical requirements	
		21	Law that regulates professional accountants and /	
		3□	or auditors Securities regulation	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		4□	Other laws and / or regulation	
4.6.4.	<b>Confidentiality - Principle</b>			
4.6.4.1.	<i>Confidentiality</i> Do the national ethical requirements require professional accountants to comply with the fundamental principle "confidentiality" as described in the revised IFAC Code?	10	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with the same principle	
		20	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with a similar or equivalent principle	
		30	The same or similar / equivalent principle has not been established	
4.6.4.2.	<i>Confidentiality Requirement</i> Is the principle set out in your organization's ethical requirements and / or in laws and regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Our organization's ethical requirements	
		21	Law that regulates professional accountants and / or auditors	
		3□	Securities regulation	
		4□	Other laws and / or regulation	
4.6.5.	Professional Behavior - Principle			
4.6.5.1.	Professional Behavior Do the national ethical requirements require professional accountants to comply with the fundamental principle "professional behavior" as described in the revised IFAC Code?	10	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with the same principle	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		20	Yes, professional accountants are required to comply with a	
		30	similar or equivalent principle The same or similar / equivalent principle has not been established	
4.6.5.2.	Professional Behavior Requirement Is the principle set out in your organization's ethical requirements and / or in laws and regulations? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Our organization's ethical requirements	
		21	Law that regulates professional accountants and / or auditors	
		3□	Securities regulation	
		4□	Other laws and / or regulation	
4.7.	Threats and Safeguards - National			
4.7.1.	<i>Threats and Safeguards</i> Do the national ethical requirements establish a framework or principle similar or equivalent to the threats and safeguards framework as described in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006)? Select the answer option that is the most appropriate.	10	Yes, our organization has a threats and safeguards framework or similar / equivalent framework in our ethical requirements	
		20	Yes, a threats and safeguards framework or similar / equivalent framework is in the ethical requirements established in law and / or	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		30	regulation No, a threats and safeguards framework, or similar / equivalent framework has not been established in the national ethical requirements	
4.7.3.	<i>Threats and Safeguards - Other</i> Please describe the threats and safeguards framework or similar requirement established by your organization or law / regulation.	lowe	ning, demotion from higher to er category, refusal of stration de-registration.	
4.7.4.	Application of Framework SMO 4 Which of the following does the threats and safeguards framework, or similar / equivalent requirement, apply to? Select the answer option that is the most appropriate.	10	All professional accountants	
		20	Only to independence requirements relating to professional accountants in public practice.	
		30	Other	
4.8.	Ethical Behavior Resolution			
4.8.1.	<i>Identifying and Resolving Unethical</i> <i>Behavior</i> Are there specific requirements and guidance provided to assist your members in identifying and resolving ethical matters? Select all of the answer option that are appropriate.	11	Yes, our organization has developed requirements for identifying and resolving ethical matters	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		2□	Yes, government, regulatory, or oversight bodies have developed requirements for identifying and resolving	
		3□	ethical mattes No, there is no such requirements or guidance	
4.8.2.	<i>MB and Ethical Conflict Resolution</i> Are the ethical conflict resolution requirements and guidance adopted from the IFAC Code or similar / equivalent to the guidance in the Code? Select the answer option that is the most appropriate.	10	Yes, the requirements and guidance are adopted from the IFAC Code	
	option that is the most appropriate.	20	Yes, the IFAC Code was used as a model in developing the requirements	
		30	Yes, the requirements are similar / equivalent to the IFAC Code	
		40	No, the requirements differ from the IFAC Code	
4.9.	Independence and Threats So Significant			
4.9.1.	Provisions and Threats to Independence The "SMO 4: Provisions Relating to Threats to Independence" report refers to specific provisions of Section 290 of the revised IFAC Code of Ethics that are currently in effect. Section 290 requires members of assurance teams, firms, and when	10	Our organization will complete the "SMO 4: Provisions Relating to Threats to Independence" report	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	applicable, network firms be independent of assurance clients and describes specific circumstances that may give rise to threats to independence.			
	Where Section 290 is applicable to your members, the <a href="SMO 4 Comparison&lt;br&gt;of Threats to Independence.doc">SMO 4: Provisions Relating to Threats to Independence report</a> should be completed and submitted to Compliance Staff. Alternatively, where this information is available in another format it can be submitted instead of the report. Select the option below to confirm the information to be submitted.			
	Help text: Section 290 of the revised Code of Ethics is currently in effect. Section 290 describes specific provisions that may give rise to threats to independence that are so significant, no safeguards are available to reduce the threat to an acceptable level. For some provisions the Code describes the actions that are available to address the threat.	20	Our members provide assurance services; however, another IFAC member body will complete the "SMO 4; Provisions Relating to Threats to Independence" report or provide the relevant information to Compliance Staff.	
	uneat.	30	Our members do not provide assurance services; therefore, Section 290 and the	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
			Provisions Relating to Threats to Independence is not applicable to our	
			organization.	
4.10.	National Ethical Requirements - Other			
4.10.1.	National - Prof Accountants			
4.10.1.1.	National Additional - Prof Accountants Are there rules, regulations, laws, or other mandatory ethical requirements established by your organization, government, regulatory or other bodies that your members must comply with but are not addressed in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006)?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
4.10.1.2.	National Conflicts - Prof Accountants Are there principles, concepts, and guidance in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006) that conflict with national ethical requirements applicable to your requirements?	10	Yes	
	-	20	No	
4.10.1.3.	National Comparison - Prof Accountants Please provide a general description about the additional national ethical requirements or conflicts with the revised IFAC Code. This information may be submitted as a separate document to Compliance Staff.	1999 acco	AA (Code of Ethics) by-laws Which prohibit professional ountants from advertising essional services.	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
4.10.2.1.	<i>National Additional - Public Practice</i> Are there rules, regulations, laws, or other mandatory ethical requirements established by your organization, government, regulatory or other bodies that are applicable to your members who are professional accountants in public practice that are not addressed in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006)?	10	Not applicable as our members do not operate as professional accountants in public practice	
		20	Yes	
4.10.0.0		30	No	
4.10.2.2.	National Conflicts - Public Practice Are there principles, concepts, and guidance in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006) that conflict with national ethical requirements applicable to your members who are professional accountants in public practice?	10	Not applicable as our members do not operate as professional accountants in public practice	
		20 30	Yes No	
4.10.2.3.	National Comparison - Public Practice Please provide a general description about the additional national ethical requirements or conflicts with the revised IFAC Code. This information may be submitted as a separate document to Compliance Staff.	NBA 1999 acco	AA (Code of Ethics) by-laws which prohibits professional untants from advertising essional services.	
4.10.3.	National - Business			
4.10.3.1.	<i>National Additional - Business</i> Are there rules, regulations, laws, or other	10	Not applicable as our	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	mandatory ethical requirements established by your organization, government, regulatory or other bodies that are applicable to your members who are professional accountants in business that are not addressed in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006)?		members do not operate as professional accountants employed in business	
		20	Yes	
4.10.3.2.	National Conflicta Dusiness	30	No	
4.10.3.2.	National Conflicts - Business Are there principles, concepts, and guidance in the revised IFAC Code (effective June 30, 2006) that conflict with national ethical requirements applicable to your members who are professional accountants employed in business?	10	Not applicable as our members do not operate as professional accountants employed in business	
		20	Yes	
		30	No	
4.10.3.3.	National Comparison - Business Please provide a general description about the additional national ethical requirements or conflicts with the revised IFAC Code. This information may be submitted as a separate document to Compliance Staff.	1999 acco	AA (Code of Ethics) by-laws prohibit professional untants from advertising essional services.	
4.11.	<i>Translation of IFAC Code</i> Has your organization or others (e.g. government or regulatory body) translated the IFAC Code (in effect) or earlier versions of the Code? Select all the answer options	11	No, as English is an official language or widely spoken language	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	that are appropriate.			
		2□	Yes, our organization has translated the IFAC Code	
		2□		
		20	Yes, a government, regulatory, or other body has	
			translated the IFAC Code	
		4□	No, the IFAC Code has not	
			been translated and English is	
			not an official language or	
			widely spoken language	
4.15.	Activities to Promote IFAC Code of Ethics Please describe the activities your	Som	inars, Journal, Training,	
	organization undertakes to promote and		kshops.	
	assist in implementing the pronouncements		isitops.	
	(e.g. IFAC Code of Ethics) and work of			
	IFAC's International Ethics Standards Board			
	for Accountants.			
5.	SMO 5			
5.1.	Public Sector Accounting Standards -			
	Objective			
	Has the federal government / national	10	Yes	
	government established convergence with International Public Sector Accounting			
	Standards (IPSASs) as an objective?			
	Standards (II SASS) as an objective?	20	No	
		30	Information is not available	
			or not known	
5.3.	Convergence and IPSASs			

