

The Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics (Bundesanstalt für Agrarwirtschaft); Follow-up Audit

Summary

The Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry, Environment and Water Management (BMLFUW) and the Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics failed to implement the majority of the recommendations issued by the Austrian Court of Audit in 2013. The BMLFUW did not implement the significant recommendation to merge the Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics with the Federal Institute for Less Favoured and Mountainous Areas (Bundesanstalt für Bergbauernfragen). Owing to a similar field of activities, a merging of the two entities could result in annual savings of EUR 340,000.

The BMLFUW and the Federal Institute of Agricultural Economics implemented merely one recommendation: the BMLFUW subjected both institutions to an internal audit. The therefrom resulting audit report also concluded to merge both federal institutions.

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