



Forum on AFRC Sustainability Assurance Regulatory Framework Consultation (Face-to-Face, Cantonese session)

The Accounting and Financial Reporting Council (AFRC) has launched a [public consultation](#) on the proposed sustainability assurance regulatory framework. The Institute welcomes this important initiative and has issued a [press release](#) outlining our support for the development of a clear and robust regulatory framework, as well as our intention to submit a formal response reflecting industry perspectives and practical considerations.

To facilitate member understanding and engagement, the Institute will be organizing dedicated forums at which representatives from the AFRC will brief members on the consultation proposals and respond to questions.

Date & Time	Friday, 23 January 2026 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Location	HKICPA Auditorium, 27/F., Wu Chung House, 213 Queen's Road East, Wanchai, Hong Kong <i>Non-members may be required to register for a web account for enrolment.</i> Click here for instructions.
Format	Face to Face
Language	Cantonese
Fee	Free of charge <i>Enrolments are via a ballot system, subject to capacity. An email will be sent to you when your registration is accepted.</i>
Competency*	Sustainability; Industry knowledge
Sub-competency*	Understanding the relevancy and applicability of sustainability to business
Rating*	Foundation to intermediate level
CPD hour	1
Enrolment deadline	Friday, 16 January 2026
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* Please refer to the [competencies and ratings for CPD events](#).

Member Feedback on the Consultation

Members are invited to share their views on the consultation with the Institute at sustainability@hkiipa.org.hk by Friday, 27 February 2026, which will consider and, where appropriate, consolidate the feedback in its response. Members may also respond directly to the AFRC on an individual or firm basis.