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Presented by	General Chanathap Indamra, President of the State Audit Commission of Thailand and Chairman of ASOSAI

Since 2021, the State Audit Office (SAO) of Thailand has served as the Chairman of ASOSAI. During this period, SAO has engaged in several collaborative initiatives with member institutions. This report outlines our main activities.

#### **1. Environmental Audit Collaboration with SAI China (ASOSAI WGEA):**

Under the mentorship of SAI China, SAO as the project leader of Cooperative Research of ASOSAI WGEA focused on the role of SAIs and climate finances accountability. In March 2023, a researcher meeting related to this initiative was hosted by SAO.

#### **2. Crisis Management Support for SAI Korea (ASOSAI CMA):**

SAI Korea led the efforts in the domain of crisis management audit. SAO continuously supports all activities of ASOSAI CMA.

#### **3. Research Project Partnership with SAI Indonesia in the 13<sup>th</sup> ASOSAI Research Project:**

Led by SAI Indonesia, SAO and SAI Indonesia worked collaboratively on a research assignment about Remote audit. The primary objective was to explore the feasibility and dynamics of conducting remote audits in future scenarios.

#### **4. Contributions to the ASOSAI Journal:**

SAI India as the editor of ASOSAI Journal, SAO submitted a thought article to the ASOSAI Journal, for example, shedding light on the article which related to SAO organization's commitment towards promoting gender equity.

## **5. Capacity Building in Collaboration with SAI Japan (ASOSAI CDA):**

SAO consistently attended seminars organized by SAI Japan. These sessions were instrumental in broadening our perspective and enriching our knowledge base regarding contemporary audit practices.

### **Acknowledgments:**

Our deep appreciation is directed towards:

- SAI China as the ASOSAI Secretariate for their valuable guidance and continuous support throughout all activities of ASOSAI.
- SAI Korea for their great leadership in crisis management audits and for hosting the 59<sup>th</sup> GB meeting in Busan
- SAI Indonesia for their leading role in ASOSAI research project and shared vision on the research project.
- SAI India for their contributions to the ASOSAI community and for their upcoming leadership role.
- SAI Japan for their great efforts in fostering capacity-building and skill enhancement within the ASOSAI community.

Furthermore, our heartfelt gratitude goes to the eleven SAIs of the ASOSAI Governing Board. Their continuous support, expertise, and dedication have been fundamental in driving the organization forward, ensuring transparency, and enhancing cooperative efforts across our region. Each SAI has played an essential role in shaping the direction and success of ASOSAI's initiatives, and their collective wisdom has been instrumental in our endeavors.

We emphasize the collaborative nature of ASOSAI and the instrumental role of each member in ensuring the organization's success.

Thank you