

ERRADA

Egyptian Regulatory Reform & Development Activity



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TOWARDS A BETTER REGULATORY SYSTEM

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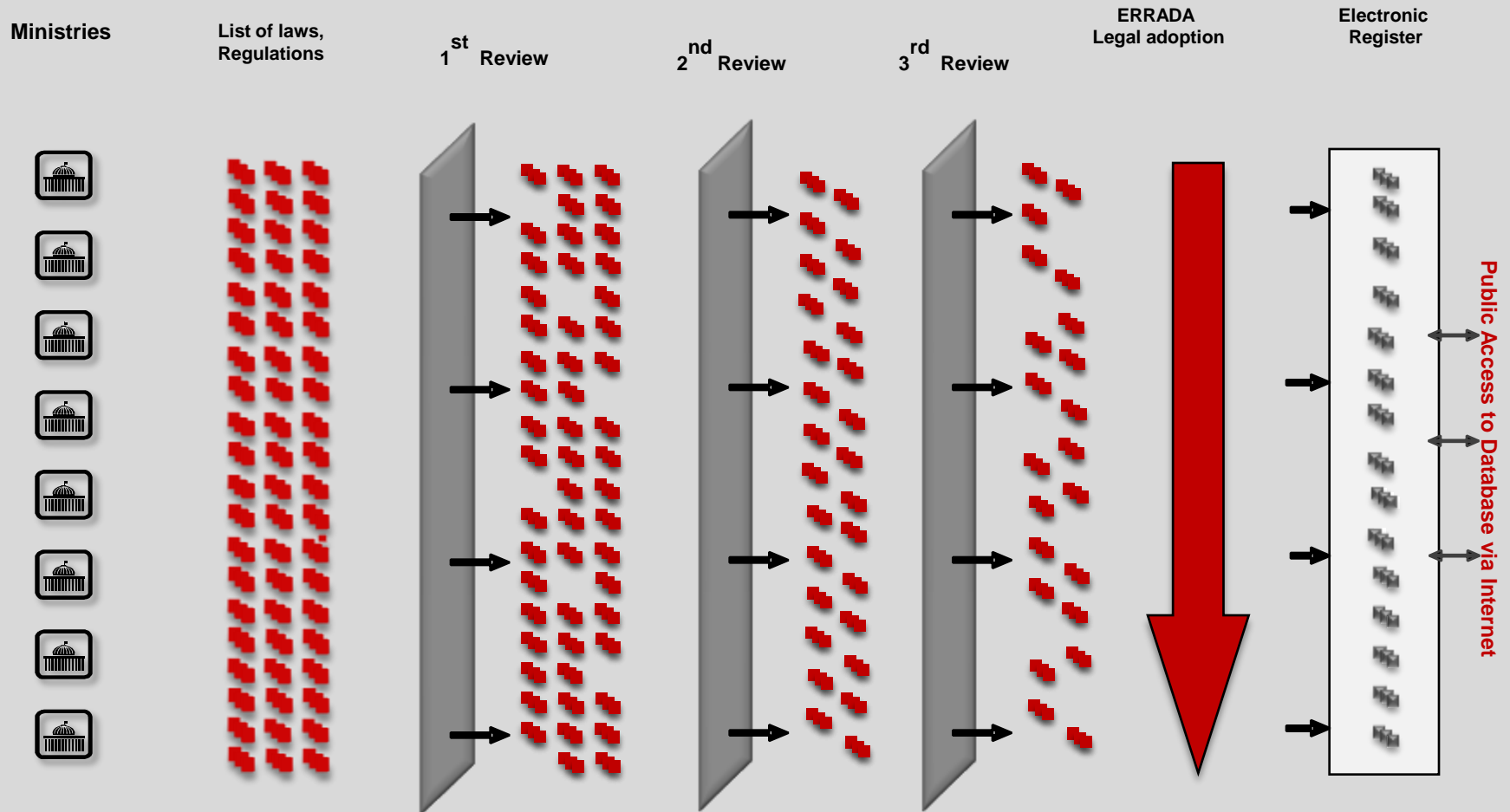
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Vision

“Establish an effective environment for investments, through better regulations”.

