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Deloitte Audit OOD leadership message

This report sets out the practices and processes that are currently employed by Deloitte Audit OOD, in accordance with the requirements of the European Union’s Regulation 537/2014 on specific requirements regarding statutory audit of public-interest entities and Article 62 of the Independent Financial Audit Act of the Republic of Bulgaria (“IFAA”) (Promulgated SG No. 10195/293.11.2016, effective 3.12.2016, as amended from time to time).

All information provided in this report relates to the situation of Deloitte Audit OOD on 31 December 2022, except if indicated otherwise.

Our responsibility and mission to society

The primary mission of an audit firm is to provide trust and reassurance to investors, creditors, and the capital markets by performing financial statement audits in accordance with auditing standards and expressing opinions on the financial statements. The audit firm is also expected to contribute to the development of the national economy as well as the enhancement of financial reporting capability and governance of audited companies. To fulfill our social mission, we must strive to acquire the latest accounting knowledge and deepen our understanding of audited companies’ businesses and industries. Also, we must constantly challenge ourselves to make judgments objectively from an independent standpoint based on high ethical standards.

In light of this social mission, we have placed audit quality and integrity as our highest priorities and these priorities have been instilled as part of our organizational culture. We also ensure that all of our members are well informed and aware of our priorities through leaders’ multi-channel communication and training. We conduct audits by properly exercising our professional knowledge and skepticism and candidly communicating with the audit committee and management of audited companies.

Dialogue with stakeholders

In recent years, the emergence of uncertain events such as the COVID-19 pandemic, climate change and increased geopolitical risks has made sustainability more important than ever. Against this background, the environment surrounding the capital market has also changed, with a rapid increase in public interest in ESG and other non-financial information, in addition to the digitalization and globalization of companies, and the expectations of stakeholders toward audit firms have become more sophisticated and diversified. We emphasize continuous dialogue with stakeholders, accurately capturing changing expectations and contributing to resolving social issues. To this end, we are promoting self-transformation, including audit transformation and talent development, which are the foundations of our firm.

1 Throughout this report, the terms “Deloitte, we, us, and our” refer to one or more of one or more of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited, its network of member firms, and their related entities. For more information about the Deloitte network, please see page 3 or https://www2.deloitte.com/global/en/pages/about-deloitte/articles/about-the-network.html.
Enhancement, standardization and efficiency of audit through digital transformation (DX)

We are actively introducing digital technology to our audits in the field to respond to the rapid DX of society. In addition, to utilize these digital technologies for further audit advancement, we are promoting various initiatives working together with the professionals. Through the use of fraud detection models using artificial intelligence (AI), we aim to conduct audits that can respond to fraud risks in a timely manner, and we will further advance our audits by sophisticating “Audit Analytics,” a data analysis method that has already been adopted for all audits of listed companies, and by utilizing “Omnia,” “Levvia,” and other auditing platforms commonly used across the Global Deloitte network.

Talent strategy as the foundation of audit quality

Due to changes in the auditing environment, the role of auditors has changed significantly and is expected to continue to change. However, no matter how the environment changes, talent is at the center of the final audit decisions and value delivery, and talent strategies are the foundation of audit quality. We place a high value on talent development in response to changes in the business environment, focusing on investments to attract and develop talent capable of responding to digitalization, globalization, etc., in addition to providing deep insights.

As we live in an age of rapid change, it is important to foster diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI); an environment where diversity of talent and thoughts are promoted and respected equally without prejudice. We believe that this is the foundation of high-quality audits. In a free and open environment, we place our shared values and professional ethics at the core, and the professionals are motivated to work while recognizing a diversity of values. We believe this will enable us to meet the expectations of our diverse stakeholders. We strive to create an organizational culture that emphasizes integrity and diversity in order to make it "easy to work" and "rewarding to work" as well as well-being that enables us to feel growth and happiness as human beings. We will continue to contribute to the fairness of society based on high audit quality and integrity, and always being trusted by our stakeholders.

This report provides you with an insight into our Firm and sets out our practices and processes, demonstrating our continued commitment to and investment in audit quality.

Sylvia Peneva  
Country Managing Partner and Statutory Manager  
Deloitte Audit OOD
Deloitte network

Deloitte Audit OOD: legal structure and ownership

Deloitte Audit OOD is connected to the Deloitte network through Deloitte Central Europe Holdings Limited, a member firm of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited. Deloitte Central Europe Holdings Limited, together with Deloitte France, Deloitte Germany, Deloitte Luxembourg, Deloitte Austria, Deloitte Portugal and Deloitte Turkey is a shareholder in Deloitte DCE GmbH (“DCE”), which is as well a member firm of Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited. The object of DCE is fostering of the collaboration among its shareholders as members of the global Deloitte network. DCE neither provides any professional services nor engages in commercial activities.

Deloitte Audit OOD is referred to throughout this report as “Deloitte Bulgaria”. Deloitte Central Europe, as an organization of entities organized under the umbrella of Deloitte Central Europe Holdings Limited, is referred to throughout this report as “Deloitte Central Europe”. Deloitte Central Europe Holdings Limited holds practice rights to provide professional services using the “Deloitte” name which it extends to Deloitte entities within its territory (Deloitte Central Europe, including Deloitte Bulgaria). Deloitte Bulgaria is authorized to serve as an auditor for clients in the Republic of Bulgaria.

Deloitte Bulgaria’s main scope of activity is independent financial audit of financial statements of enterprises, consultations and other services related to the independent financial audit, bookkeeping, and drawing out annual, interim and other financial reports in compliance with the Accountancy Act and implementation of auditing and accounting software, as well as other activities that are not prohibited by the law.

Deloitte Bulgaria does not have registered branches in the country or abroad.

