Rule 4.20.2 of the Governance Rules
(in force from 29 July 2020, amendments in red/ bold font)

4.20.2 Annual Plan and Budget

a. The Executive Board shall adopt and review an annual plan and budget for World Athletics (Article 58.2(b)) for each Financial Year.

b. The annual plan and budget for each Financial Year shall be developed and approved by the Executive Board to achieve the goals and outcomes specified in the approved Strategic Plan.

c. Except in the year of an Election Congress, by no later than 31 October in each year, the annual plan and budget for the next Financial Year (1 January to 31 December) shall be approved by the Executive Board.

d. The Executive Board shall provide the final approved annual plan and budget for the next year to Council for its information by no later than 30 November.