A Study on the Accounting System Reform under the Modern Financial System

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Abstract: With the rapid development of the modern financial system, the existing accounting system is facing many challenges, and it is urgent to keep pace with The Times to adapt to the new economic environment. This study analyzes the accounting problems existing in the current financial system, discusses the necessity of accounting system reform, and puts forward a series of specific reform suggestions. The research methods mainly include literature review, case analysis and expert interview, aiming to fully understand the operation status and problems of the accounting system in the modern financial system. The research results show that the current accounting system has deficiencies in information transparency, risk control, international compatibility and other aspects, and these problems directly affect the stability and development of the financial system. Therefore, the proposed reform measures mainly include strengthening the accounting information disclosure standards, optimizing the accounting regulatory framework, and promoting the promotion of international accounting standards. These reforms can not only improve the adaptability and integration of the accounting system, but also enhance the transparency and credibility of the financial market. Finally, this study puts forward strategic suggestions on how to implement these reform measures, hoping to provide a theoretical and practical reference for the future.

1. Introduction

As businesses around the world become more and more connected and the world of money changes, the rules of accounting seem a little outdated. Accounting rules are important, just like the rules of the game, which can help ensure that the world of money is safe, and that people can do business. But now, some of the rules are not very good, for example, sometimes not clear, some places are not strictly regulated, and not like the rules of the rest of the world. So we need to improve these rules so that they can meet the needs of the current money world and connect with the rules of other countries. This article is just to show us how to improve the accounting rules, to make them more appropriate, and to make the money world work better. Simply put, the meaning of the article is how should we update the accounting rules so that it can help us make our money better and use it more confidently.

2. Analysis of the current situation of modern financial system and accounting system

2.1 Overview and trend of modern financial system

The modern financial system has undergone rapid and profound changes, showing a complex and changeable trend [1]. Driven by globalization, the interdependence of financial markets in various countries has increased significantly, and capital flows have become more free and convenient. This trend not only promotes the integration of the capital market, but also leads to the emergence of new financial instruments and products, further enriching the structure of the financial market. The development of science and technology has played a crucial role in the modern financial system, especially the application of big data, artificial intelligence and blockchain technology, which has greatly improved the efficiency and security of financial services. Fintech has gradually changed the operation mode of traditional financial institutions, and promoted the popularity of new financial services such as online payment, digital currency and intelligent investment consulting. With the frequent macroeconomic fluctuations, the modern financial system also faces increasing risks and uncertainties. This poses an even more serious challenge to the stability of financial markets. The increasing complexity of financial markets requires higher levels of regulation and more comprehensive international cooperation to effectively address cross-border capital flows and financial risks. It can be seen that the development trend of modern financial system not only greatly affects the global economic pattern, but also puts forward new requirements and challenges to the accounting system, and it is particularly necessary to make timely and effective adjustments.

2.2 The Role and challenges of the accounting system in the modern financial system

The complexity and dynamics of the modern financial system make the accounting system play a key role in it, and the effectiveness of the accounting system directly affects the information transparency and stability of the financial market [2]. In the modern financial system, the accounting system is mainly responsible for providing true and accurate financial information, which is not only the basis for investors and decision-makers to evaluate and make decisions, but also an important tool for regulators to conduct market supervision and risk assessment. Accounting system plays an irreplaceable role in ensuring the effective operation of the capital market, reducing information asymmetry and improving the efficiency of resource allocation.

With the innovation of financial products and the changeable way of trading, the traditional accounting system faces many challenges. The complexity of emerging financial instruments often exceeds the carrying capacity of traditional accounting treatment methods, making it difficult for relevant accounting treatment to accurately reflect the financial situation and operating results of enterprises. The acceleration of globalization urges multinational corporations and investors to require consistent and comparable accounting information in the international scope, which puts forward higher requirements for the international compatibility of accounting standards.

In this context, the lack of full disclosure of financial derivatives and their contained risks has also become a major deficiency of the current accounting system. These challenges may not only lead to a lower quality of financial reporting, but may also exacerbate market uncertainty and increase systemic risk. The reform of the accounting system is imperative in order to better cope with the rapid changes and demands of the modern financial system.

2.3 The main problems facing the current accounting system

The current accounting system is facing a series of severe problems in the modern financial

system, which has a profound impact on its stability and effectiveness. Insufficient information transparency is a significant problem. Insufficient or untimely disclosure of accounting information may lead to market participants cannot obtain accurate financial information, which affects investment decisions and market efficiency. The imperfect risk control mechanism is also a challenge, and the lack of monitoring and early warning ability of financial risks makes it difficult for the accounting system to play an effective role in risk identification and management. With the acceleration of the globalization process, the problem of international compatibility is also troubling the current accounting system. The accounting standards of different countries and regions are not unified, which leads to multinational enterprises and investors facing difficulties such as increased operational complexity and difficult comparison of financial statements. This problem restricts the cross-border capital flows and the integrated development of financial markets. Faced with these problems, it is urgent to conduct in-depth research and comprehensive reform to ensure that the accounting system can support the healthy development of the modern financial system and enhance its adaptability and competitiveness in the global economic environment.