Deloitte Bulgaria has a registered capital of BGN 5,000 /five thousand Bulgarian leva/ which is divided in 500 shares, each amounting to BGN 10 /ten Bulgarian leva/, distributed between its shareholders as follows:

- 248 shares representing 49.6% of the share capital belong to Deloitte Central Europe Holdings Limited, a company incorporated under the laws of Cyprus;
- 126 shares representing 25.2% of the share capital belong to Ms. Sylvia Peneva, a registered auditor; and
- 126 shares representing 25.2% of the share capital belong to Mr. Ahmed Hassan, a registered auditor.
Network description

The Deloitte network

The Deloitte network (also known as the Deloitte organization) is a globally connected network of member firms and their respective related entities operating in more than 150 countries and territories across the world. These separate and independent member firms operate under a common brand.

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited (DTTL or Deloitte Global)

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu Limited is a UK private company limited by guarantee incorporated in England and Wales. DTTL serves a coordinating role for its member firms and their related entities by requiring adherence to policies and protocols with the objective of promoting a consistently high level of quality, professional conduct, and service across the Deloitte network. DTTL does not provide professional services to clients, or direct, manage, control, or own any interest in any member firm or any member firm’s related entities.

“Deloitte” is the brand under which approximately 415,000 dedicated professionals and practitioners in independent firms throughout the world collaborate to provide audit and assurance, consulting, financial advisory, risk advisory, tax, and related services to select clients. These firms are members of DTTL. DTTL, these member firms and each of their respective related entities form the Deloitte organization. Each DTTL member firm and/or its related entities provides services in particular geographic areas and is subject to the laws and professional regulations of the particular country or countries in which it operates. Each DTTL member firm is structured in accordance with national laws, regulations, customary practice, and other factors, and may secure the provision of professional services in its respective territories through related entities. Not every DTTL member firm or its related entities provides all services, and certain services may not be available to attest clients under the rules and regulations of public accounting. DTTL, and each DTTL member firm and each of its related entities, are legally separate and independent entities, which cannot obligate or bind each other in respect of third parties. DTTL and each DTTL member firm, and their respective related entities, are liable only for their own acts and omissions, and not those of each other. The Deloitte organization is a global network of independent firms and not a partnership or a single firm. DTTL does not provide services to clients.
Deloitte Bulgaria: governance – leadership in action

Deloitte Audit OOD operates as a limited liability company, established under the Bulgarian law, with registered office at 103 “Alexander Stambolijski” Blvd., 1303 Sofia, Bulgaria and registration number 121145199 at the Commercial Register and Register of Non-Profit Entities at the Registry Agency.

The managing bodies of Deloitte Bulgaria are:

- General Meeting of the Shareholders; and
- Statutory Managers.

Deloitte Bulgaria’s Statutory Managers are responsible for the governance and oversight of the Audit & Assurance practice. Specific responsibilities include: approving audit and assurance business strategy in Bulgaria, approving the financial aspects of business plans in Bulgaria.

The following are Statutory Managers of Deloitte Bulgaria who were appointed by the General Meeting of the Shareholders for an indefinite period of time:

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All Statutory Managers of Deloitte Bulgaria are registered auditors. The Statutory Managers represent and manage Deloitte Bulgaria separately and jointly by any two of the Statutory Managers in the following cases: a) opening and closing of company’s bank accounts in Bulgaria and abroad; b) issuance of promissory note, bill of exchange and endorsement thereof; c) signing of loan agreements; d) guarantee of third parties' obligations.

Desislava Dinkova is appointed by Deloitte Audit OOD as Partner in Charge of the Audit & Assurance practice in Bulgaria. Desislava Dinkova and senior management develop and implement the strategy for the Audit & Assurance practice in Bulgaria, including related policies and procedures. In all of their activities, Deloitte Bulgaria’s senior leaders are responsible for the overarching objective of audit quality, including compliance with applicable professional standards and regulatory requirements. Deloitte Audit’s strategy is developed in alignment with the overall strategic direction established for the Deloitte network.

Deloitte Audit OOD Audit & Assurance leaders participate in Deloitte network groups that set and monitor quality standards, and from which a number of audit quality initiatives emanate.

The registered auditors who have signed auditor’s reports on behalf of Deloitte Audit OOD in 2022 are as follows: Sylvia Peneva, Desislava Dinkova, Rositsa Boteva, Milka Damianova, Emil Badov, Momchil Chergansky. In addition, the following registered auditors are employed by Deloitte Audit OOD at senior manager level and have not signed auditor’s reports on behalf of Deloitte Audit OOD in 2022: Iskra Ivanova, Plamena Yovchevska, Ignat Angelov.
Our purpose and commitment: instilling trust and confidence

At Deloitte Bulgaria, our purpose is to make an impact that goes beyond the expected. For Audit & Assurance, this means a constantly evolving audit and assurance process, leveraging leading-edge technology, applying a diversity of skillsets, knowledge, and experience to deliver high quality services. We take great pride in instilling confidence and trust in the capital markets and are committed to relentlessly raising the standards of quality and always acting with integrity, independence and transparency. We are continuously building our capabilities to support the delivery of high quality audits and other assurance engagements and making leading contributions to shaping the future of the audit profession.
What Deloitte Audit & Assurance brings to capital markets

A focus on audit quality
Deloitte’s commitment to audit quality permeates everything we do. The independent audit is a central element of the financial reporting ecosystem, in place to protect investors and other stakeholders, as well as to promote the effective functioning of the capital markets. Deloitte is keenly aware of our obligation to deliver audit services that meet the challenges and complexities of the current environment, while complying with professional and regulatory standards. For the financial reporting ecosystem to function as intended, it is vital that the auditor’s role be executed effectively.

Deloitte is committed to doing more than simply meeting regulatory requirements and conforming to expectations. Deloitte is going beyond the expected to set the standard of excellence for the profession. In keeping with that objective, our commitment to audit quality is unequivocal.

Entities Deloitte audits
As part of Deloitte’s Audit & Assurance commitment to supporting the capital markets, we are focused on auditing entities where it serves the public interest and where we have the capabilities to perform a quality audit with objectivity and in compliance with applicable professional standards and laws and regulations, including those relating to ethics and independence.

Deloitte Bulgaria has detailed policies and procedures in place for the acceptance of prospective clients, the continuance of existing engagements and the assessment of engagement risk. These policies and procedures are designed with the objective that Deloitte Bulgaria will only accept or continue with engagements where it:

- Is able to perform the engagement and has the capabilities, including time and resources, to do so.
- Can comply with all relevant professional standards and laws and regulations, including those relating to ethics and independence and conflicts of interest assessments and considerations.
- Considers the client’s management team to act with integrity and in alignment with our shared values.

