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EOI – Supplier Quality Support Services Capability

This provides guidance for third party support services to ASC for effective management of Supplier Quality Assurance assessments and engagement of new or existing Suppliers to various International Standards, Codes, Specifications or project requirements and deliverables which may be:

- Planned or Unplanned Audits,
- Source / in-production Inspection,
- pre-delivery inspection,
- Factory Acceptance Testing witness
- Non-Conformance corrective action / validation

Supplier Quality Assurance Engagements are proactively included in the supplier engagement schedule in collaboration with Supply Chain, Engineering or other stakeholders and the application of various Trigger / Decision Rules; or is an unplanned engagement required due to an incident or other business imperative identified by various stakeholders.

Supplier Quality Assurance activities are in consultation with ASC Quality Assurance Department with the aim of improving product quality of items delivered to ASC and the CCSM program using the Supplier Contract requirements and Supplier Quality Assurance Manual (SQAM) as key deliverable guidelines.

Conducting adequate pre-engagement research into the supplier / component is essential preparation for a successful activity and will be required to be done in partnership with ASC Quality Assurance Department and collaborate with key suppliers in ensuring ASC is receiving compliant goods into stock, achieving the goal of 95% on-time delivery and ensuring material meets the required quality attributes with correct and validated supporting Objective Quality Evidence (OQE) to support the CSSM program.

ASC is seeking to partner with an organisation that can provide support to ASC in the key supply chain third party assurance activities. The company shall be ideally ISO-17020 Type A certified for inspection services and have the ability to support ASC both in Australia and International markets. Experience in Defence is preferred with demonstrated ability to meet applicable Security and ITAR requirement.