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**Subject: ACQUIN follow-up report to the 2021 ENQA review**

Dear Dr Alexander Rudolph,

At its meeting on 21 September 2023, the Board of ENQA considered the follow-up report arising from the external review of the Accreditation, Certification and Quality Assurance Institute (ACQUIN) in 2021. The Board wishes to use the opportunity to commend the agency for its careful consideration of the panel's recommendations following the external review, especially on ESG 3.1 and ESG 2.3, where the agency initiated a five-year strategic planning, and is in the process of redefining the follow-up procedure, respectively.

The Board approves the report and takes note of the progress that has been made.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Douglas Blackstock', is written over a light grey signature line.

Douglas Blackstock  
President