The company we keep is an important aspect of our Audit & Assurance strategy and shared values that guide our behavior to lead the way, serve with integrity, take care of each other, foster inclusion and collaborate for measurable impact. The question we ask ourselves is: what type of entities do we want to be associated with?

In order to answer this question, an audit and assurance risk appetite statement has been developed to serve as the foundation for the company we want to keep. The risk appetite statement can be used as a tool to promote robust discussion of risk, and as a basis upon which acceptance and continuance decisions can be debated and challenged effectively and credibly. The statement, as shown below sets the tone for the risk culture and aims to drive consistency in the engagement acceptance and continuance decision making process:

“Deloitte’s Audit & Assurance (A&A) portfolio risk appetite underpins our purpose led agenda and reinforces our Principles of Business Conduct, which articulate the standards to which we hold ourselves, wherever in the world we live and work, in order to build and maintain a sustainable business for current and future generations.

Consistent with our commitment to purpose and to act in the public interest, we recognize that taking on a degree of risk is a natural consequence of doing business. In order to deliver high quality audit and assurance services, we proactively identify and manage risk through our quality control processes, policies and procedures to make informed decisions aligned to our strategy and values.

We aspire to have a portfolio of clients that aligns with our shared values, respects our professionals, recognizes emerging issues and societal responsibilities, and is committed to providing transparency to stakeholders in the financial reporting ecosystem. We endeavor to have a portfolio that does not include clients that lack integrity, engage in illegal activities, disregard the authenticity of financial accounting and reporting, or are unwilling to establish and maintain sufficient internal controls and related processes.”
Audit & Assurance – the future, today
At Deloitte, meeting expectations is where our Audit & Assurance services begin.

Our people’s commitment to integrity, to serve the public interest, and to deliver high quality assurance over the areas that matter most to our stakeholders is at the core of everything we do.

We are leaders in quality and will continually deliver on this commitment by focusing on excellence across people, process, and technology. Each of these core components helps us to deliver our vision for a better future, creating an impact that not only meets expectations but goes beyond them.

What does this look like? A constantly evolving audit and assurance practice, leveraging bright minds, effective processes, and world-class technologies from across our organization while drawing on our years of experience. We deliver high quality services in an efficient and effective way that upholds integrity, builds confidence, and drives value by focusing on what really matters.

Audit & Assurance transformation is an important shift across the network in the way Deloitte practitioners work and includes:

- The Deloitte Way: standardization of audit processes supported by our technology suite
- Real-time audit quality monitoring
- Enhanced talent model which includes learning, rewards and recognition, centers of excellence, and delivery centers
- Agile deployment of technology solutions to respond to changing environments
- Artificial intelligence that enhances human discovery and problem-solving. As a result, we are improving the quality of the audits we deliver while also creating a richer talent experience for our people and giving clients a streamlined, digital audit experience, that provides more transparency and deeper insight.

Innovation and technology enablement are an expectation in today’s fast-changing business environment, and this expectation holds true for the audit profession as well. Today’s complex business environment requires that the audit be dynamic, multidimensional, and insightful. There is a demand for real-time, relevant information, and we need to evolve our audits as the entities we audit innovate their businesses and processes. Leveraging evolving technology and data, Deloitte Bulgaria delivers deeper insights to create more consistent, transparent, and valuable audit and assurance for our stakeholders. Deloitte brings bright minds, effective processes, and world-class technologies from across the organization to deliver an impact beyond expectations.

Deloitte Bulgaria auditors are enhancing procedures by making more use of data-driven analytics, as well as cognitive and cloud-based technologies like Artificial Intelligence (AI). This is due, in part, to the increased automation and effectiveness these provide, but also the need for Deloitte Bulgaria to stay abreast of technological advances used by the entities that we audit.

Deloitte is committed to the continued investment in emerging technologies and diversity of thought that enables the delivery of enhanced quality, insights, and value to our clients and the markets. Deloitte’s holistic audit platforms, Deloitte Omnia and Deloitte Levvia, demonstrate our commitment to delivering digital, high-quality audits of all sizes and levels of complexity. Deloitte Omnia is our cloud-based, end-to-end audit delivery platform for larger audits, including publicly listed entities, while Deloitte Levvia delivers a streamlined, right-sized digital audit experience for select private entities. Ongoing development, enhancement, and broader deployment of both platforms will continue over the next several years. Deloitte also has designed an innovative data and analytics solution, and our integrated suite of enabling innovation technologies are all connected in the cloud.

Delivering audit excellence through process, people, and technology transformation
With The Deloitte Way, Deloitte is bringing innovation into the core of how our audits are executed: with automation that improves routine tasks, analytics that yield a deeper and more insightful view into the data, and

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2 For more information about Deloitte audit innovation, please refer to Deloitte Global Impact Report.
Auditing in disruptive times

In recent years the world has experienced a period of exceptional challenges and uncertainty, from the societal changes caused by the COVID-19 pandemic to the humanitarian crisis brought on by the war in Ukraine. These momentous shifts have brought unprecedented speed of change to the profession, and throughout this period, Deloitte has prioritized the safety and wellbeing of its people. In times of global complexity and economic uncertainty, the need for high quality audit and assurance services is critical. Now more than ever, investors and stakeholders are looking to auditors to bring trust and objectivity to capital markets.

Despite the unique challenges of the current environment, Deloitte Bulgaria has not wavered in its commitment to ethics, integrity, independence, and transparency—all while serving the public interest. We recognize the importance of upholding our professional responsibilities and our role in instilling trust in the financial reporting ecosystem. We continually reinforce the following principles with A&A practitioners:

- Exercise professional skepticism and due professional care
- Critically evaluate the quality of audit evidence obtained and whether it is sufficient and appropriate to address the risk
- Make well-reasoned professional judgments supported by clear documentation
- Foster a culture of consultation
- Stay connected and support one another

In this period of continued uncertainty, all stakeholders of the financial reporting ecosystem (including governments, financial institutions, entity management, those charged with governance, auditors, and investors) must exercise significant judgment. This includes an awareness of the heightened risk of fraud, the presence of new or different risk factors, and potential changes in internal control environments. Although the existing accounting frameworks have provisions for uncertainties, financial statement users and regulators should continue to expect a higher degree of market and economic volatility in the near term.

