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EFRAG Research activities

Cover note

Objective

- 1 The objective of this session is to:
 - (a) Discuss the potential new topics to be included in the EFRAG Research Agenda consultation; and
 - (b) Provide the EFRAG board with an update of the progress of the active Research projects since the last update at the October Board meeting.
- The EFRAG Secretariat is currently reviewing the results of the stakeholders' perception survey. Some of the questions in the survey are related to the objective and usefulness of EFRAG Research activities. We think that the findings of the result may require a follow-up in the Agenda consultation.
- 3 The EFRAG Secretariat therefore recommends that the Agenda consultation does not only seeks advice on the possible new topics but also on possible ways to improve how Research activities are conducted and managed. The EFRAG Secretariat will bring the draft Agenda consultation for approval at a future meeting.

Papers for the session

- 4 In addition to this cover note, the papers for the session include:
 - (a) **Paper 10-02** A presentation of the potential new Research topics for inclusion in the Agenda consultation;
 - (b) **Paper 10-03** An update on the active EFRAG Research projects.