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FY 2021 Triennial and State Management Review Findings and Observations

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FY 21 Triennial and State Management Reviews

Region	Triennial	State Management Reviews	Region Total	
TRO-01	11	2	13	
TRO-02	10		10	
TRO-03	20	2	22	
TRO-04	47	5	52	
TRO-05	39	1	40	
TRO-06	26	2	28	
TRO-07	12	2	14	
TRO-08	8	3	11	
TRO-09	31	4	35	
TRO-10	12	1	13	
Review Total	216	22	238	



Average Number of Findings

	TR		SMR		All Reviews		ws		
Region	FY18	FY19	FY21	FY18	FY19	FY21	FY18	FY19	FY21
TRO-01	8.6	7.0	2.6	2.5	8.0	3.0	7.7	7.1	2.7
TRO-02	5.1	2.5	3.1	4.0	0	0	4.9	2.5	3.1
TRO-03	3.7	6.1	5.9	2.0	8.0	10.0	3.6	6.4	6.2
TRO-04	4.8	6.7	5.0	4.5	10.3	4.0	4.8	6.9	4.9
TRO-05	11.0	6.6	4.1	12.5	4.5	36.0	11.1	6.5	4.9
TRO-06	8.4	12.1	3.7	0.5	9.0	1.0	7.8	12.0	3.5
TRO-07	13.1	9.9	2.7	5.0	4.0	2.5	12.2	9.1	2.6
TRO-08	9.3	4.6	4.6	7.0	9.0	13.3	8.8	5.1	7.0
TRO-09	5.7	5.4	2.5	11.5	38.0	9.5	5.9	6.5	3.3
TRO-10	3.5	5.8	0.4	3.5	6.0	2.0	3.5	5.8	0.5
Average Findings	6.9	7.0	3.8	5.5	9.7	7.7	6.8	7.2	4.1



Top Ten Review Findings

Finding	FY21	FY19
Procurement - Missing FTA clauses	Х	Х
Procurement - Lacking required cost/price analysis	Х	Х
Procurement - Responsibility determination deficiencies	Х	
Procurement - Incomplete written documentation of procurement history	X	
Procurement - Lacking independent cost estimate	Х	Х
Financial Capacity - Missing, insufficient, or out of date financial operating procedures	X	Х
Financial Capacity - ECHO documentation deficient	Х	
Disadvantaged Business Enterprise - DBE uniform reports contain inaccuracies and/or are missing required information		Х
Maintenance - Late vehicle/vessel preventive maintenance	Х	
Technical Capacity - Incorrect FFR reporting	Х	Х

FY 21 Review Observations

Q Observations

- Average number of FY21
 Triennial Review findings
 decreased by 42%. Possible
 reasons include:
 - Some questions omitted from the Review due to on-site requirements
 - Increase in technical assistance
 - Virtual atmosphere allows for more flexibility

Comments

- Regions and recipients Positive feedback, especially with decrease in findings
- Contractors Indicated an increased level of effort for virtual reviews

Questions?



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