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ENERGY AUDITS.

Issues regarding implementation of Art 8 .

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Definition of non-SME, Multinationals.

➤ Can a company certainly know whether is a SME or a Large enterprise?

- Guidance Note and App on the website of the Ministry of Industry, Trade and Tourism.
 - <https://soypyme.ipyme.org/Home>
- Related enterprises in other countries (including outside the EU) need to be included.

➤ **Main problem inherent to non-SME definition.**

- Multinational companies must audit all sites, even if it is a small delegation with a negligible energy consumption.
 - (1) Costs can be higher; cost-effectiveness is an issue.
 - (2) Difficulties to verify the correct implementation of the obligation.
- Suggestion: limit the scope, e.g. some criteria within MS.



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¿Soy una PYME?

Flexibilities for multisite companies (not necessarily multinationals).

- **Energy audits need to be proportionate and sufficiently representative to permit the drawing of a reliable picture of overall energy performance and the reliable identification of the most significant opportunities for improvement:**
 - **Sampling:** Similar assets in different sites can perform a model of energy audit on a representative sample, and extrapolate results.
 - **Reporting:** Information can be registered in an aggregated manner form in each region.
 - **De minimis:** Energy audit must cover at least 85% of final energy consumption of the facilities within national territory.

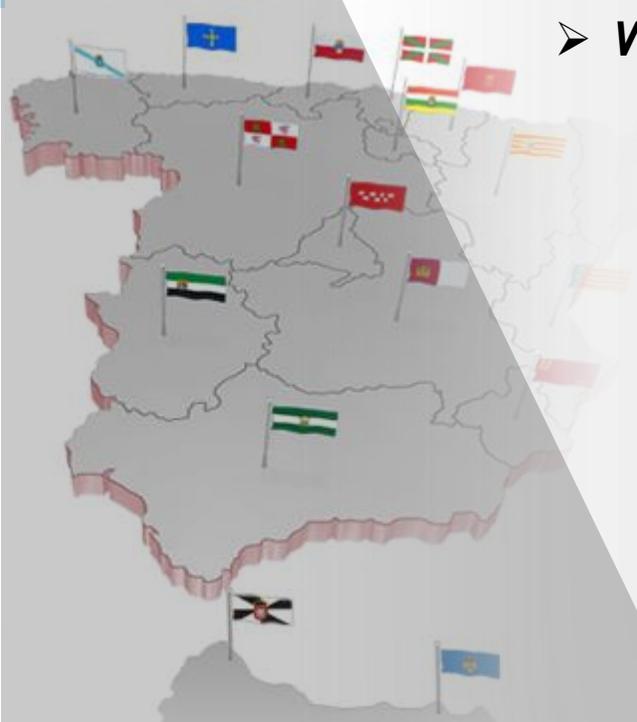


Verifying the implementation of the obligation.



➤ Who is in charge of the supervision?

- Autonomous Communities have the constitutional competence and are responsible for verifying the correct implementation of the energy audits.
- Good knowledge of the companies within their territory.
 - Difficulties with small delegations of multinationals.



➤ What does the Ministry for the Ecological Transition do ?

- Coordination: meetings for exchange of good practices.
- Follow-up: Autonomous Communities report on the number and outcome of their controls.
- Assistance, if requested by the Autonomous Communities.
 - All companies participating in commercial activities must be registered at the Spanish Mercantile Registry.
 - Public register. All information may be accessed.
 - Several data mining systems available, e.g., SABI, DUNS