Deloitte welcomes the public statements and guidance issued by regulators that recognize the current uncertainties and emphasize the importance of high quality, forward-looking corporate disclosures. There is benefit to the public for greater transparency from various financial reporting ecosystem stakeholders raising awareness about these issues. This includes providing more clarity on the responsibilities of management, audit committees, companies, auditors, regulators, and other stakeholders.

The professional standards, Deloitte policies and guidance, strong consultation and specialist networks, and steadfast diligence continue to be the basis for Deloitte’s execution of high quality audits. Deloitte’s technology and infrastructure have allowed for an agile and rapid response to the various disruptions to the workplace, including the shift to virtual working. These responses have allowed us to continue to reinforce the execution of the Deloitte audit approach throughout this historically challenging period.

The transformation of audit delivery in an increasingly dynamic work environment has led Deloitte to respond to the rapidly changing needs and requirements of the talent landscape. This includes challenging historical working methods and supporting its people in a hybrid working environment.

Going forward, Deloitte Bulgaria will continue to focus its efforts and provide a consistent audit experience in a way that embraces the evolving expectations of the entities we audit and our people.
**Multidisciplinary model (MDM)**

Throughout the Deloitte network, Deloitte’s robust multidisciplinary business model (MDM)—consisting of audit, advisory, tax, and consulting practices—is an important contributor to the performance of high quality audits. This unique model purposefully connects Deloitte’s great breadth of professionals and practitioners with a profound depth of experience, skills, and specialties to bring stronger insights and high quality services. Auditors increasingly use the work of specialists in a number of areas, including to assist in their evaluation of accounting estimates and fair value measurements. This has been more important than ever as companies’ financial statements were required to reflect the uncertainties presented by COVID-19 and ensuing macroeconomic factors. Further, the scope of corporate reporting is expected to grow rapidly in the near future where financial statements and corporate disclosures will continue to become more complex due to new ESG considerations and other focus areas. In addition, as big data utilization becomes more pervasive in line with other digital advances, the demand for data analysts and IT specialists will grow accordingly. Among the benefits of the MDM are:

- Possibility to develop industry or thematic insights (e.g., climate, governance, corporate strategy, etc.) through multiple lenses, which enhances auditors’ understanding of business risks relevant to conducting audits.
- Immediate access for the Audit & Assurance practice to specialized resources in other business lines. This promotes audit quality because auditors can leverage the knowledge and experience of advisory practitioners who are skilled in subjects beyond audit and assurance.
- A diverse organization helps attract and retain premier talent.
- Availability of intellectual capital within the network to innovate audit processes, technologies, etc.
- Parts of the business grow at different rates during various time periods across markets. Deloitte’s MDM provides a safeguard against market volatility that is important to long-term viability of the network and makes significant investments in audit quality and innovation possible, even in times of financial pressures on the audit business.

Deloitte acknowledges, however, the possibility and perception of conflicts of interest, and therefore has robust independence policies and systems in place to help ensure that Deloitte’s strategy is executed in alignment with regulatory and professional requirements. In some areas, Deloitte policies are more stringent than what professional standards or laws or regulations require.
Environmental, social, and governance (ESG) reporting

The foundations of business are changing rapidly, long-term resiliency and the ability to create enduring value is directly linked to alignment with the values and expectations of society. Market participants and broader stakeholders are calling for greater insight into how an organization is going to build, protect, and enhance enterprise value over time, and are specifically demanding enhanced transparency around ESG impacts and the dependencies of a company’s business model and strategy.

There is a growing interest for companies to integrate climate-related and other ESG considerations into internal control policies and procedures, enhancing the maturity of systems, processes, and governance over climate-related and other ESG information. Those charged with governance (e.g., Audit Committees, Boards) are moving toward incorporating ESG considerations in their oversight responsibilities of an organization’s management, its reporting readiness, and implementation of processes and controls to collect data.

In response to growing demand, the reporting landscape is quickly changing to meet the needs of stakeholders, with proposed standard setting through the International Sustainability Standards Board and rulemaking around the world. The developments in standard-setting and rulemaking are intended not only to create transparency and consistency in global baseline reporting, but also to make clear that information in financial reporting and information contained in sustainability reporting together are essential inputs to inform a stakeholders’ view of an entity’s value.

With the increased focus and scrutiny of this information also comes the increased need for confidence over the quality of the information being disclosed, which may be achieved through assurance over ESG information. Deloitte believes that there is a benefit to ESG assurance being provided by an audit firm. Objectivity, credibility, and integrity are qualities valued most in assurance providers. These are in addition to independence, professional skepticism, commitment to quality, and appropriate training that are equally critical.

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3 For more information about Deloitte’s alignment with ESG, please refer to Deloitte Global Impact Report.
Below are specific actions that Deloitte is undertaking to support execution of high-quality audits that give appropriate consideration to climate-related risks and opportunities:

- Educating Deloitte professionals on climate change and the impact on audit entities through the deployment of materials such as a climate learning curriculum, a framework and related guidance to consider climate-related matters as part of the audit.
- Engaging in the debate by being proactive in supporting global sustainability standards, through facilitating the five sustainability reporting standard-setting bodies and contributing to the IFRS Foundation’s climate disclosure work and actively participating in various global platforms such as the World Economic Forum and the 2021 United Nations Climate Change Conference (COP 26).

Deloitte supports the continued collaboration of all participants in the financial reporting ecosystem, working together to develop and implement common standards upon which to measure, disclose, and ultimately assure ESG information.