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	Which of the following best describes government's convergence objective? Select the answer option that is the most appropriate.	11	IPSASs are adopted as drafted without amendments	
	. FL France	2□	IPSASs are adopted with amendments	
		3□	National public sector accounting standards are developed with a process to eliminate differences between the national standards and IPSASs	
		4□	IPSASs are incorporated using another approach	
5.3.3.	<i>Comparison Information SMO 5</i> Is information about the IPSASs that have been incorporated (e.g. by adoption or other approaches) publicly available? Information should include the IPSASs issued and in effect that have been incorporated and differences between the IPSASs and national public sector accounting standards where differences exist.	10	Yes	
		20 30	No Our organization is not aware of such information	
5.4.	Activities to Promote IPSASB Pronouncements			
	Please describe the activities your organization undertakes to promote		Ve participate fully in Exposure its issued by IFAC.	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
	pronouncements issued by the International Public Sector Accounting Standards Board. Please provide an explanation where such activities have not been undertaken because they are not within the scope of your organization's objectives or work program.	<ol> <li>Our letter heads carry the emblem of IFAC.</li> <li>We have IFAC news section in our quarterly Accountant Journal.</li> <li>We participation in IFAC Board and General meetings</li> <li>NBAA was once represented in the IFAC's Board and Ethics committee.</li> </ol>		
6.	SMO 6			
6.1.	<i>Investigation and Discipline Program</i> In your jurisdiction is there a program for investigating and disciplining members of your organization for misconduct, including breaches of professional standards and rules?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.3.	Responsibility for Investigation and Discipline			
6.3.1.	Body Responsible for Investigation and Discipline Is your organization responsible for investigation and discipline of misconduct, including breaches of professional standards and rules by its individual members (and, if local laws and practices permit, by firms)? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	Yes, our organization has this responsibility	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		20	No, responsibility for investigation and discipline rests solely with an external body	
		30	Our organization shares responsibility for investigation and discipline with an external body	
		40	Other	
6.5.	SMO 6 - Detailed Assessment			
6.5.1.	Rules and Procedures for Investigation and Discipline			
6.5.1.1.	<i>Rules and Procedures</i> Does your organization establish in its constitution or rules the provisions and processes for the investigating and disciplining your members?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.5.1.3.	<i>Misconduct</i> In your jurisdiction, which of the following are considered "misconduct" as described in SMO 6 paragraph 4? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Criminal activity	
		21	Acts or omissions likely to bring the accountancy profession into disrepute	
		31	Breaches of professional standards	
		4☑	Breaches of ethical requirements	

