

~ The purpose of policy evaluation is to fulfill accountability, realize results-based administration and revitalize the organization ~

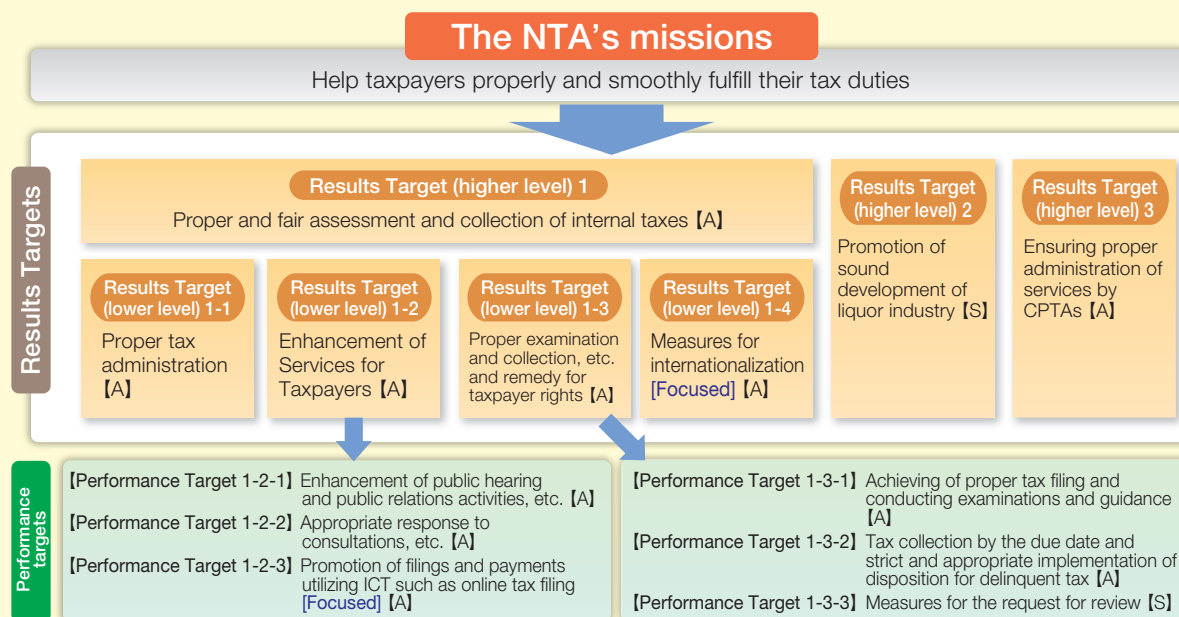
The purpose of the “Results Evaluation for the Targets to Be Achieved by the NTA” (policy evaluation) is to ① clarify the NTA’s missions and objectives to be achieved and fulfill accountability to citizens and taxpayers, ② continue promoting more efficient, high-quality and results-based administration that meets the needs of the times and ③ improve operations, enhance the motivation of staff, and revitalize the organization. The Minister of Finance provides and releases the “Results Evaluation Implementation Plan” and the “Results Evaluation Report” every year.

~ The NTA’s missions and assignment and the structure of results evaluation targets and results of evaluation ~

In operation year 2013, the NTA’s three duties provided in Article 19 of the Act for Establishment of the Ministry of Finance were set as the targets to be achieved (Results Target (higher level) 1 through 3). The Results Target (higher level) 1 has four sub-results targets (lower level) and six performance targets.

The following shows the major results of evaluation of each target for operation year 2013. The NTA is working to improve tax administration in consideration of these results of evaluation and verification.

■ Concept of “the NTA’s missions” and “results targets, etc.” (for operation year 2013)



(Note) 1 The targets, etc. marked with [Focused] are those to be promoted more actively.

2 The achievement level of each target is evaluated with the following five grades.

[S+]: Goal exceeded [S]: Goal achieved [A]: Considerable progress toward accomplishment [B]: No major progress [C]: No progress

Ministry of Finance Round-table Conference for Policy Evaluation

In order to secure objectivity for the evaluation of results and improve the quality of evaluation, the “Ministry of Finance Round-table Conference for Policy Evaluation,” which consists of experts, is held to obtain expert opinions at the phase of implementation planning and evaluation.

Opinions on the evaluation of results for operation year 2013 include the following: “We expect the NTA to encourage the public to acquire a better understanding of taxes.” “e-Tax has been improved remarkably since its introduction.” “Evaluations should incorporate how opinions from the front lines have been reflected in the subsequent operational improvements.”

* For details, please visit the “NTA’s Results Evaluation” on the NTA website. (<http://www.nta.go.jp/kohyo/katsudou/jissekihyoka/01.htm>)