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## Section 2 (Definitions)

I would suggest adding a definition of "Methodology".

If it refers to things like pricing, financial projections for management, actuarial appraisals or valuations (e.g., VM-20 reserves), then maybe "Purpose" would be a better descriptor than "Methodology".

## Section 3.1.2 (Adjustments for Data Deficiencies)

I did not understand what you were driving at here. If data is deficient (which it can be for many reasons), I would think you have to make some adjustments or even toss the data altogether if it is deficient because of poor quality.

## **General Comment**

The ASOP seems to really just be common sense things that I would hope everyone is doing already. Were there specific problems that have been brought to your attention that motivated this ASOP?

Regards,

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