Further, to help the world achieve the goals of the Paris Agreement, Deloitte has launched WorldClimate, a strategy to drive responsible climate choices within the Deloitte network and beyond.
Professional development and performance management

Deloitte’s culture of excellence and the design of learning programs place people at the forefront. Deloitte practitioners are technically proficient with high levels of ethics, integrity, professional skepticism, and objectivity, applying their judgment and experience with passion and commitment. We are continuously enhancing our skillsets, knowledge, and experience to go beyond the expected and deliver meaningful impact.

Deloitte is committed to delivering an unrivalled talent experience, developing practitioners, and furthering their careers by creating a life-long learning environment—advancing audit education, skillsets, and flexible career options that appeal to auditors of today and tomorrow.

Deloitte practitioners bring diverse backgrounds, knowledge, and skillsets that enhance capabilities as an organization in delivering the highest quality audits. Deloitte is united in the commitment to our ALL IN program dedicated to improving diversity, equity, inclusion, and innovation.

In addition, operational discipline, effective management of the business, and the development of a singular approach to doing audits known as The Deloitte Way, provide the foundation for Deloitte’s commitment to bring consistency to our audits.

Deloitte is driving a sustainable audit and assurance business that recognizes and rewards its people and makes ongoing investments in their future.
Learning and development initiatives

Deloitte’s transformed approach to audit delivery is changing the audit experience for practitioners. Audit teams are empowered by advanced tools and technologies and more extensive use of data and analytics within a guided workflow to execute the end-to-end audit. For Deloitte practitioners, this means focusing on how the engagement is planned, executed, and managed consistently across the globe using forward-looking techniques and capabilities. It also offers opportunities to enhance their technical and professional skillsets and competencies. For example, the following skills remain as important as ever—enhanced data analytics, project management, critical thinking, communication, professional judgment, and the application of accounting and auditing principles to work more effectively and deliver high quality engagements. As capabilities and skillsets are enhanced, we build greater confidence and become ever-better evaluators of risk.

Deloitte has made substantial investments in talent and learning strategies and transformed the technical audit curriculum to build the refreshed skillsets and proficiency required by level:

- At the core, Deloitte has a single mandatory audit technical learning curriculum, tailored for learners by level, using a dynamic blend of live instructor-led, digital on-demand courses, and on-the-job activities.
- All client service practitioners are required to complete at least 20 hours of continuing professional education (CPE) each year and at least 120 hours every three years, through structured, formal learning programs, such as internal or external courses, seminars, or e-learning covering all areas of the competency model (e.g., shared competencies, function-specific technical competencies, and competencies in areas of specialization).
- All client service practitioners have clearly defined role expectations and Talent Standards which outline the capabilities that are required of practitioners at each level.

Deloitte has also established specific learning opportunities for specialists working on audit engagements to support their knowledge and understanding of the audit process. In addition, our assurance learning offering is being expanded to respond to emerging business needs.

The objective of the Deloitte Bulgaria professional development program is to help partners and professionals maintain and enhance their professional competence and ensure consistency of audit execution. To supplement on-the-job development, Deloitte Bulgaria provides formal continuing professional development programs in relevant subject areas consistent with the Deloitte Global Audit & Assurance Curriculum.

Each of the Deloitte Bulgaria Audit professionals goes through a mandatory annual professional classroom training, according to the level of expertise. The aim of each session is to provide learners with a range of experiences that builds on the knowledge and skills, required when working on audit engagements. Since the talent development is considered as a main priority of the leadership of Deloitte Bulgaria, the attendance is strictly monitored by the highly experienced facilitators during each professional training.

A significant career milestone of the talent development in Deloitte is focused on the professional qualifications ICAEW and ACCA. In order to assure a high-quality service to our clients, each Audit team member holds or pursues one of the abovementioned prestigious certification diplomas.

The established talent development curriculum in Deloitte is based on programs developed and delivered by the global Talent Models. This includes number of training sessions recommended by the global business selection criteria. Such trainings are invaluable method of developing not only technical knowledge, but a deep understanding of the decision making and team management and coaching processes.
Deloitte University

Deloitte actively cultivates the collective knowledge and skills of Deloitte people globally through continued investment in Deloitte Universities (DU). These are state-of-the-art learning and development centers focused on Deloitte culture and founded in the principles of connectedness and leadership in a highly inclusive learning environment.

Remuneration

Execution of high-quality audits is expected from all practitioners and is embedded across the Deloitte network. Audit quality is recognized through reward and recognition programs and is built into performance standards at every level, against which practitioners’ overall evaluations are measured.

Deloitte Bulgaria’s partners are evaluated on a yearly basis, and depending on the outcome of the evaluation, the remuneration of partners may increase or decrease. Specifically, partner evaluations take the following factors into account: quality evidenced through positive practice review or external inspection results, expertise, integrity, professionalism, entrepreneurship, independence, and compliance.

Attraction and retention

The current environment for talent is extremely competitive and attraction and retention of our people is a strategic priority for Deloitte. We acknowledge the challenges our people are facing and recognize our part to re-establish the connections that so many have missed.

Deloitte is focused on transforming the A&A talent experience, including reimagining the ways of working to improve retention and further advance the diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI), and wellbeing of Deloitte people. We are looking at opportunities to collectively expand the talent experience. This focus on our people and retention of top talent enhances Deloitte’s ability to deliver high-quality audits.

Despite the challenges, Deloitte has again received the award for the World’s most attractive professional services employer from Universum in 2021.

Social Impact

Making an Impact Every Day

We believe human connection can help create innovative solutions and lasting impact on pressing issues of our time. By harnessing the collective power of Deloitte’s network of people, clients, nonprofits, and communities, we aim to achieve lasting social impact for the greater good.

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Deloitte’s priority focus on audit quality

Deloitte’s commitment to audit quality is central to everything we do. We continually deliver on this commitment by instilling a culture of quality and excellence across the network, establishing business and financial priorities, and developing effective processes, tools, and technologies applied in the execution of audits. Deloitte’s brand is defined by the high-quality audits delivered and by the unwavering commitment to continuous improvement of our systems of quality control. Making sure audit quality keeps pace with emerging economic, business, and regulatory conditions, as well as technological advances, is critical to the continual enhancement of Deloitte’s role in protecting the public interest and supporting the effective functioning of the financial ecosystem. Deloitte’s brand is defined by the high-quality audits delivered and by the unwavering commitment to continuous improvement.
Leadership commitment and tone at the top
Deloitte’s culture of quality and excellence begins with strong tone from the top, starting with senior leadership through to the leaders in all our offices and audit engagements. Deloitte’s focus on audit quality is evident through the direct involvement of leaders and consistent messaging that reinforces the importance placed on audit quality. Deloitte’s relentless pursuit of quality defines not just what we do, but who we are.

