



# AFIAAR

## Official Supporters [OS] Information Brochure

## Who We Are

The African Forum of Independent Accounting and Auditing Regulators (AFIAAR) is a continental platform that brings together independent accounting and audit oversight bodies to advance the quality and consistency of accountancy and audit regulation across Africa.

Through strategic collaboration, AFIAAR supports its members in strengthening oversight systems, prescribing international standards, promoting transparency, and enhancing investor confidence in corporate reporting.

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## Who is an Official supporter?

Official Supporters recognise that AFIAAR's value proposition of building the capability of regulators and enhancing the collective impact of the accountancy quality regulatory community in Africa has made it the premier platform for collaboration, knowledge sharing and learning for accounting and audit oversight bodies, alongside financial sector regulators and national standard setters.

Through their financial contributions to AFIAAR, Official Supporters help AFIAAR further its mission: To serve the public interest by facilitating the provision of security and stability for economic investment, build investor confidence and strengthen Africa's competitiveness by enhancing the effective regulation of the accounting and auditing professions in Africa. Contributions enable AFIAAR to continue to provide accounting and audit oversight bodies, the technical assistance, tools and expertise required to meet their regulatory objectives and improve cross border consistency.

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### ◆ Our Mission

To facilitate the provision of security and stability for economic investment, build investor confidence and serve the public interest through the effective regulation of the accounting and audit professions on the continent, with the aim of promoting market integrity, transparency and ethical business practices that conform to evolving international norms, standards, and best practices.

### ◆ Our Vision

To be a recognised forum of independent regulators of accountants and auditors, backed by national legislation to enforce high-quality standards and create a platform for continental integration of the activities of regulators to protect the investing public.

### ◆ Value Proposition

To provide a platform for collaboration, knowledge sharing and advancing oversight capabilities of regulators and enhancing the collective impact of the accounting and auditing regulatory community.

“Providing a framework for cooperation between accounting and auditing regulators / national standards setters in Africa”

## Become a Supporter

While AFIAAR membership is restricted to accounting and audit oversight bodies, an Official Supporter status is available to other organisations and market participants who have an interest in contributing to capital market development and integration, and enhancing trust in audit and corporate reporting, and who wish to support AFIAAR's African focused mission in this regard.

There are two categories of Official Supporters:

### Mission Supporter

With annual contributions of **\$5,000 or more**, these are organisations that help to ensure that AFIAAR can continue to operate and provide no-cost services and assistance to its growing membership body. In addition to member contributions, Mission Supporters provide the foundation for AFIAAR's operations: they ensure that resources are available for core functions such as staffing, bilateral advisory services, database maintenance, ongoing projects and annual events.

### Major Project Supporter

With annual contributions of over **\$25,000**, these are organisations that wish to support a specific workstream of AFIAAR, funding a whole project or major parts of it, and help AFIAAR to deliver no cost services and assistance to accounting and audit oversight bodies and policy makers from Africa, including influencing the global standards setting processes. Contributions of this type ensure that AFIAAR can provide in-depth analysis and research as well as high-quality technical assistance, capacity building and thought leadership on regulatory topics.



## Why Support the AFIAAR?

In addition to enabling AFIAAR to strengthen and broaden its activities in providing technical assistance, research, and consensus-building activities for its members, AFIAAR Mission- and Major Project Supporters also receive a number of unique benefits:



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## Benefits for supporters

- ◆ Official recognition of your status as an AFIAAR Official Supporter on the AFIAAR website.
- ◆ Major Projects Supporters who are funding a database, publication or event, will have their logo and or name appear on the relevant page and or product.
- ◆ Official Supporters will be recognised through a number of AFIAAR's media platforms including social media and in its newsletters. In addition, their logo will be shown at the end of AFIAAR Webinars.
- ◆ Members of the Official Supporters program will have the first opportunity to reserve a seat at AFIAAR events and will be offered speaking opportunities at some AFIAAR events and related activities.
- ◆ Mention in annual report.
- ◆ Engagement opportunities with the AFIAAR Board Members / Officers.
- ◆ Use of "Supporter of AFIAAR" logo.

**NOTE:** The AFIAAR members' plenary assembly decides on the admission as a supporter of AFIAAR and can withdraw the admission when the above conditions are no longer met.

## How to become an Official Supporter of AFIAAR

Individual entities/organisations can become Official Supporters of AFIAAR by giving their individual support to AFIAAR's mission ensuring that the African views are properly considered in the international standard-setting process, in related international debates and contributing to the progress in enhancing trust in audit and quality of corporate reporting; ultimately strengthening Africa's competitiveness and giving it a voice on the world stage.

If your organisation would like to become an AFIAAR Official Supporter, please reach out directly to the AFIAAR team on: [secretariat@afiaar.org](mailto:secretariat@afiaar.org)

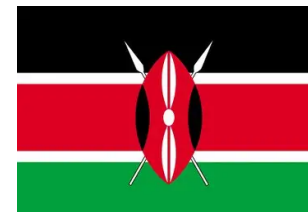
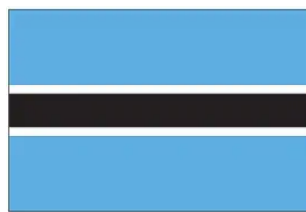
If you would like to become a Major Projects Supporter, the AFIAAR team will set up a call with you to discuss project details and funding opportunities. It is common to fund an existing project that has no resource allocation yet, but it is also possible to discuss new areas of collaboration.

## How to apply

Entities can apply to become a supporter of AFIAAR by completing the online application form here: <https://forms.office.com/r/w2YE3pBLvz?origin=lprLink>, providing a description of their mission and activities and a motivation statement in support of AFIAAR's mission.

Applications should be compatible with AFIAAR's mission, not impair the independence of AFIAAR or give rise to conflict of interests. Becoming a supporter of AFIAAR involves an annual contribution of a minimum of USD5000. Organisations are encouraged to provide a higher amount corresponding to their profile, size and footprint.

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