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FEE releases unique survey shedding light on how the Accountancy Profession is structured and organised across 30 European countries

Brussels, 27 March 2012 – FEE (Fédération des Experts-comptables Européens – Federation of European Accountants) has studied the structure and organisation of the accountancy profession across 30 European countries and summarised key facts and findings in a report published today.

The report is a snapshot that will provide interested parties with information about the accountancy professions per country, including an outline of the different education, qualification and registration requirements, reserved activities, supervision and competent authorities. Information about professional accountancy bodies and their roles and activities is available as well, showing how the professions are organised.

All those with an interest in the profession, from potential students to regulators should find the survey of help to comprehend the profession across Europe. In particular, professionals from EU Member States and third countries who consider going cross-border and exercising the fundamental freedoms of the Single Market – either temporarily or permanently – can find a brief overview of how market access would work in their case.

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About the survey

This survey is available from the FEE website at the following link: http://www.fee.be/news/default.asp?library_ref=2&category_ref=214&content_ref=1494

About FEE

FEE (Fédération des Experts-comptables Européens – Federation of European Accountants) is an international non-profit organisation based in Brussels that represents 45 institutes of professional accountants and auditors from 33 European countries, including all of the 27 EU Member States.

FEE has a combined membership of more than 700.000 professional accountants, working in different capacities in public practice, small and big accountancy firms, businesses of all sizes, government and education, who all contribute to a more efficient, transparent and sustainable European economy.

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