

FROM WLA-SCS:2012 to WLA-SCS:2016 CERTIFICATION TRANSITION RULES

Following adoption by WLA General Assembly of WLA-SCS:2016 past 9th November 2016, transition rules from WLA-SCS:2012 to WLA-SCS-2016 certifications have been defined by the Security and Risk Management Committee (SRMC).

The SRMC establishes transition rules with the aim of giving time enough with a clear and balanced period, and also noticing that it is also not opportune to keep running both standards and certifications in parallel, neither for the certified members and the auditors, nor for the certification scheme itself.

The following Transition Rules have been adopted by the SRMC:

• New certifications to be done:

- Before 10th May 2017: to WLA-SCS:2012 or to WLA-SCS:2016 (member decides)
- After 10th May 2017: to WLA-SCS:2016

• Recertifications and annual audits to be done:

- Before 10th May 2018: to WLA-SCS:2012 or to WLA-SCS:2016 (member decides)
- After 10th May 2018: to WLA-SCS:2016

Note: If the change is done within an annual audit, all new controls must be audited in that periodic audit (besides the scheduled controls for the periodic audit). Following next recertification must cover in any case all controls.