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ASD-CERT Secretary General,

To :

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Paris,

Subject : Renewal of your ASD-CERT qualifications

Dear,

First of all, as the new Secretary General of ASD-CERT, I wanted to thank you, on behalf of all ASD-CERT members, for having chosen our organization to get your products qualified.

Time runs fast and I am writing you this letter to inform you that some of your certificates have expired, as identified below:

Manufacturer	Certificates	Expiration	EN products

In this situation, your products can no longer be considered as approved "EN Qualified products".

If you wish to remain an approved supplier of said EN standards, please respond to this letter by September 30th, 2008. ASD-CERT will then consider granting continued approval based on the following pre-requisites being supplied :

- ✓ A statement of either continued production with no-break in production as stated in EN 9133, including the delivered quantities to customers, or a declaration that no change to the original manufacturing process has occurred.
- ✓ Supporting manufacturing acceptance data from the latest batch of products produced in accordance with the applicable technical specification, including material cert. data
- ✓ A statement that no quality complaints have been received since the last product qualification,

- ✓ A statement that the “Sealed Manufacturing Route” as approved at the time of your last qualification has not been modified
- ✓ A copy of your latest EN/AS9100 quality systems approval certificate.
- ✓ Conformation that you implement product qualification renewal procedures as part of your company’s quality management system process.
- ✓ An ASD-CERT form ACP005 for review and signing by the ASD-CERT Mandated Body who will provide a recommendation to renew the qualification based on the evidence supplied above.

All future qualifications will be carried out in accordance with the requirements of EN9133 – "Quality management system – Qualification procedure for aerospace standard parts". With the prerequisite that you have to be and remain an EN/AS9100 Aerospace Quality systems certified manufacturer.

If you fulfill all the above conditions, there is no need to undertake all the qualification testing for this qualification renewal. Nevertheless, each request for renewal will be considered on a case by case basis, depending on type of products, on certificates expiration date, ...

The certificates delivered through this “light” renewal process will be valid for 3 years.

It is each Manufacturers own responsibility to ensure any product qualification approvals granted by ASD-CERT remain current.

After this period, you will need to again perform a qualification renewal process, including any required product testing as per the product standard requirements as deemed appropriate by ASD-CERT.

If you need further explanation, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Nicolas DEVILLIERS