Number	Question Title/Text/Help text		Answer	Comments
		5₫	Gross professional negligence	
		6⊠	A number of less serious	
			instances of professional	
			negligence that, cumulatively,	
			may indicate unfitness to	
		70	exercise practicing rights	
		7⊠	Unsatisfactory work	
( 5 0		8□	Other (please describe)	
6.5.2.	<i>Types of Sanctions</i> Which of the following actions can be	11	Reprimand	
	imposed by those who judge such issues:	1.	Reprintand	
	Select all the answer options that are appropriate.			
		21	Loss or restriction of practice	
			rights	
		3□	Fine/payment of costs	
		4☑	Loss of professional title	
			(designation)	
		5☑	Exclusion from membership	
		6	Other (please describe)	
6.5.3.	Provision of Information and Guidance to Members			
6.5.3.1.	Information and Guidance			
	Does your organization make each member	10	Yes	
	fully aware of:			
	- All provisions of the ethical code and other			
	applicable professional standards, rules and			
	requirements (and any amendments),			
	whether issued by IFAC or at the national			

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	level by the member body and - Consequences of non-compliance?			
		20	No	
6.5.3.2.	<i>Information and Guidance Description</i> Provide a brief description of how your organization meets this requirement of SMO 6.	in pla and l decise Gove estab	have a disciplinary mechanism ace. We have a disciplinary Ethics committee whose sions are approved by the erning Board. The law blishing the Board has also ided for an appeals hanism.	
6.5.4.	<b>Obligations to Report to Outside Bodies</b>			
6.5.4.1.	Reporting to Outside Bodies Is your organization obligated under local laws to report possible involvement in serious crimes and offences by its individual members or member firms to the appropriate public authority and disclose related information to that authority?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.5.5.	Approach to Proceedings What type of approach does your organization use to initiate investigation and discipline proceedings? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Information-based	
	options and dro appropriate.	2⊠ 3□	Complaints-based Other (please describe)	