3. Necessity and direction of accounting system reform

3.1 Requirements for improving the quality and transparency of accounting information

Under the background of the modern financial system, it is particularly important to improve the quality and transparency of accounting information. The improvement of accounting information quality can effectively improve the trust of market participants in financial statements, thus enhancing the efficiency of the financial market. Transparent and high-quality accounting information can reduce information asymmetry, reduce market risks, and ensure that investors, regulators and other market entities can make more accurate economic decisions. This will not only help to improve the competitiveness of enterprises in the market, but also to enhance the stability of the entire financial system.

In order to meet the needs of the rapid development of the market, the quality of accounting information needs to be continuously improved to meet the stricter requirements of various stakeholders on timeliness, accuracy and integrity [3]. In a high-frequency and high-complexity capital operation environment, outdated or inaccurate financial information may lead to serious investment errors and regulatory blind spots. Reforming the accounting system to improve the quality of information, including strengthening the standardization and meticulousness of financial information disclosure, can ensure the healthy operation of the financial market.

In addition, from the perspective of macroeconomic perspective, improving the transparency of accounting information can promote the optimization of corporate governance structure. Good transparency of accounting information enables external regulators and other stakeholders to supervise the operation of enterprises more effectively, thus forcing the enterprise management to improve the transparency and legitimacy of their operations. This improvement of transparency will help to enhance the market confidence, reduce the cost of market operation, and realize the optimal allocation of resources.

In todays rapid development of information technology, the use of big data analysis, blockchain technology and other means is also crucial in the process of improving the transparency of accounting information. These technologies can not only guarantee the authenticity and reliability of information, but also guarantee the real-time and convenience of information to a greater extent, so as to further meet the market demand for high-quality accounting information. In the modern financial system, the key to the quality and transparency of accounting information is to attach importance to and improve the efficient operation and steady development of the financial market.

3.2 Changes in risk control and regulatory requirements

The demand for risk control and regulation in the modern financial system has changed significantly with the continuous innovation of financial products and services. Traditional accounting systems are difficult to fully reflect the risks in complex financial instruments and business models, which makes financial institutions face greater uncertainty and potential crises. In order to effectively deal with the increasingly complex financial environment, it is an inevitable choice to change the accounting system. The new risk control needs emphasize real-time monitoring and dynamic analysis, which requires higher flexibility and accuracy of accounting information systems. Financial regulators are also under pressure to update the regulatory framework to ensure effective oversight of the financial markets. These changes directly promote the direction of the reform of the accounting system, requiring the setting of stricter information disclosure standards to truly reflect the financial situation and operational risks of enterprises. Under the background of financial globalization, the coordination and unification of the regulatory mechanisms of various countries has become a trend, which not only helps to prevent systemic financial risks, but also puts forward higher requirements for the international compatibility of accounting standards. Through the reasonable reform of the accounting system, the internal control and management of financial institutions can be strengthened to effectively prevent financial risks, so as to maintain the stability and healthy development of the financial system.

3.3 Challenges of the compatibility of international accounting standards

The compatibility of international accounting standards faces significant challenges in the modern financial system environment. Multinational enterprises and the global economy require the consistency and comparison of the accounting information, and the differences in the accounting standards of different countries hinder this unity. This difference can lead to misconceptions in financial reporting and complicate cross-border investment decisions. In order to enhance international compatibility, it is necessary to unify accounting standards to adapt them to the diversity of economic structure and legal environment of various countries. Emerging market and developing economies face inadequate technical support and professional training when adopting international accounting standards. Enhancing the compatibility of international accounting standards will not only help to improve the transparency of global capital markets, but also to promote international economic cooperation and investment growth. It is particularly important to promote countries to actively participate in the formulation and implementation of international accounting standards, so as to build a more coordinated and unified international accounting framework.

4. Accounting system reform measures and implementation strategies

4.1 Enhance information disclosure standards and optimization of accounting regulatory framework

Under the modern financial system, strengthening the information disclosure standard and optimizing the accounting supervision framework are the key links in the accounting system reform. Information transparency is the cornerstone of the stable operation of financial markets. At present, the existing accounting system is still insufficient in the level of information disclosure, which not only affects the quality of investors decision-making, but also hinders the effective operation of the market. By enhancing information disclosure standards, the authenticity, integrity and timeliness of financial information can be ensured, so as to enhance the transparency and credibility of the market. This requires the development of stricter and comprehensive disclosure rules and strict requirements

for all types of financial institutions to ensure the accuracy of financial information.

