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## Annual Audited Financial Statement Review Notification and Reminder

Ginnie Mae wishes to announce that it has awarded Ginnie Mae's Audited Financial Statement Review contract to Econometrica, Inc. This contract was previously held by Williams Adley.

The Audited Financial Statement Review contract supports the annual review of audited financial statements and Fidelity Bond and Errors and Omissions insurance renewal documentation of all approved Issuers, and provides assurance that Issuers fully comply with Ginnie Mae's financial and insurance requirements.

Going forward, all audited financial statement reviews will be conducted by Econometrica. Information regarding the requirement and process for submitting audited financial statements and insurance documentation are published in Chapter 3-7 and Appendix VI-20 of the MBS Guide.