Batch Packages of Reforms

GRU Prepares for Board of Trustees



Inventory Targets

- **Inventory of all legislation**
 - **Valid**
 - **Related to the participating ministries**
 - **Business related**
- **Create an **electronic** database for review**

ERRADA in numbers

• Participating Ministries	11
• Ministerial Units	12
• Subordinate Agencies	163
• Legislation tools	270
• Inventoried Legislation	260 000
• Business related legislation	26 000
• Legislations in ERRADA database	25 676

Archive before the Inventory



Achievement of the Inventory

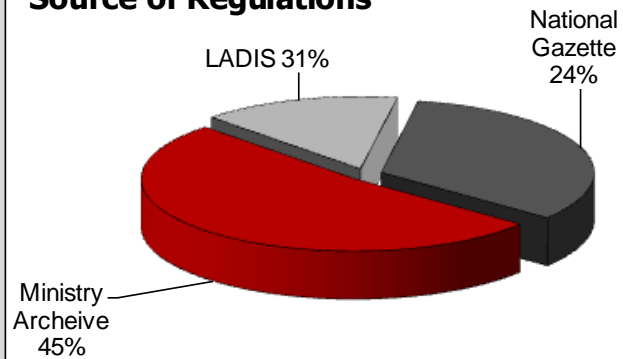
- **Compiling of legislation**
- **Classification of legislation and create links for review**
- **Create an institutional memory for the participating ministries**
 - **Comprehensive**
 - **Valid**
 - **Electronic database**

Inventory challenges

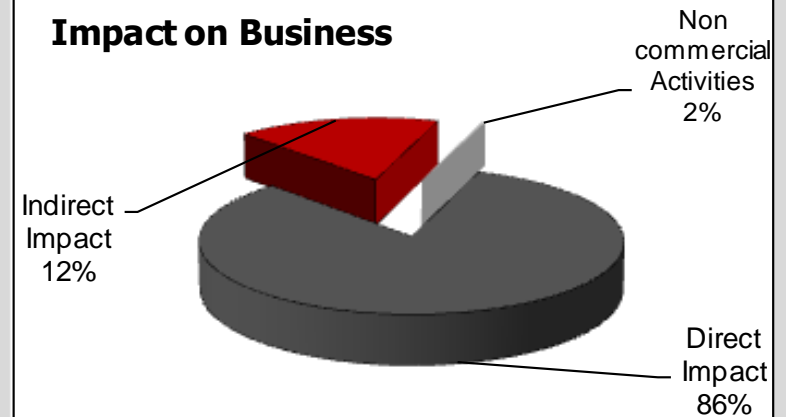
- **Non-completion of any source of legislation**
- **The complexity of the legislative system**
- **Identify the valid/ cancelled**
- **Publishing**

