



# ISO/TS 16949 AUTOMOTIVE QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

ISO/TS 16949 Technical Specification for Automotive Quality Management Systems, in conjunction with ISO 9001, defines the quality system requirements for the design/development, manufacturing, installation and servicing of automotive-related products. ISO/TS 16949 certification is a mandatory industry requirement developed by the International Automotive Task Force (IATF) to align automotive quality systems throughout the world.

## BENEFITS OF REGISTRATION TO ISO/TS 16949

- > Improved risk management – Gain greater understanding of organizational risks
- > Consistency and traceability of products – Increased focus helps prevent problems
- > Supplier of choice – Ability to gain this status with many of the world's largest automotive manufacturers that require certification to ISO/TS 16949:2009
- > Reduced operating costs - Continual process improvement and operational efficiencies can reduce operating costs
- > Easy integration – Integrate with existing quality management programs as ISO/TS 16949 is based on ISO 9001

## WHY CHOOSE NSF-ISR?

At NSF-ISR, we know the automotive industry. NSF-ISR is a leader in quality and environmental management systems certifications and the global leader in automotive registrations. The automotive industry is always changing, which equates to ever-evolving customer needs and requires the advancement of your management system. Special attention must be paid to changing regulatory needs, tighter delivery deadlines, globalization and outsourcing, and supply chain reliability threats. As the leading automotive registrar, NSF-ISR is uniquely positioned to meet these requirements.

With internal investments in calibration, measurement and mentoring, we ensure our auditors are knowledgeable about the latest industry trends and standard revisions. We were among the first to be recognized by the IATF to conduct ISO/TS 16949 audits. With NSF-ISR you can be assured of thorough, credible and constructive ISO/TS 16949 audits.



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## NSF-ISR ADVANTAGES

- > Global leader in automotive registrations and among the first to be recognized by the IATF to conduct ISO/TS 16949 audits, bringing real-world knowledge and practical experience to our auditing program.
- > We offer integrated certification with other standards.
- > Our process is about making sure you meet customer requirements and conform to the specification.
- > We offer value-added auditing to bring value to your business and supply chain.

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## STANDARD REVISION

As the standard goes through revision, we at NSF-ISR will be here to guide you every step of the way, with tools and answers to your many questions. We have developed webinars, a readiness tool that will walk you through a gap analysis of your system in relation to the revised IATF 16949 standard, transition guides and upgrade checklists to make the transition as smooth as possible. Visit [www.nsf.org/info/iso-updates](http://www.nsf.org/info/iso-updates) for more information.

## OTHER SERVICES

NSF-ISR offers comprehensive management systems registrations to internationally accepted standards for many industries, including ISO 9001 Quality, ISO 14001 Environmental, AS9100 Aerospace, ISO 13485 Medical Devices, ISO 50001 Energy, and OHSAS 18001 Occupational Health and Safety.

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