

ALSAI representatives attend the workshop on Public Debt Management and discuss the State Budget Audit issues with International Experts

On 11th of September 2024, at the premises of the Parliament of Albania it was held the workshop “The Role of Parliament in Public Debt Management”. The workshop was organized by the Westminster Foundation for Democracy (WFD) Albania, within the framework of the project “Increasing Government Accountability through a More Responsive Parliament”, funded by the FCDO through the British Embassy in Tirana. Representatives of the Albanian Supreme Audit Institution (ALSAI), technical staff of the Parliament, and officials from the Ministry of Finance participated in the workshop.

During the workshop, participants discussed the role of Parliament and other public institutions in overseeing public debt. The Public Debt Management Assessment Tool for Parliament (PDMAT) was also presented in general terms.



Following this workshop, on 12 September 2024, a meeting was held at the premises of ALSAI between Mr. Geoff Dubrow, WFD International Expert; Mr. Lars Jessen, Lead Debt Specialist at the World Bank; Ms. Laureta Memo, Project Manager at WFD; and ALSAI representatives Mr Gjovalin Preçi, Director of the State Budget Audit Department, and Ms. Xhesila Nano and Mr. Albert Hoxhalli, auditors in the same Department. The meeting focused on the issue and importance of public debt oversight and the role of the Albanian Supreme Audit Institution in this process. The discussion with the international experts was highly valuable for the continued performance of ALSAI’s function in matters related to the audit of the state budget in general and public debt management in particular.

