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## IPSA Accreditation Center (IAC) Process

### (1) Accreditation of Security institutions and Follow-up on the quality of accredited institutions:

#### A. Implementation Steps for Accreditation of Security Institutions:

##### 1. Application for institutional accreditation:

The security institution submits an application to the IPSA Accreditation Center expressing their interest in seeking accreditation.

##### 2. Verification of the institution's eligibility for accreditation:

The IPSA Accreditation Center reviews the application and verifies whether the security institution meets the initial eligibility criteria for accreditation. This may include factors such as legal requirements, licensing, and adherence to relevant standards.

##### 3. Formation of the team and specifying the visit dates:

Once the eligibility is confirmed, the IPSA Accreditation Center forms an accreditation team comprising qualified professionals. The team determines the visit dates for an on-site assessment of the security institution.

##### 4. Field visit to the institution and preparation of the review report:

The accreditation team visits the security institution to conduct a comprehensive assessment. They evaluate various aspects, including operations, administration, services, compliance with standards, and quality levels. The team prepares a detailed review report based on their findings and observations during the on-site visit.

##### 5. Accreditation decision:

The IPSA Accreditation Center reviews the assessment report and makes a decision regarding the accreditation status of the security institution. This decision may include granting full accreditation, conditional accreditation with specific improvement requirements, or denial of accreditation if the institution does not meet the necessary standards.

##### 6. Follow-up of the accredited institutions:

After accreditation is granted, the IPSA Accreditation Center initiates a follow-up process to ensure that the accredited security institution continues to meet the established standards. This may involve periodic evaluations, monitoring, and support to address any identified areas for improvement or compliance issues.



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## B. Requirements for Accreditation of Security Institutions:

### 1. Submission of a self-study report:

The security institution must provide a comprehensive self-study report that covers all aspects of its operations, administration, and services. This report should demonstrate the quality levels based on the standards set by IPSA Accreditation Center.

### 2. External evaluation:

The institution undergoes an external evaluation conducted by an independent evaluation team. This team verifies the findings mentioned in the self-study report and assesses the performance quality levels of the institution based on IPSA standards.

### 3. Compliance with key elements of quality assurance:

The security institution must meet specific requirements related to the key elements of quality assurance outlined by the IPSA Accreditation Center.

### 4. Legal requirements:

The institution must comply with all relevant legal requirements for practice in the security field. This may include obtaining official licenses or certifications as mandated by the governing authorities.

Note: The specific requirements and processes for accreditation may vary depending on the jurisdiction and specific accreditation body.