

Performantieaudit bij de Franse Inspection générale des finances: een voorbeeld voor België?

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ABSTRACT

The general finance inspectorate ("*Inspection générale des finances*" or "IGF") is a French government department that reports to both the Minister for the Economy and the Minister for the Budget. The IGF's general mission is to provide oversight, audit, analysis, consulting, and evaluation services in administrative, economic, and financial matters. In the course of the last several years the IGF has progressively developed an activity in which public structures and policies are evaluated with the goal of enhancing their efficiency and overall performance and consulting services are provided to various public bodies with the explicit aim of influencing public policy. These activities and the resulting reports are analysed. Some reflection is provided on the development of similar activities in the Belgian public framework.

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