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		4□	None of the above	
6.5.6.	Investigative Powers and Processes			
6.5.6.1.	<i>Powers</i> Does your organization have all required powers so that authorized personnel can carry out an effective investigation?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.5.6.3.	<i>Cooperation of Members</i> Do the powers to carry out an effective investigation include: Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	1 년 2 년 3 미	A requirement for members (and member firms) to co- operate in the investigation of complaints and to respond promptly to all communications from the member body Provision for sanctions in the event of failure to comply None of the above	
6.5.6.6.	<i>Expertise and Resource</i> Does your organization maintain appropriate expertise and adequate financial and other resources to enable timely investigative and disciplinary action?	10	Yes (please describe)	
		20	No	
6.5.6.7.	<i>Expertise and Resources Follow Up</i> What plans do you have for developing the	1. T	hrough recruitment and training	

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	appropriate expertise and resources required to enable timely investigative and disciplinary action, or if you do not have those plans, what special reasons or conditions for that fact exist?	of personnel 2. Increasing th generating capa	e revenue acity of the Board.	
6.5.6.8.	Independence and Subject of Investigation Does your organization in all cases, confirm at the start of the investigation that any individual chosen to assist in an investigation is independent from (a) the subject of the investigation, and (b) anyone connected with or interested in the matter investigated?	1 <b>•</b> Yes		
	Help text: If a conflict exists at the start of an investigation, or arises during the investigation, the chosen individual should immediately withdraw. Similar considerations apply equally to anyone else connected with the investigation and hearing of cases.	20 No		
6.5.6.10.	<i>Infrastructure</i> Which of the following best describes your organization's investigation and discipline infrastructure? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	investiga a separate to admini action 20 A single of	mittee/panel to the complaint and e committee/tribunal ster disciplinary committee/panel to he investigation and	

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		30	administer disciplinary action. Other	
6.5.6.12.	<i>Independent Review</i> Has your organization established and does it maintain a process for the independent review of complaints by clients and others where it has been decided by the investigation committee that the matter will not be referred to a disciplinary hearing?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.5.6.13.	Independent Review Follow Up Please explain why your organization has not established and maintained such a process.	inve man	due to the fact that the stigative process goes through y independent stages/levels ugh which the process checks f.	
6.5.7.	The Disciplinary Process			
6.5.7.1.	<i>Composition of Tribunal</i> Does the tribunal responsible for the disciplinary hearing contain a balance of professional expertise and outside judgment (e.g., composed of accountants and non- accountants)?	10	Yes (please describe)	The Governing Board which resolves on all ethical and disciplinary issues is made up of accountants and nonaccountants. Also the Appeals Board which handles appeals on decisions taken by the Governing Board is made up of Lawyers/Accountants

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		20	No	and Nonaccountants.
6.5.7.3.	<i>Conflicts</i> Are members of the investigation committee or the disciplinary tribunal permitted to serve on both at the same time, or in relation to the same case?	10	Yes	
		20	No	
6.5.7.5.	<i>Independence of Tribunal</i> Briefly describe how the disciplinary tribunal exhibits independence.	unde	an independent Appeals Board er the jurisdiction of the law plishing the NBAA.	
6.5.7.6.	Appeals Process Does your organization's rules: Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	1☑ 2☑ 3☑	Permit a qualified lawyer or other person chosen by the defendant to accompany and represent the defendant at all disciplinary hearings and to advise him or her throughout the investigative and disciplinary process Permit the defendant to appeal the conviction and any imposed sanction Permit any order made against the defendant to be suspended by the tribunal that convicted the defendant,	

