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To: Certification Bodies (CBs)
Accreditation Bodies (ABs)
OASIS Sector Representatives

Subject: Audit Entry Alert & Systems Update Issue

Audit Entry Alert

We have recently experienced a number of requests for modification. CBs were requesting a complete new three-year certification cycle without an associated recertification audit.

In all cases, further investigation revealed that the CB had correctly performed the recertification audit but had started another audit before the Recertification audit was published.

A new audit should not be started before the previous audit is published.

This issue affects any new audit that is started before the previous audit is published.

A Warning message will be implemented in OASIS and will be visible when the above situation is likely to occur. If CBs don’t see the correct certificate data during the “Bring Data Forward” process (e.g. see example screenshot below), they are strongly recommended to stop and investigate and do not proceed with the audit setup or Bringing Data Forward.
OASIS Systems Update

We recently experienced longer than planned down time for the recent OASIS systems update. We apologize for the inconvenience this caused our CB stakeholders.

The reasons for the extended shut down are under investigation and we will use this as an opportunity to improve future systems updates and communication of such.

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