Results of the Inventory

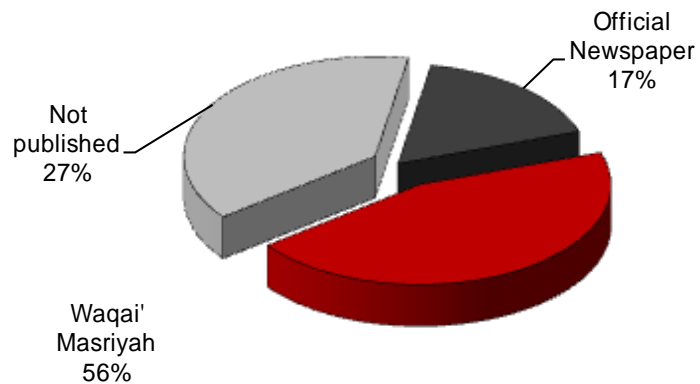
Source of Regulations



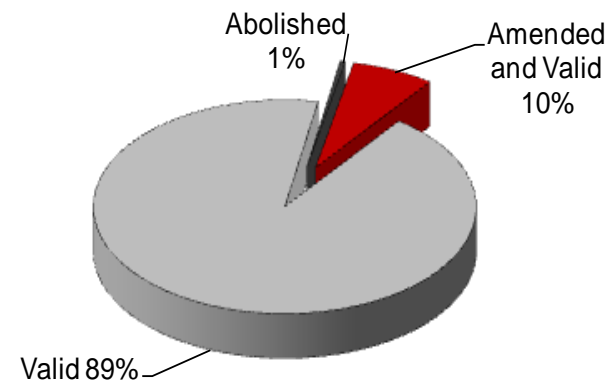
Impact on Business



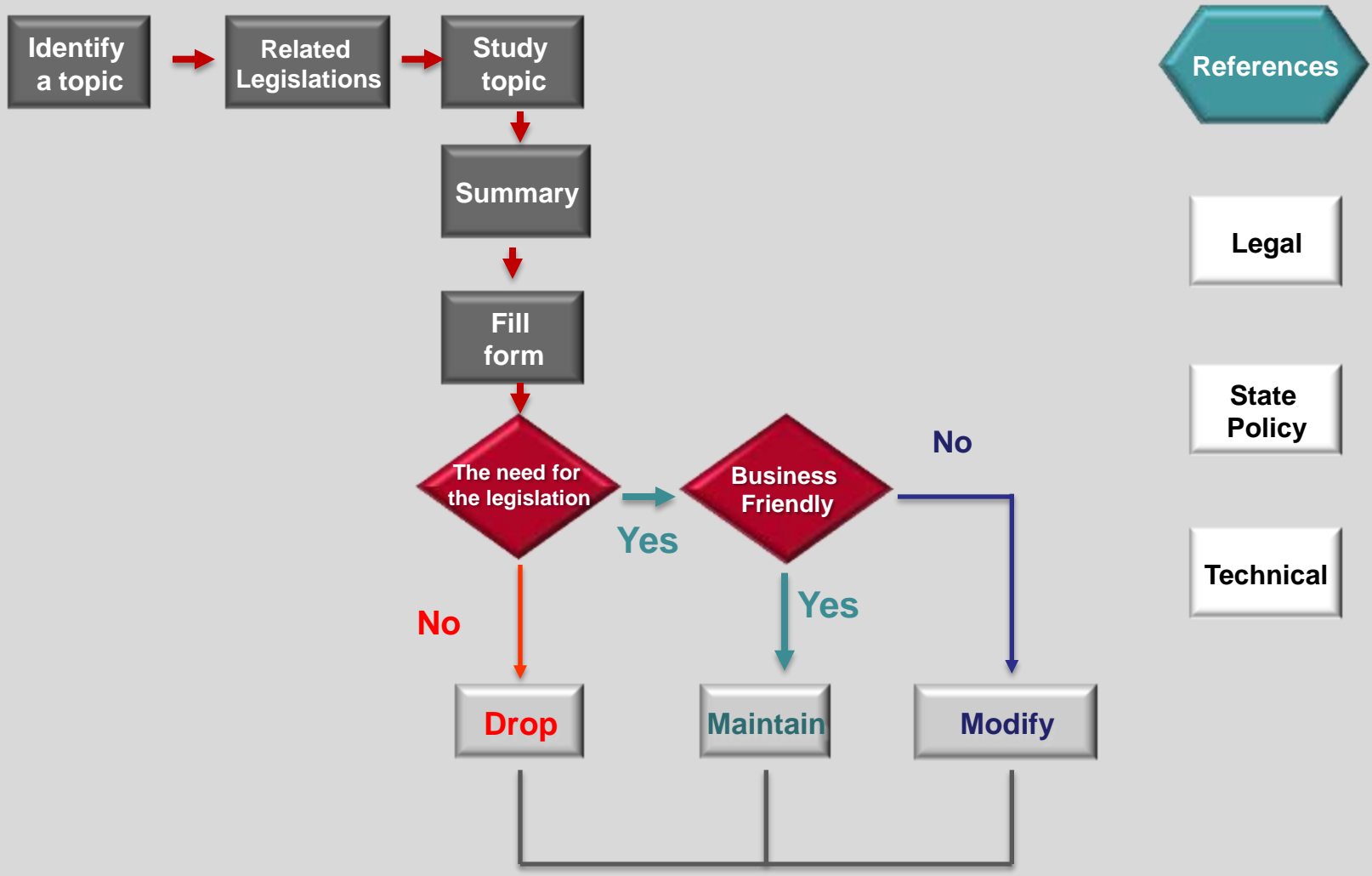
Publishing



Regulation Status



The Review






Review Guide

- A form was developed in cooperation between the ministerial units and central unit. Training took place for more than 12 'one day workshop' on applying the form.
- Defines roles and responsibilities of each party
- Determine precisely what needs to be bound by and what can be guided by the only
- Continuously adjusted to reflect the execution of work and challenges