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		4□	pending the hearing of that appeal Prohibit the appeal tribunal from including a prosecutor or a member of the first	
			tribunal, or any other individual who was concerned with the original conviction	
		5□	Require that the same procedures apply to the appeal process as apply to hearings before the disciplinary tribunal	
		6□	None of the above	
6.5.7.7.	Appeals Process Follow Up Please explain why your organization has not established the rules that were not selected.	impo rules	ause the Board has not seen the ortance of establishing those s given that the first three seem lequately provide for fairness.	
6.5.8.	Administrative Processes			
6.5.8.1.	<i>Elements of Administrative Processes</i> As a part of Investigation and Discipline administrative processes does your organization:	1□	Establish time limits for disposal (completion) of all cases	
	Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	21	Maintain and operate tracking	

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			mechanisms, to ensure that all	
			investigations and	
			prosecutions are promptly	
			handled, and that all	
			necessary action is taken at	
			the appropriate stage	
		31	Maintain a procedure	
			requiring (a) notification to	
			all persons employed or	
			otherwise participating in the	
			investigative and disciplinary	
			processes (or having access to	
			information concerning such	
			processes) of the importance	
			of maintaining	
			confidentiality, and (b) a	
			binding agreement to	
			maintain that confidentiality	
		4☑	Maintain secure and	
			confidential facilities for the	
			storage of case papers and	
			other evidence	
		5⊠	Maintain records of all	
			investigation and disciplinary	
			proceedings	
		6	None of the above	
6.5.8.2.	Elements of Administrative Processes Follow Up			
	Please explain why your organization has	It wi	ill not be practical to set time	
	not established the administrative processes		ts since investigations depends	

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	that were not selected.	on the nature, type and complexity of the case been investigated.	
6.5.8.3.	Case Numbers		
6.5.8.3.1.	2005 Heard Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases heard in 2005.	3	
6.5.8.3.2.	2004 Heard Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases heard in 2004.	1	
6.5.8.3.3.	2003 Heard Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases heard in 2003.	0	
6.5.8.3.4.	2005 Completed Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases completed in 2005.	2	
6.5.8.3.5.	2004 Completed Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases completed in 2004.	1	
6.5.8.3.6.	2003 Completed Case Numbers		
	Indicate the number of cases completed in 2003.	0	
6.5.8.3.7.	Average time required for disposal of cases		
	Indicate the average time (in months)	3	
	required for the disposal (completion) of a case. This number should include both the		
	time spent on (a) the investigation of the		

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	complaints and (b) the disciplinary proceedings.			
7.	SMO 7			
7.1.	Accounting Standards in Law/Regulation Does law or regulation establish the set of accounting standards to be used for preparation of financial statements of private sector listed entities and non-listed entities? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	1	Yes, for financial statements of listed entities	
	Where the law / regulation establishes the accounting standards to be used by reference to the set of standards to be used by their name or by including the text of the standards in the law / regulation, please respond "yes" to this question. Section 7.8. of this module includes questions about the law / regulation.			
	Where the law / regulation gives authority to a national standard-setter to establish the accounting standards, please respond "no". Section 7.2. of this module includes questions about the standard-setter and the			
	accounting standards that are established.	2□ 3☑	Yes, for financial statements of non-listed entities No, for financial statements	

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		41	of listed entities No, for financial statements of non-listed entities	
7.2.	<b>Responsibility for Private Sector</b> Accounting Standards			
7.2.1.	Accounting Standards - Private Sector Is there only one group of accounting standards or are the accounting standards applicable to listed entities different from non-listed entities?	1 <b>0</b> 20	The accounting standards for listed entities and non-listed entities are the same set of standards The accounting standards for listed entities and non-listed entities are not the same set of standards	
7.2.6.	<i>Responsibility for Accounting Standards</i> Who has the authority establishing the accounting standards for listed and non- listed entities?	10	Our organization	
		20 30 40	Another IFAC member body Joint process between our organization and another IFAC member body Another organization	
7.3.	Member Body SMO 7			
7.3.1.	<i>MB Convergence Objective SMO 7</i> Where national accounting standards are established by your organization, has convergence with IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements been established as an objective? Select all the answer options that	11	Yes, for IFRSs	

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	are appropriate.			
		21	Yes, for other IASB pronouncements	
		3□	No, convergence has not been established as an objective	
7.3.3.	<i>MB Convergence Implemented SMO 7</i> Has the convergence objective been implemented? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	Yes, for IFRSs	
		21	Yes, for other IASB	
			pronouncements	
		3□	No, the convergence	
			objective has not been	
			implemented	
7.6.	Incorporation of Accounting Standards			
7.6.1.	Incorporation Approach SMO 7 Where your response indicates that convergence with IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements has been implemented, which of the following best describes the approach is used to incorporate IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements into national standards? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	IFRSs are adopted as drafted without amendments except to rename the IFRS as a national standard and / or to translate it into another language	
	Help text: Answer Option 1 and reference to "adopted without amendment" Select this option where IFRSs are adopted as drafted except for changes to: Rename the IFRS to a national standard	20	IFRSs are adopted as national standards and amended as necessary to address differences due to conflicts with legal or regulatory requirements	

