

The Network for Control of Public Management's first year

In 2009 the network established partnerships throughout the country to fight misuse of funds and corruption

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The Network for Control of Public Management is one-year-old today. Conceived by the President of the Brazilian Court of Audit (TCU), Minister Ubiratan Aguiar, the network was launched in March of 2009 to strengthen the integration among agencies that act in the control and monitoring of the use of public resources. The network comprises the Brazilian Court of Audit and sixteen control agencies, such as the Public Prosecution's Office, the Federal Police, the Brazilian Ombudsman Office, the regional courts of audit, the Brazilian Federal Treasury, the Federal Attorney's Office, among others.

The partnership's goal is to audit and improve the diagnosis and the fight against corruption. In 2009, twenty states have joined the network for control. This month the network will be completed by the inclusion of the states of Mato Grosso, Rondônia, São Paulo, Santa Catarina, Roraima and Maranhão.

This year the network will perform audits in the areas of health, education and public safety. Another goal of the network in 2010 is to begin the audit for monitoring the expenditure on the 2014 FIFA World Cup. To increase the participation of the society, the website of the Network for Control of Public Management will be launched on the Internet.