Operational plan for review

- Internal topic for the review
- Timeframe to submit recommendations to the GRU
- Resources required for the review
- Review Methodology

Review - topics

- 166 topics were identified for internal review of all ministries 
- Common topics among the ministries 
- The number of legislation governing the single topic can reach 856 legislation from 5 different ministries 
- Some of the topics overlap in the terms of reference among several subordinate agencies .

Studying the topics

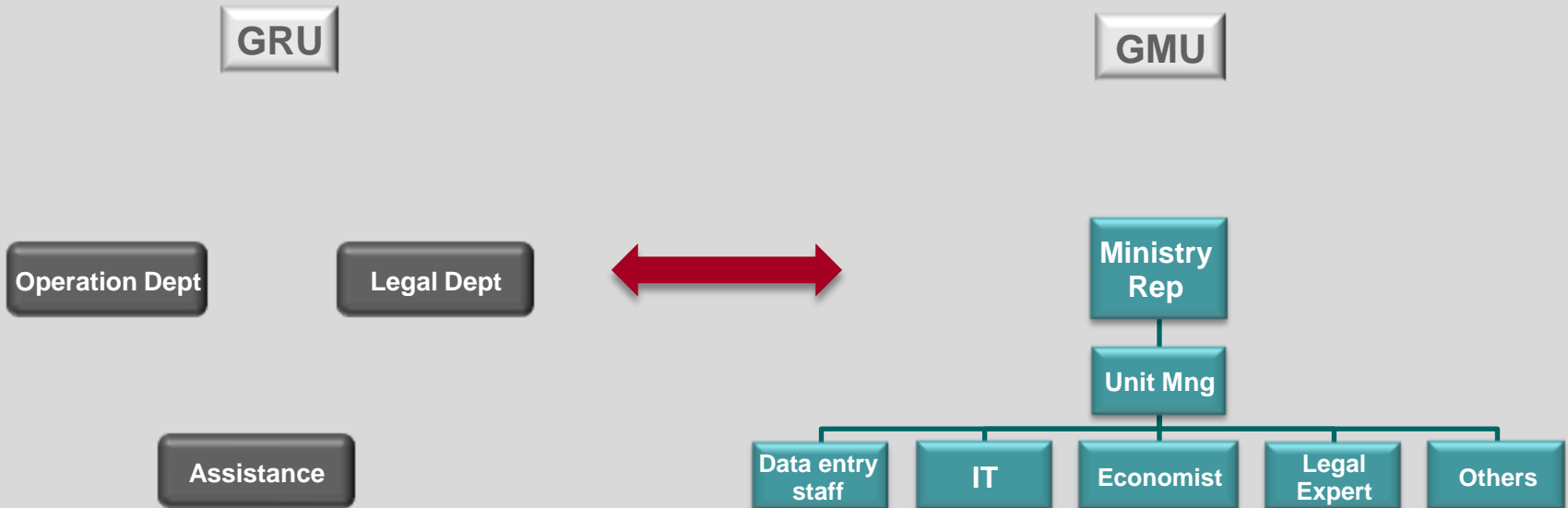
Important references for the study

1. General policy of the State
2. Standards and technical requirements
 - Points of application
 - Targeted audience
3. Egyptian legal framework

Review Criteria

1. Need for the legislation
Are the reasons for and objectives of the legislation still exist?
2. Business Friendly.
Are there any challenges facing the business when applying the legislation?
3. In harmony with the Egyptian legal framework
Are there any other legislation governing the same topic or part of it?

