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## **OPA Selected for Mid-Term Review of PASAI's Strategic Plan**

Pacific Association of Supreme Audit Institutions (PASAI) Evaluates its 2014-2024 Strategic Plan

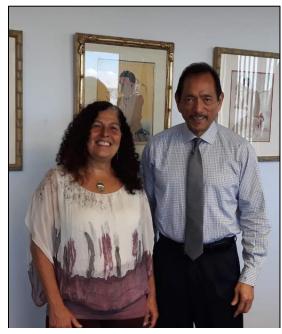
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Hagåtña, Guam – The Office of Public Accountability (OPA) recently underwent an independent mid-term review of PASAI's 10-year Strategic Plan (2014-2024). OPA was selected as one of five PASAI members to be evaluated for PASAI's effectiveness and efficiency in delivering its programs, evaluated the relevance of its existing strategies, and reviewed and assessed the sustainability of its programs. The review was conducted by Dr. Riselia Bezerra of Bezerra International Consulting on October 1 to 4, 2018. Other countries selected were the Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Solomon Islands, and Tonga.

The visit included various individual interviews between the PASAI Consultant and Public Auditor Benjamin J.F. Cruz, OPA management and staff, a member from the Guam Legislature, heads of several government agencies, a member of the media, and a non-governmental organization. The results of the mid-term review is estimated to be released before the PASAI Governing Board Meeting in February 2019.

PASAI is the official association of the government audit offices like OPA and similar organizations. OPA is a beneficiary of PASAI's programs to enhance transparency and accountability to the people of the Pacific.

To learn more about PASAI or its Strategic Plan, please visit their website at <a href="https://www.pasai.org/">https://www.pasai.org/</a>.



PASAI Consultant Dr. Riselia Bezerra and Public Auditor Benjamin J.F. Cruz

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