
AUDIT SERVICES – QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM - RE CERTIFICATION

Purpose of Report

1. To present the Quality Management System re certification report

Information and Analysis

2. The report produced by the external assessors, Lloyd’s Register Quality Assurance Limited following their visit in early September 2007 to re certify the Quality Management System as operated by Audit Services is attached at **Appendix 1**. Such a re certification is obligatory under the ISO 9001 : 2000 Standard every three years and is then supplemented by surveillance visits on a 9 monthly basis to ensure continued compliance.
3. The outcome of the visit is extremely positive. The report concluded that Audit Services continues to meet the requirements of the ISO 9001:2000 Standard by maintaining and improving it’s management system and that no significant issues were identified during the visit to prevent re certification from being granted.

Conclusion

4. Audit Services continues to operate an effective Quality Management System certified to ISO 9001:2000 Standards.

Recommendation

5. It is recommended that the re certification report be noted.

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Background Papers

Certificate Renewal Report for Darlington Audit Services

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