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	name; Translate the IFRS into another language; Apply an effective date that differs from the IFRS.			
	Answer Option 2 and 3 - "Differences" In responding to this question, "differences" may include: Requirements in addition to those specified			
	in the IFRS; Deletion of main principle and / or related guidance specified in the IFRS; Modification of a requirement specified in			
	the IFRS (e.g. an IFRS requirement was not deleted in full because a similar requirement was included).			
		30	Existing national standards are compared with IFRSs to eliminate to the extent possible differences between the national standard and the	
		40	IFRS Other	
7.6.2.	Adoption SMO 7			
7.6.2.1.	<i>IASB Pronouncements Adopted</i> Which of the following IASB pronouncements have been adopted or incorporated? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.	11	International Financial Reporting Standards (including International Accounting Standards)	
	and are appropriate.	21	The International Financial	

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		3 <b>교</b> 4 <b>교</b>	Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) Interpretations The Standing Interpretation Committee (SIC) Interpretations Framework for the Preparation and Presentation	
7.6.2.2.	IASB Related Documentation Adopted IASB requires the standards to be read in the context of related documentation including: Bases for Conclusions, Implementation Guidance, Application Guidance, Appendices and Illustrative Examples. Have the related documentation issued by IASB been adopted? Select the answer option that is most appropriate.	10	of the Financial Statements Yes, for all the related documentation	
		20	Yes, for some of the related documentation (describe what types of related documentation have been adopted) No	
7.6.2.3.	Name of Standards SMO 7 When the IFRSs and/or other IASB pronouncements are adopted, does your organization rename the standards are do the standards retain their names as issued by the	10	IFRSs are adopted as named by the IASB	

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	IASB? Select all the answer options that are appropriate.			
		20	IFRSs are renamed	
7.6.2.5.	Information About Adopted Standards SMO 7			
	Is information publicly available describing: IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements that have been adopted; Whether the adopted IFRS or IASB pronouncement is the version in effect as at September 30, 2005; The effective date set by your organization where it differs from the IFRSs or IASB pronouncement?	10	Yes	
	•	20	No	
7.6.2.6.	Submit Information - Adopted SMO 7 If the standard-setter has issued information about the status of adopted IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements and it is available in English, indicate this in your response and submit a copy of the information to Compliance Staff.	10	The information is available and in English and will be submitted to Compliance Staff	
	If this information is not available, complete the <a href="SMO 7 Comparison with IASB&lt;br&gt;Pronouncements.doc">SMO 7: Comparison with IASB Pronouncements</a> report and submit it in Word format to Compliance Staff.			

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	Indicate whether your organization will be submitting available information or the "SMO 7: Comparison with IASB Pronouncements" report. Help text:	20	The "SMO 7: Comparison with IASB Pronouncements" report will be completed and submitted to Compliance Staff	
7.10.	Translation SMO 7			
7.10.1.	<i>Translation of IFRSs</i> Are the IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements translated into national language?	20	No, as English is an official language or widely spoken language Yes, the IFRSs are translated No and English is not an official language or is not widely spoken	
7.11.	<i>Promotion Activities SMO 7</i> Please describe the activities your organization undertakes to promote and assist in the implementation of IFRSs and other IASB pronouncements and activities.	<ol> <li>W</li> <li>Publ</li> <li>W</li> <li>W</li> <li>Com</li> <li>IASI</li> <li>4. W</li> <li>to ou</li> </ol>	Ve are subscribers to the IASB. Ve do order the IASB ications. Ve do participate in menting on Exposure Draft by	

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8.1.	Complete Certification Once all required questions have been completed, the Certification of Chief Executive should be signed and submitted to Compliance Staff. Click <a href="Part 2&lt;br&gt;SMO Self Assessment&lt;br&gt;Certification.doc">here</a> to download a copy of the Certification form.	1⊠ 2□	Yes, the Certification of Chief Executive has been submitted	