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The Court of Audit sends its 30th Report with comments to the Parliament of the French Community

The Court of Audit's 30th report to the Parliament of the French Community includes two parts. In the first, the Court presents its observations on the general accounts of the French Community for the year 2017.

The second part consists of three chapters. The first one comments on the evolution of the financing balance in 2017. The second deals with the reporting on the accounts of the bodies and entities of the French Community, as well as the Court's observations on the accounts of the autonomous accounting administrative services for the year 2017. It also contains an article on the accounting provisions and valuation rules applicable to universities in the French Community.

Finally, the Court of Audit sets out the remarks and recommendations it made following two audits, one on the expenditure of government members' offices and their support services and the other on the award and performance of public contracts concluded by the University of Liège during the financial years 2015 and 2016.

The full text of the 30th observation book sent by the Court of Audit to the Parliament of the French Community is available (in French only) on the Court's website (www.courtofaudit.be).

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The Court of Audit exerts an external control on the financial operations of the Federal State, the Communities, the Regions and the provinces. It contributes to improving public governance by transmitting to the parliamentary assemblies, to the managers and to the audited services any useful and reliable information resulting from a contradictory examination. As a collateral body of the Parliament, the Court performs its missions independently of the authorities it controls.