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Dear HIA

## **GOVERNMENT INTERNAL AUDIT COMPETENCY FRAMEWORK**

Many of you will be aware that for some time ACR, supported by a working group of Heads of Internal Audit, have been updating the Government Internal Audit Competency Framework in line with the Professional Skills for Government Initiative. Following feedback from the working group, and internal auditors in various departments we are now making the competency framework available for use.

It outlines the specialist competencies that are possessed by members of the Government Internal Audit Profession at three levels of career progression. It will be useful for recruitment, appraisals and continuing professional development.

The Competency Framework updates the competencies set out in the Internal Audit Training and Development Handbook. A revised Handbook will be issued shortly

Yours sincerely

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