CASCO and IAF/ILAC Update

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CASCO Update

Chair's Policy Coordination Group (CPCG)

- Last met December 5, 2024
- Topics included:
 - ISO Council Governance Review of CASCO: Workshop with ISO Council in February 2025
 - Inclusion of accompanying information with CASCO ballots
 - Development of scheme "frameworks"
 - Ballot by end of 2025 on CASCO PROC-33, Common Elements in ISO/CASCO Standards
 - Next Plenary April 8-11, 2025, in Berlin, with a workshop on EU legislation and market access

Revision of ISO/IEC 17020

• DIS ballot

Revision of ISO/IEC 17067

- Conformity assessment, Fundamentals of and guidelines for conformity assessment schemes
- CD ballot open through February 21, 2025

Amendment of ISO/IEC 17065

- 81% of CASCO voting P members approved ANSI proposal for a limited amendment
- Call for experts open through February 14, 2025

IAF/ILAC Update

Creation of single organization: GLOBAC Global Accreditation Cooperation

- Constitution and General Rules approved in September 2024
- Held first meeting in conjunction with the IAF/ILAC General Assembly meetings in October 2024
- Legally incorporated in December 2024
- IAF and ILAC will exist at least through 2025, likely longer to retain rights to marks
- Currently through transition plan for operations and documentation

Cross-frontier Accreditation

- Three groups (ILAC Arrangement Committee, IAF MLA Committee, and IAF/ILAC Joint Executive Committee) working on various issues
- Outputs will inform guidance/requirements for Global Accreditation Cooperation

Future Meetings

- Midyears remote, March/April 2025
- General Assembly October 13-24, 2025, in Bangkok

Questions?

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