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Progress in PTP Accreditation

HE Ping, CNAS

Sept. 2014, Beijing China



中国认可



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PART I: INTERNATIONAL PROGRESS

泛美认可合作组织
(IAAC)

欧洲认可合作组织
(EA)



国际实验室认可
合作组织
ILAC

亚太认可合作组织
(APLAC)

南部非洲发展共同体
认可合作组织
(SADAC)

ILAC Resolution GA 11.21

The ILAC General Assembly, taking into account the PTCG analysis of compliance with steps a) to e) of ILAC-S6, agrees to proceed with an expansion of the scope of the ILAC MRA to include accredited PT scheme providers.

(Oct 2007, Sydney)

ILAC Resolution GA 12.24

Following ILAC Resolution GA 11.21 (to include accredited PT Providers in the ILAC MRA), the General Assembly notes that the analysis of ISO/IEC 17011 and the IAF/ILAC A-Series has been carried out by the PTCG and confirms these documents are applicable to the implementation of an extension of the ILAC MRA. However, they need to be supported by an ILAC Policy interpreting the circumstances where PT can be provided by Accreditation Bodies or where providers can be accredited. The General Assembly notes that the PTCG has prepared such a draft Policy, entitled Use of ISO/IEC 17011, with Appropriate Interpretation, as Applied to the Accreditation of Proficiency Testing Providers and agrees that this draft policy be distributed for comment and ballot by ILAC Members.

(Oct 2008, Stockholm)

ILAC Resolution GA 13.27

Referencing ILAC GA Resolutions GA 9.12 and 9.13, and recognising that ILAC has played a significant role in the creation of a draft International Standard for Proficiency Testing, the General Assembly endorses the use of ISO/IEC 17043, when published, for the accreditation of Proficiency Testing Providers. Effective two years after publication of ISO/IEC 17043, the General Assembly withdraws its endorsement of the use of ILAC G13 and ISO/IEC Guide 43 as referenced in GA Resolution 9.13 and approves the withdrawal of ILAC G13.

ILAC Resolution GA 13.28

Taking into account the anticipated publication of ISO/IEC 17043 and the need for ILAC members to use current and appropriate statistical methods for analysing proficiency testing data, the General Assembly requests a review of ISO 13528 *Statistical methods for PT by Interlaboratory comparison* by ISO TC69.

(Oct 2009, Vancouver)

ILAC Resolution GA 16.26

- The General Assembly agrees that the Proficiency Testing Consultative Group will be disbanded and reconstituted as a Proficiency Testing Working Group under the Accreditation Committee (AIC). Commencing in 2013, meetings of the working group will occur annually in conjunction with the AIC mid-year meetings, and participation will be open to all interested ILAC members and stakeholders as well as PT providers.

(Oct 2012, Rio)



- ILAC P13:2010

Application of ISO/IEC 17011 for the Accreditation of Proficiency Testing Providers

- *Solved the conflicts btw accreditation of PTPs and organization of PT schemes.*

- ILAC P9:2014

ILAC Policy for Participation in Proficiency Testing Activities

- *Formed the basic requirements.*
- *Included some explanation on inspection.*

- Announced the acceptance of application for PTP MRA in 2013.
 - 10 applicants till Sept., 2013.
- Evaluated 7 applicants till April 2014.
- Established the PTP MRA in June 2014.



Mexico: ema
Japan: JAB
China: HKAS, TAF

USA: A2LA, ACLASS
Singapore: SPRING/SAC

- Currently no MLA/MRA was established for PTP.
- Both are now doing some preparation work.
 - EA is drafting a document for the accreditation scope of PTP.
UKAS, RvA, Belac, ACCREDIA, NA.....
 - Due to the overlap btw APLAC & IAAC, IAAC is about to establish PTP
MLA.