System of quality control
Deloitte believes an effective system of quality control is crucial for the consistent performance of high-quality audit engagements and we continue to make significant investments in the people, processes, and technologies that underlie Deloitte’s quality control processes.

Regulators and standard setters in Bulgaria and globally are also focused on driving further improvements in firms’ systems of quality control. In December 2020, the IAASB released its new, revised suite of quality management standards, including International Standard on Quality Management 1 (“ISQM 1”). Systems of quality management in compliance with ISQM 1 were required to be designed and implemented by 15 December 2022, and an evaluation of the system of quality management will be required to be performed within one year following that date.

The effective implementation of ISQM 1 is a key element of Deloitte’s audit quality strategy. Deloitte Bulgaria’s ISQM 1 implementation activities have been completed, building on the multi-year investments and commitment already delivered to go beyond the requirements of the existing professional standards. Deloitte Bulgaria continues to work with leaders across the firm, as well as the broader network, to further enhance our proactive approach to managing the quality of engagements performed—identifying and addressing risks to audit quality and driving continued advancements in quality control processes that will serve us well into the future as the environment within which we operate continues to evolve and become increasingly complex.

Consistent with Deloitte’s culture of continuous improvement and innovation, these standard setting activities provide the opportunity to challenge ourselves—examining those areas where we can further support and transform the system of quality control. Audit quality is always front and center, and robust audit quality monitoring and measurement processes play an integral role in our ability to continually improve.

Independence, objectivity, and professional skepticism
The execution of high-quality audits requires independence, objectivity, and professional skepticism. This means a continuous and tangible focus on Deloitte’s critical role in serving the public interest, including creating a culture of quality where doing the right thing is of paramount importance. Deloitte consistently reinforces the important role of auditors as independent evaluators who must maintain a mindset of professional skepticism throughout the conduct of our work. This approach to the audit is reflected in Deloitte policies, methods, procedures, and learning, and is reinforced through quality control and accountability measures.

Audit approach
Deloitte’s approach to a high-quality audit involves an audit methodology, common across the Deloitte network, supplemented by audit tools for use by our practitioners to plan, perform, supervise, review, document, conclude, and communicate the results of each audit. Deloitte’s audit approach is underpinned by professional standards and requirements under applicable laws and regulations.

This audit methodology is dynamic—it evolves continuously to keep pace with the changing demands of investors, companies, and other stakeholders. It recognizes that advances in the availability and management of large data sets and in statistical science are relevant to continuing to enhance the quality of Deloitte audits.

Deloitte audit methodology is risk-based, focusing on the financial statement account balances, disclosures, and underlying assertions that have a reasonable possibility of being materially misstated.

Processes to support Deloitte practitioners in the execution of high-quality audits
The resources applied by Deloitte practitioners in the performance of their audits include the proprietary tools, guidance, materials, and practice aids used in conducting audits, which are available to all our practitioners in the Deloitte Global Technical Library, an extensive online library, and in our audit execution platforms. Deloitte regularly issues accounting and auditing guidance to our practitioners and communicates developments that should be factored into audit risk assessments and responses in order to maintain and drive quality audit execution.
Consultation

Quality and risk management considerations are integral to Deloitte’s audit business. That is why Deloitte views consultation as an essential, collaborative process—one that helps determine the most appropriate answers to complex questions. Deloitte has identified circumstances where consultation outside of the engagement team is required in order to demonstrate an appropriate level of professional judgment and challenge. Deloitte consultation policies require that conclusions are documented, understood, and implemented. Foundational to the effectiveness of the consultation process is Deloitte’s investment in consultation resources who have the appropriate skills and expertise. In addition to formal consultations, whenever engagement partners and teams need additional information or perspectives, they are encouraged to seek assistance from the Audit Quality team, or others in the organization with specialized knowledge.

Deloitte Conditions for Success (DCS)

Deloitte’s commitment to audit quality is reflected in the DCS, five fundamental operating principles critical to the execution of high quality audits and effective risk management. Global DCS benchmarks provide firms with a baseline for measuring progress and driving improvements in these key areas and are monitored on an annual basis.
External and internal audit quality monitoring

Audit Quality Monitoring & Measurement
A continued focus on audit quality is of paramount importance to the Deloitte brand. It is critical that a Deloitte audit is consistently executed and of high quality, wherever in the world it is performed.

The objective of the Deloitte Audit Quality Monitoring & Measurement (AQMM) program is to communicate relevant, reliable, and timely information to leadership in order to enable swift responsive remedial actions and continuous improvement in Deloitte’s system of quality control. This includes the identification of deficiencies and good practices in the system of quality control and the assessment of the effectiveness of remedial actions in driving improvements in audit quality.
Audit Quality Monitoring & Measurement

- Engagement reviews
- In-flight monitoring
- System of quality control monitoring
- Remediation
- External monitoring
- Causal factor analysis
**In-flight monitoring**

Continuous audit quality monitoring by Deloitte Bulgaria involves the proactive identification of audit issues on in-flight engagements in order to drive timely solutions and real time corrective actions. This is achieved through the following suite of activities:

- Deployment and monitoring of a series of core diagnostics, enabling engagement partners and teams, as well as Deloitte Bulgaria audit quality leader(s) to continuously monitor audit quality and take immediate action.
- A program of subject matter specific “health checks” to assist Deloitte Bulgaria audit quality leader(s) in assessing progress and identifying potential issues on in-flight engagements.
- In-flight monitoring results are evaluated overall to determine whether additional communication and support is needed for audit engagement teams with respect to adherence to the audit methodology or updates thereto.

