



## **CERTIND POLICY CONCERNING THE TRANSITION FROM ISO 50003:2014 TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE STANDARD ISO 50003:2021**

On 04.05.2021, the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) published ISO 50003:2021 - Energy management systems — Requirements for bodies providing audit and certification of energy management systems.

According to International Accreditation Forum (IAF) mandatory document IAF MD 24:2021 - TRANSITION REQUIREMENTS FOR ISO 50003:2021, the transition period is of 2 ½ Years (30 months) from its publication - 30 November 2023.

In the following period, CERTIND will identify the changes between new and old version of the standard and will implement the requirements of ISO 50003:2021.

Certind SA will request the transition of accreditation to the requirements of ISO 50003:2021 standard until the end of 2022.

After obtaining the accreditation, CERTIND will use the requirements of ISO 50003:2021 standard:

- for all new clients requesting certification according to SR EN ISO 50001:2019/ ISO 50001:2018;
- for certified clients, on the occasion of the next planned surveillance audit, but no later than 30.11.2023.

*Note: Because the requirements for audit time determination have changed in the 2021 edition, the agreement signed between Certind and the client certified according SR EN ISO 50001:2019/ ISO 50001:2018 will be revised to meet the new requirements in the following situations:*

- *On the occasion of the next surveillance audit after obtaining the accreditation, based on an additional act that identifies the changes;*

*or*

- *At the latest at the first recertification audit after obtaining the accreditation, even if the recertification audit takes place after the end date of the transition (30.11.2023).*

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