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# **BUILDING TRUST OF GOVERNMENT AND CITIZENS**

(and Keeping It)

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# Agenda

**ISSAI 12**

**HOW TRUST IS LOST**

**IMPORTANCE OF BUILDING TRUST**

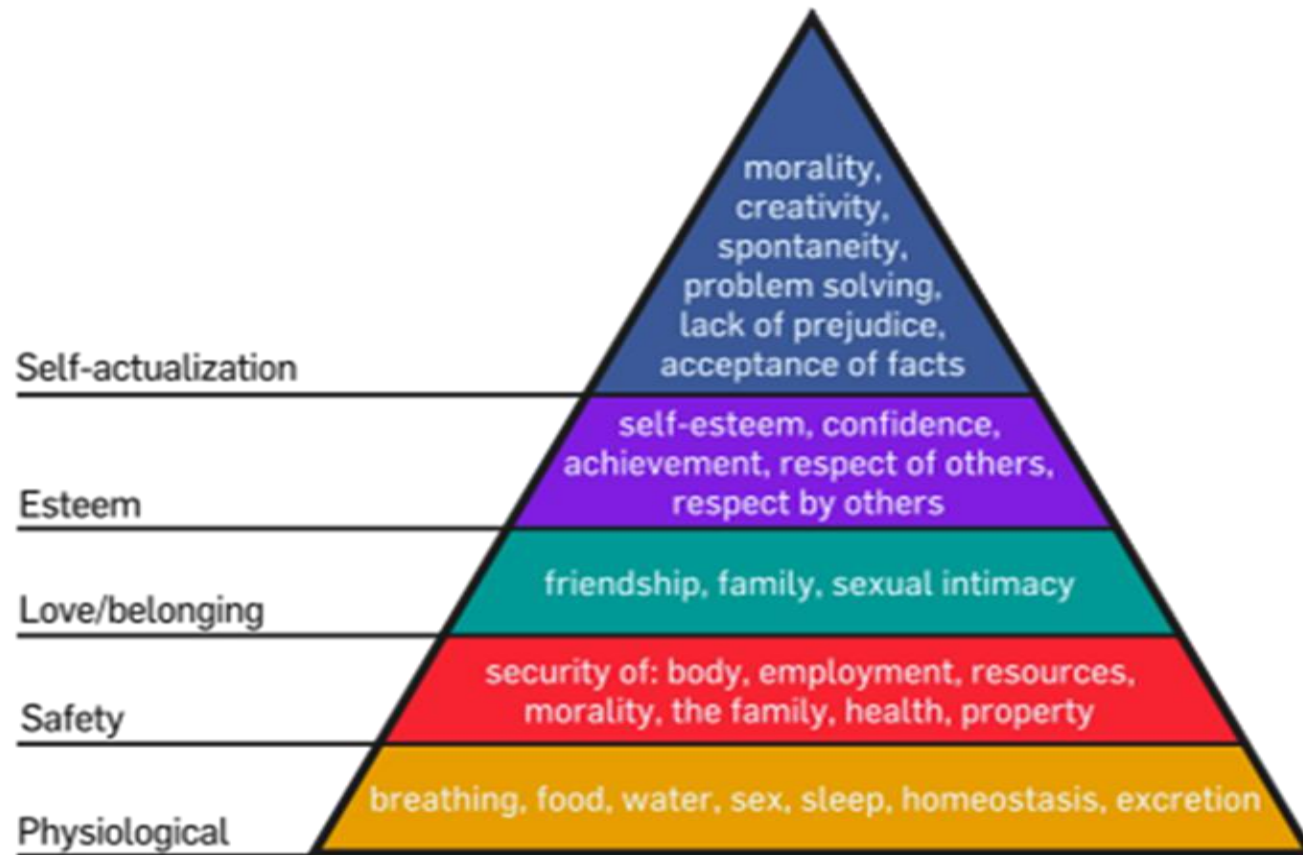
**IMPORTANCE OF A SAI**

- ▶ **SAI IN Auditing in Challenging and Complex Contexts**

**HOW TRUST IS BUILT  
THE LIBERIAN EXPERIENCE**

**HOW TO MAINTAIN TRUST**

# BASIC NEEDS



# HOW TRUST IS LOST





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# ISSAI 12





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# CITIZENS





# SAI IN AUDITING IN CHALLENGING & COMPLEX CONTEXTS

## How do we make a difference?

A. No resources to recruit competent staff

B. Inadequate/Low Budget

C. Conditions are hostile





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# PRINCIPAL OF ISSAI 12

The 12 principles of the value and benefits of SAIs under each of the three objectives are:

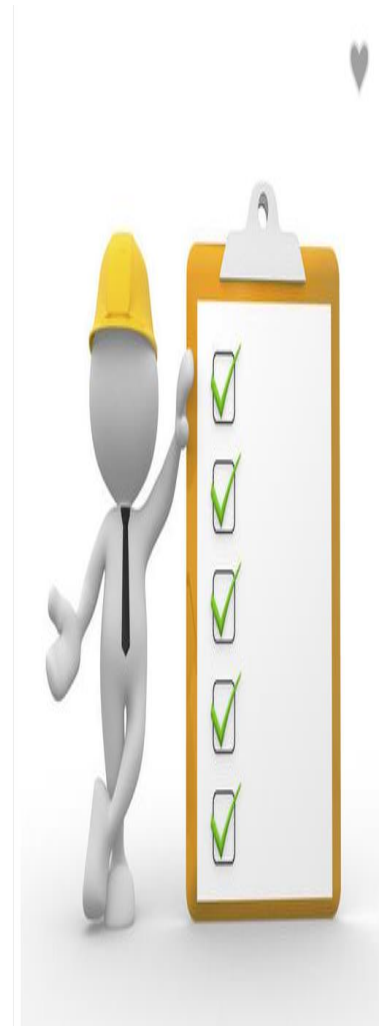




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## HOW DO WE BUILT TRUST THE LIBERIA EXPERIANCE

- Had an external audit performed
- Open the SAI to Peer Review
- Conducted a survey on what the
- The Citizens expect from the SAI
- Make the Audit report easier to read
- Not comprising the ISSAIs
- Hold public forums for stakeholders
- To understand what we do as a SAI
- Publish all audit and Performance reports





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# HOW TO MAINTAIN TRUST

- ▶ Form partnership with Stakeholders:
- ▶ Civil Society Organizations
- ▶ Media
- ▶ Continuously report and speak out on Audit Recommendations



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QUESTIONS