**Engagement reviews**

Key components of engagement reviews (internal practice reviews) include:

- Risk-based engagement selection and consideration of all major industries served by Deloitte Bulgaria.
- Mandatory moderation panel to drive consistency in findings and engagement ratings.
- Identifying appropriate resources (from within Deloitte Bulgaria as well as from other Deloitte geographies) with the right experience and industry knowledge, including establishing central review teams.

**System of quality control (SQC) review**

SQC review includes numerous elements such as documenting key areas of the SQC processes and procedures and performing operating effectiveness testing of the SQC, including execution of a comprehensive SQC review program. Testing of the SQC is an integral part of the firm’s monitoring activities.

Audit Quality Indicators (AQIs), including the Deloitte Conditions for Success (DCS), are used in conjunction with other metrics to further assist Deloitte Bulgaria in developing and monitoring audit quality action plans and reporting on the progress in its audit quality journey.

**External inspections**

In addition to Deloitte Bulgaria own monitoring of audit quality, we are subject to external reviews by the Commission for Public Oversight on Statutory Auditors (“CPOSA”). The last quality assurance review referred to in Article 26 of the European Union’s Regulation 537/2014 on specific requirements regarding statutory audit of public-interest entities was carried out in the period January – February 2022 and covered the period 01 January – 30 September 2021. The results of the last inspection to guarantee the quality of the professional services performed by the audit company Deloitte Audit OOD has been admitted by CPOSA with Decision No 67/05.04.2022 and the awarded assessment is “A” - the professional activity of the auditing company Deloitte Audit OOD is in compliance with all material aspects of the requirements of the audit standards and legal requirements and no direct improvements of the audit practice are necessary.

**Causal factor analysis and remediation**

Continuous improvement is essential to Deloitte’s culture of quality and excellence. Understanding why deficiencies occur is critical to the design of effective actions to remediate findings. When deficiencies are identified, whether through internal or external monitoring activities, actions are taken to identify gaps and appropriate remediation activities. Remediation is imperative to drive continuous improvement in audit quality and avoid future similar findings. An audit quality plan is prepared by Deloitte Bulgaria and provides for effective implementation and monitoring of key audit quality priorities.

**Statement on the effectiveness of the functioning of the internal system of quality control**

Deloitte Bulgaria confirms we are satisfied that our internal quality controls and systems are robust, operate effectively, and allow us to readily identify any areas of potential enhancement. We continually seek to refine all aspects of our business and we use the findings of the practice review, other internal reviews, and external reviews and regulatory inspections to enhance our system of quality control.

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* Effective 15 December 2022, ISQM 1 requires an evaluation, at least annually, of the firm’s system of quality management, specifically whether the system provides Deloitte Bulgaria with reasonable assurance that the objectives of the system of quality management are being achieved.
Independence, ethics, and additional disclosures

Deloitte Bulgaria Independence

Sets independence policies and procedural expectations based upon the Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants and, where applicable, the independence standards of the US Securities and Exchange Commission and the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board.

Supports the annual system of quality management (SQM) review and gives insights into areas of focus.

Provides firms with on-going independence expertise through consultation—enabling continuous enhancements to policies, procedural expectations, tools, and practice support activities.

Delivers systems to provide its people with entity information to support compliance with personal and professional independence requirements, including financial interests, scope of service, and business relationship approvals.

Promotes independence awareness across the Deloitte network through active engagement with independence and business leadership groups, periodic communications and alerts, and development of guidance, learning and instructions.

Deloitte Bulgaria Independence

Deloitte Bulgaria has policies and procedures designed to address compliance with applicable professional standards, laws and regulations that relate to independence. These policies and procedures are based on the Deloitte Independence policy, and are supplemented, as appropriate, to reflect additional national or regional requirements that may be more restrictive than Deloitte policies. Deloitte Bulgaria leadership reinforces the importance of compliance with independence and related quality control standards, thereby setting the appropriate tone at the top and instilling its importance into the professional values and culture of Deloitte Bulgaria. Strategies and procedures to communicate the importance of independence to partners, other practitioners, and support staff have been adopted, emphasizing each individual’s responsibility to understand and meet the independence requirements. The Director of Independence is responsible for overseeing independence matters within Deloitte Bulgaria, including the design, implementation, operation, monitoring, and maintenance of the system of quality control related to independence.
As part of the firm’s system of quality control, Deloitte Bulgaria has:

- implemented responses (policies, procedures, and controls) to quality risks it has identified for its key independence areas;
- performed appropriate monitoring activities over its key independence areas; and
- has appropriate independence governance in place.

The firm’s key independence areas include:

- Client, engagement, and business relationships, including use of the independence business process tools, the Deloitte Entity Search and Compliance (DESC) system, and the Service Request Monitoring (SRM) application
- Firm and personal financial relationships, including the use of the Global Independence Monitoring System (GIMS)
- Employment and other relationships
- Independence confirmations
- Independence consultations
- Independence-related policies, communications, and learning
- Breaches of independence requirements
- Disciplinary measures for failures to adhere to applicable independence requirements

An internal review of independence compliance with the above key independence areas was conducted during the year and the report was issued on 15 December 2022.

Long association requirements of audit partners and practitioners

Deloitte Bulgaria maintains policies and procedures requiring rotation of key audit partners and staff. These differ for a public interest entity as defined in § 1, p. 22 of the Bulgarian Accountancy Act (the “EU PIE”) or entities defined as a public interest entity by Deloitte Bulgaria (“other PIE”). Individuals responsible for carrying out a statutory audit should not serve an EU PIE for more than seven consecutive years in the position of a key audit partner. They shall not participate again in the statutory audit of the audited EU PIE entity before four years have elapsed following cessation of such service. In case of other PIE, individuals responsible for carrying out a statutory audit should not serve other PIE for more than seven consecutive years in the position of a key audit partner. They shall not participate again in the statutory audit of the audited other PIE entity before two years have elapsed following cessation of such service. During the cooling-off period of four or minimum two years, the key audit partner should not participate in the audit of the audited entity, perform the engagement quality control review, consult with the engagement team or the audited entity regarding technical or industry-specific issues, transactions or events or otherwise directly influence the outcome of the statutory audit.