The optimization of the accounting supervision framework is an important guarantee to ensure the effective implementation of the system. The existing regulatory framework shows some lag and deficiency in dealing with the emerging financial instruments and complex transaction structures. Therefore, it is necessary to establish a dynamic and efficient accounting supervision mechanism to improve the professional ability and technical means of the regulatory departments. The introduction of modern technological means such as big data analysis and artificial intelligence can significantly improve the accuracy of data analysis and risk early warning, so as to better monitor the operation of the financial market. In addition, we should strengthen multi-level coordination of multi-departments and supervision to form regulatory synergy and avoid blind spots and loopholes in supervision.

In the process of information disclosure and accounting supervision optimization, it is especially necessary to pay attention to the reference of international experience and localized implementation of [4]. Referring to international advanced financial supervision practices and considering the characteristics of the domestic market and institutional environment, we aim to develop a set of accounting information disclosure and supervision standards that are both internationally oriented and locally adaptable.

This will not only help improve the modernization of the domestic financial market, but also provide a more transparent and reliable investment environment for international investors, thus enhancing the attractiveness and competitiveness of the market.

Strengthening the information disclosure standards and optimizing the accounting regulatory framework are indispensable and important measures in the reform of the accounting system, which play a significant role in improving the quality of accounting information, risk control ability and market transparency. This will provide a solid institutional foundation for the healthy development of the modern financial system.

4.2 Promotion of international accounting standards and their implementation in China

In the background of global economic integration, the promotion of international accounting standards has become a key measure to improve the international compatibility of accounting system. The application of international accounting standards helps to eliminate the inconsistent problems in the financial reports of multinational enterprises and enhance the comparability of financial information. It can improve the competitiveness of domestic enterprises in the international capital market and attract more external investment. In the process of implementation, it is necessary to adjust the applicable strategy according to the domestic economic environment to ensure compliance with domestic laws and market characteristics. We should strengthen the local interpretation and training of standards, improve the professional level of accounting practitioners, to ensure the effectiveness of the application. We should establish a multi-channel feedback mechanism, collect various problems in the implementation and correct them in time to ensure the smooth progress of the reform measures.

This process requires the cooperation of all parties to achieve the comprehensive and effective implementation of international accounting standards in China and improve the quality and transparency of accounting information.

4.3 Strategies and suggestions in the implementation process of the reform

In order to effectively promote the reform of the accounting system, it is necessary to establish a strong policy support and supervision mechanism. The government and the relevant regulatory agencies should formulate a clear policy framework and regulatory provisions to guide the smooth progress of the reform. In the process of policy implementation, attention should be paid to the participation of multiple stakeholders to ensure the transparency and openness of the reform process.

Effective communication strategy is the key to the implementation of the reform. Clear communication channels need to be established to ensure the smooth flow of information between businesses, government and markets. This will not only help to improve the understanding and support of all parties for the reform measures, but also to timely identify and solve the problems in the reform progress.

In the process of reform, training and education are not to be ignored. Through the development of systematic training courses, we can improve the understanding and application level of the new system, to ensure that the new accounting standards and standards can be effectively implemented.

To promote the implementation of international accounting standards in China, it is also necessary to pay attention to the connection with international experience and localization adjustment, not only to learn from international advanced experience, but also to consider the domestic actual situation, and maintain a certain flexibility, gradually promote, step by step.

A clear timetable and phase goals are also necessary. Setting specific time nodes and implementation steps can not only provide a clear reform path, but also facilitate the parties to supervise and evaluate the effect of reform.

5. Conclusion

This study makes an in-depth analysis and research on the accounting system in the modern financial system, reveals the problems faced by the current accounting system in dealing with the challenges of the new economic environment, and emphasizes the urgency and necessity of reform. It is found that low information transparency, insufficient risk control and poor international compatibility are the main defects in the current accounting system. We have put forward reform measures such as strengthening accounting information disclosure standards, improving the accounting supervision system, and promoting international accounting standards. These proposals are aimed at improving the modernization level, adaptability and credibility of the accounting system, and facilitating the stability and healthy development of the financial system. Although this study provides a series of thoughtful reform proposals, we are also aware that there are still many difficulties and challenges at the practical level, such as the implementation path of the reform, the coordination of various stakeholders and the integration of international standards. Future research can continue to explore specific implementation strategies, and deeply study the characteristics and adaptability of accounting systems of different countries and regions, so as to promote the effective implementation of reform suggestions. In addition, in the face of the constant changes in the global financial environment, the innovation of the accounting system should also keep pace with The Times, and constantly absorb new theoretical achievements and practical experience, in order to better serve the sustainable development of the financial market. Through regular evaluation and revision, we have reason to believe that a more fair, transparent, and efficient accounting system will become an integral part of the modern financial system in the future.

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