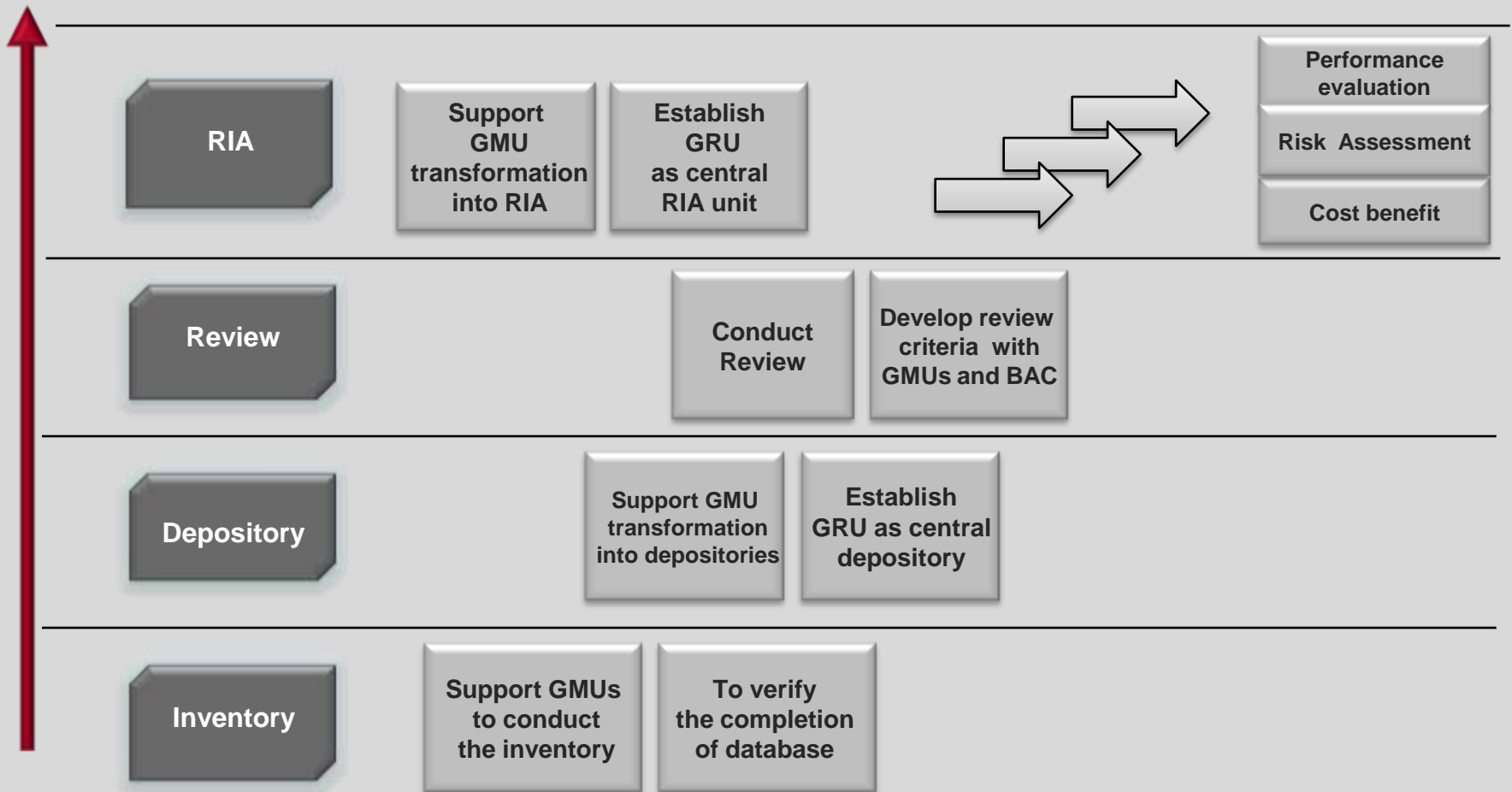
The role of the GRU



Challenges of the Review

- Continuous Political support within the ministry and the subordinate agencies
- Provide the resources required to complete the review process.
- Make the utmost diligence and care to get the an objective and documented recommendations.
- Good organization and follow-up the review process with ongoing evaluation

Evolution of the GRU role



Key Challenges facing ERRADA

- Update inventory of regulations
- Follow up the implementation of the recommendations
- Build capacity of ERRADA institutions
- Secure a stable funding stream
- Launch awareness campaign
- Access expertise in regulatory reform
- Build sustainable political support .