While it is the primary responsibility of the individuals serving as key audit partners to ensure they comply with the rotation requirements, Deloitte Bulgaria implemented a monitoring process that includes among other analysis of client portfolios and individuals assigned in various roles to statutory audits and considering appropriate competence, capability, workload and availability of statutory auditors so as to enable these individuals to adequately discharge their responsibilities as key audit partners.
Ethics

All Deloitte people are expected to act with integrity in accordance with high ethical standards as described in the Deloitte Principles of Business Conduct (“Code of Conduct”). The Code of Conduct defines the commitments that all Deloitte people make regarding ethical standards, as well as explaining each individual’s responsibilities to their clients, colleagues, and society.

In addition to the Code of Conduct, other foundational elements of Deloitte’s ethics program include a program of training and communications, and established reporting channels supported by defined incident management protocols. For continuous improvement, regular program assessments and reviews are conducted, and feedback is collected from Deloitte people through an annual ethics survey.

Ethics at Deloitte Bulgaria is led by the Ethics Officer, who is an experienced partner with direct access to the member firm’s CEO and governing body monitoring risk and reinforcing compliance with the Code of Conduct.

Deloitte Bulgaria maintains policies and procedures that are designed to provide reasonable assurance that its people comply with relevant ethical requirements.

The ethical requirements for audit and related assurance services provided by Deloitte Bulgaria are in accordance with the national professional requirements. Deloitte Bulgaria also complies with Deloitte policies and procedures, which align with the requirements and guidance set out in the international Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants issued by the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants, a standard-setting body of the International Federation of Accountants (IFAC). When the national professional requirements are more restrictive than the Deloitte policies and procedures, Deloitte Bulgaria follows the applicable national requirements.

Deloitte Bulgaria reinforces its commitment to ethics and integrity through communication tools, learning programs, compliance processes, and measurement systems for all people. Learning includes targeted content for onboarding, manager promotion, independent contractors, and refresher programs every two years. Recent training topics have included a focus on the importance of owning up to one’s mistakes, navigating personal relationships in the workplace, and demonstrating respect, integrity and professionalism on social media, and courses have included a confirmation that professionals are aware that answers should not be shared with others and doing so would constitute a violation of the Code of Conduct. In addition, Deloitte Bulgaria conducts ethics reviews for senior leaders and requires all partners, other practitioners, and support staff to confirm annually that they have read and comprehended the Code of Conduct and understand that it is their responsibility to comply with it.
Deloitte Ethics

Deloitte is committed to conducting business with honesty, distinctive quality, and high standards of professional behavior. Deloitte’s Principles of Business Conduct outlines Deloitte’s ethical commitments and expectations, giving a strong, principled foundation. The foundations of the network’s ethics program is comprised of the following elements:

- Principles of Business Conduct
- Ethics policies including policies on Non-Retaliation, Anti-Discrimination and Anti-Harassment
- Reporting channels and incident management protocol
- Program measurement through an annual ethics survey
- Annual assessment and recurring practice-review program
- Ethics learning programs and communications
Shaping the future of the audit profession

The provision of relevant and reliable financial and, increasingly, non-financial information is critical to both the capital markets and broader society. Policy makers, regulators, investors, company directors, audit committee chairs, and auditors all have an important role so that users of corporate information have a clear and complete picture of uncertainties and risks in a company’s business model to help support their informed decision making.

Uncertainty and complexity are set to remain a central theme over the coming years, driven by heightened global challenges and the rapid advancement of technology.

Deloitte is committed to establishing a meaningful vision for the future of the profession which addresses the shifting needs of society. We are proactively engaging with a range of stakeholders to bring innovation into the audit of today—as well as the audit of tomorrow—to support the audit, corporate governance and reporting regime in continuing to serve their purpose to enable confidence and trust.
We strive to engage with these parties, both formally and informally, to share, offer and debate ideas that foster our collective ambition to ensure the ongoing and growing relevance of audit and assurance to the capital markets.

Appendices
Appendix A | EU EEA audit firms

Disclosure in accordance with Article 13.2 (b)(ii)-(iv) of the EU Audit Regulation

EU/EEA member state (Article 13.2 (b)(iii) EU Audit Regulation: the countries in which each audit firm that is a member of the network is qualified as a statutory auditor or has its registered office, central administration, or principal place of business)

Name of audit firms carrying out statutory audits in each member state (Article 13.2 (b)(ii) EU Audit Regulation: the name of each audit firm that is a member of the network)

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**Disclosure in accordance with Article 13.2 (b)(iv) of the EU Audit Regulation**

The total turnover achieved by the audit firms that are members of the network, resulting from the statutory audit of annual and consolidated financial statements: € 2.1 billion\(^5\)

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\(^5\) Amount represents an estimate determined based upon best efforts to collect this data. Certain Deloitte audit firms registered to perform statutory audits in respective member states provide statutory audit services as well as other audit, assurance, and non-audit services. While Deloitte endeavored to collect specific statutory audit turnover for each EU/EEA Deloitte audit firm, in certain cases turnover from other services has been included. The turnover amounts included herein are as of 31 May 2022, except for a limited number of instances where a Deloitte audit firm has different financial year-end or has not finalized its reporting for such period. In these cases, turnover amounts are for the relevant financial year or preceding financial year. Where currency other than the Euro is used in the member state, the amount in Euros was translated using an average exchange rate in effect for the period 1 June 2021 to 31 May 2022.
Appendix B | Financial information

Disclosure in accordance with Article 13.2 (k)(i)-(iv) of the EU Audit Regulation and art. 62 of Independent Financial Audit Act

The breakdown of Deloitte Audit OOD’s 2022 turnover:

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Revenue from services provided by all members of Deloitte network that have carried out activity in the territory of Republic of Bulgaria to other entities audited by the Deloitte Audit.

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## Appendix C | Public interest entities

**Disclosure in accordance with Article 13.2 (f) of the EU Audit Regulation**

Public Interest Entities Audited for Statutory Purposes by Deloitte Audit OOD in the Financial Year 2022:

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