- Accreditation Criteria

ILAC G13:2007 → ISO/IEC 17043:2010

- Technical support documents

ISO 13528:2006 under revision by ISO/TC69

ISO Guide 35:2006 under revision by ISO/REMCO



PART II: CNAS PTP ACCREDITATION



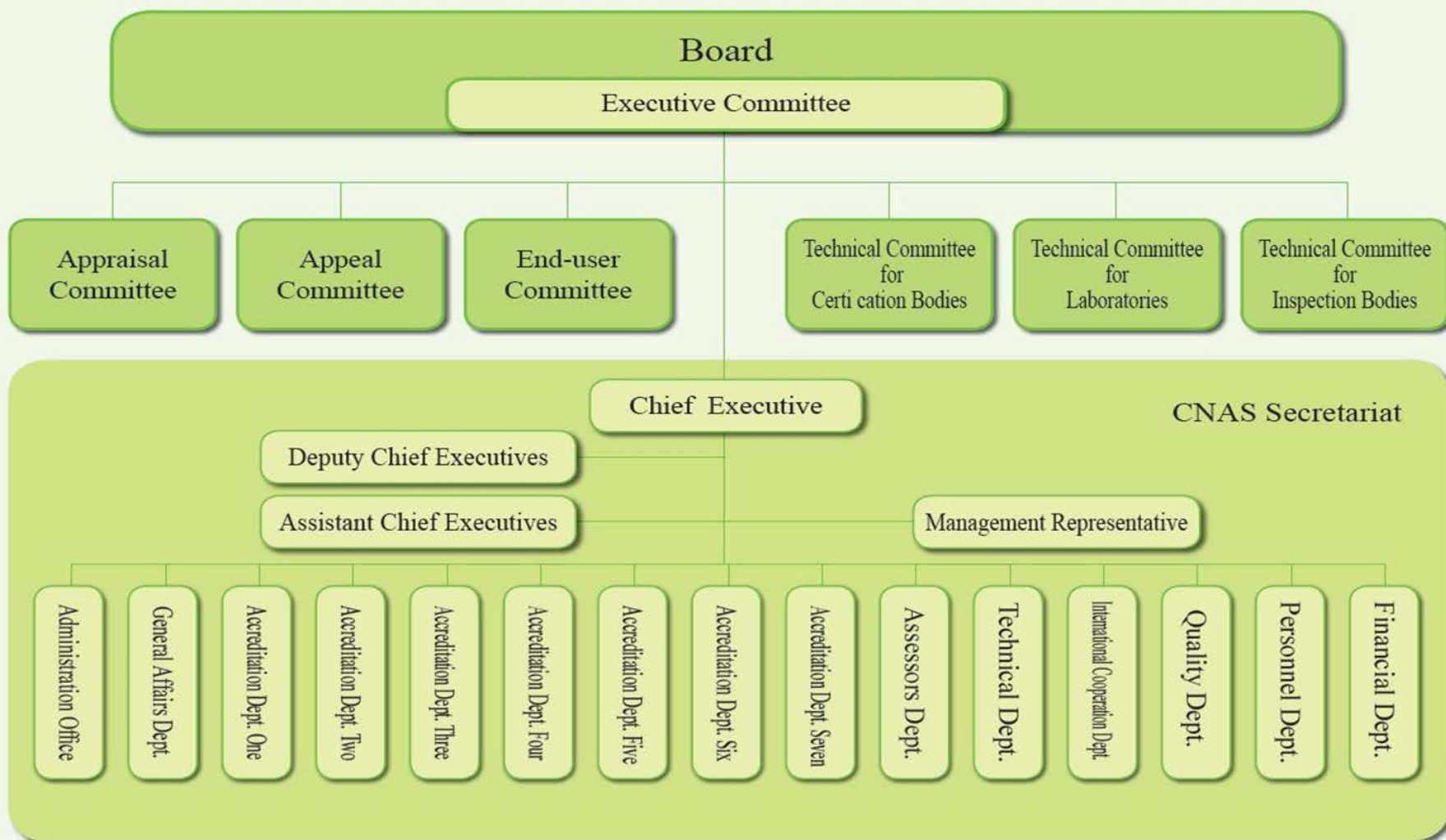
CNAS Overview

➤ *Regulations of PRC on Certification and Accreditation:*

Article 37 The accreditation body authorized by the certification and accreditation regulatory department of the State Council conducts accreditation activities independently.

