Sampo Group's **Annual Report 2013**

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Sampo's Internal Audit is a function independent of business operations, which evaluates the sufficiency and effectiveness of the internal control system and the quality with which tasks are performed in Sampo Group. The Internal Audit reports to the Group CEO. The Internal Audit has been organized to correspond with the business organization.

The Audit Committee of Sampo's Board of Directors annually approves the Internal Audit's operating plan. The Internal Audit reports on the audits performed to the Group CEO and the Audit Committee. Company-specific audit observations are reported to the respective companies' governing bodies and management.

In its auditing work, the Internal Audit complies with, in addition to the Internal Audit Charter approved by Sampo's Board of Directors, the international professional standards approved by the IIA (the Institute of Internal Auditors).