

Standard Parts Requiring Qualification Testing.

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For the attention of the Managing Director and Quality Manager.

Dear Sir or Madam,

Scope:

- Suppliers ordering / using / delivering standard parts (refer to SABRe - Definition Index for additional detail) to Rolls-Royce.

Background:

There has been some reported confusion surrounding various standard parts which have been ordered from sources who may be unaware of the need for the manufacturer of such parts to actually hold formal approval to produce the parts before they can undertake final release / delivery.

Action Required:

- Examine the standard part drawing to determine if a technical or procurement specification has been referenced / included therein.
- If the part requires qualification testing, this will be indicated within the specification - particularly by reference to SBAC Specifications TS 200, TS 201 and TS 202, or European Specifications EN 9133 (or the superseded EN 3042). In such cases it is essential the qualification procedures of the SBAC or ASD-CERT (for European standard parts) are complied with - **this should be verified by the supplier (i.e. those in receipt of Rolls-Royce purchase orders) to ensure product conformity.**
- Cascade the content of this NTS within your company / personnel - as necessary.

Yours faithfully,
for Rolls-Royce plc.



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Process Owner - Approve & Maintain.

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