- CNAS is the China national accreditation body unitarily responsible for the accreditation of certification bodies, laboratories, inspection bodies and relevant bodies, authorized by the Certification and Accreditation Administration of the People's Republic of China (CNCA)

CNAS Organizational Structure



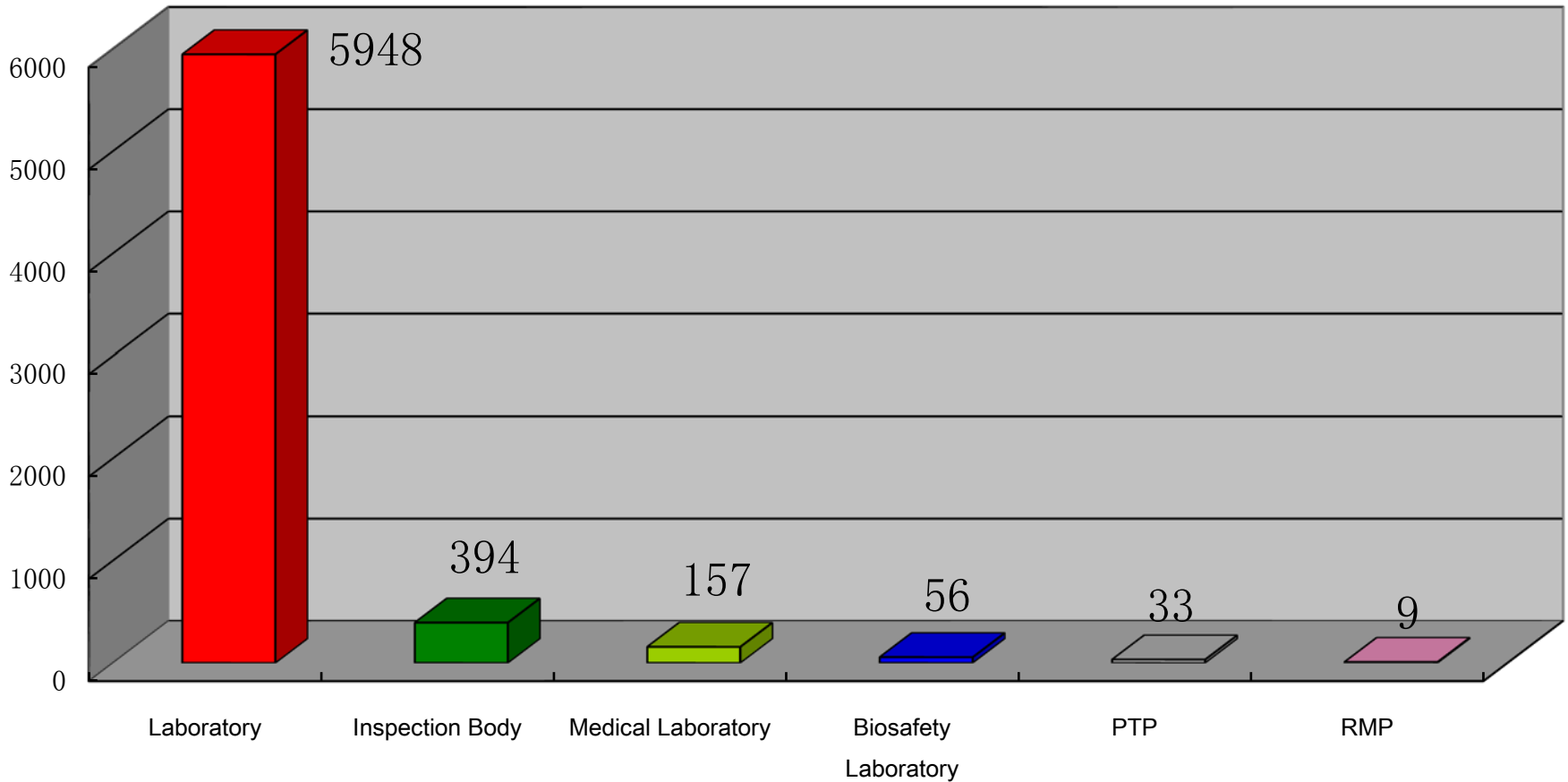
CNAS Human Resources

Board,
Committees
& Sub-
Committees:
910 Members

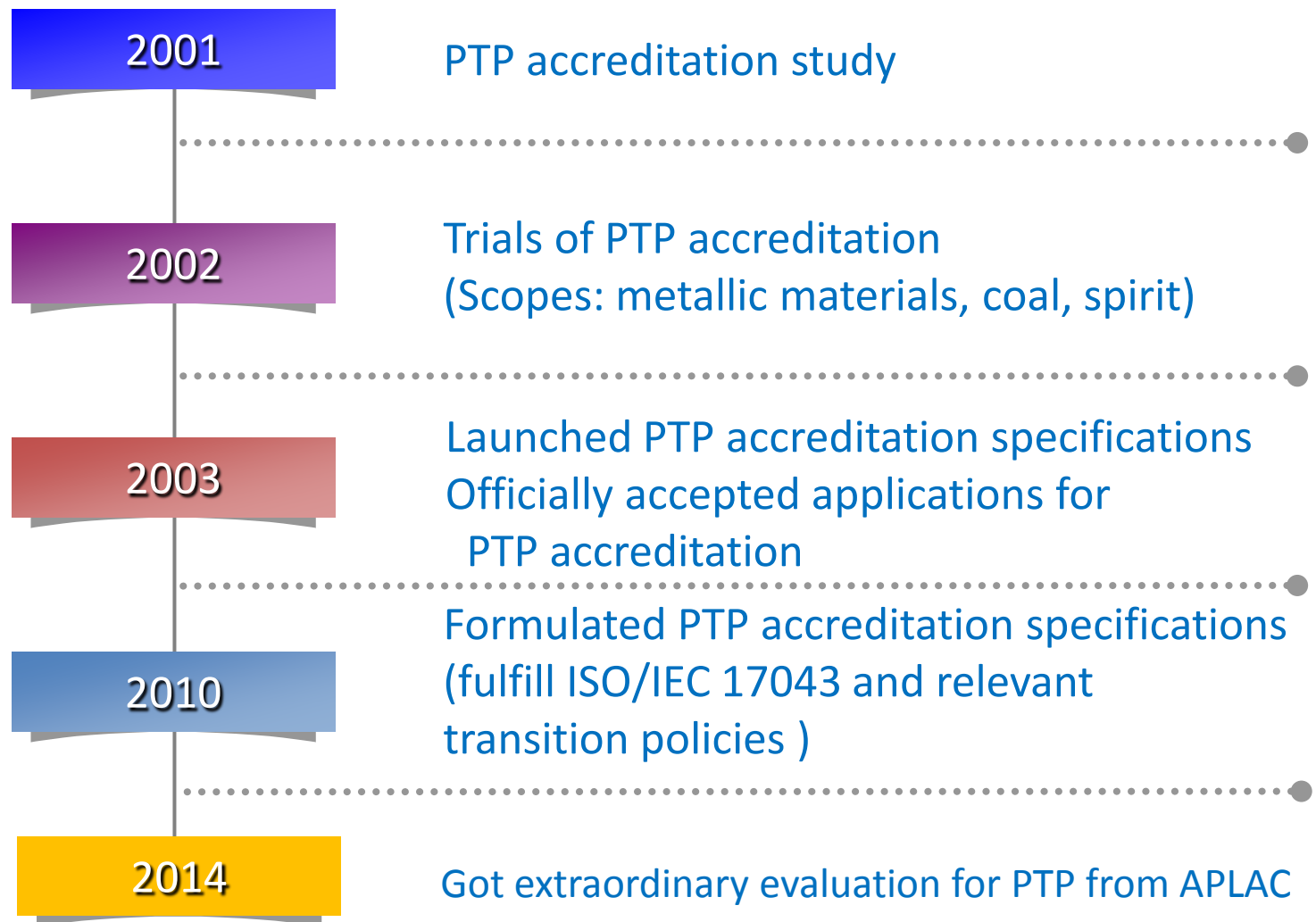
Assessors &
Technical
Experts:
 $5046+755$
 $=5801$

Secretariat
Staff:
206

Till Aug 26,2014



LAB & IB related





July 2014 APLAC PTP
Evaluation



- ✧ Food
- ✧ Metal materials
 - Chemical, Physical, and Engineering Testing
- ✧ Health care
- ✧ Forensic Science
- ✧ Environmental protection
- ✧ Electronics
- ✧ Ceramics
- ✧ Textile
- ✧ Coal
- ✧ Plant & Animal Quarantine
- ✧ Mine & Ore
- ✧ Petroleum
- ✧ IT





- 28 members of PT Sub-technical Committee
From PT providers, regulators, and association.

- Assessor Training Course
Joint Training course with RMP assessors





Brazil
2008



Malaysia 2011



Uzbekistan 2013



- Time: October 19-21, 2014
- Venue: Beijing International Convention Center, China
- Language: Chinese/English
- Communication manners: invited lectures, special reports, posters, proceedings, seminars, etc.





**Thank
You!**