



## **ATEX / IECEx Quality Systems Consultancy**

David Ford QA limited is a specialist consultancy in the application of Quality Systems for Ex Equipment Manufacture providing tailored consultancy to meet specific requirements.

## **Development of Quality Systems for Ex Equipment Manufacture**

If your organization requires an ATEX Quality Assurance Notification (QAN) or IECEx Quality Assessment Report (QAR) for a manufacturing facility. Your organization may or may not currently have a Quality System compliant to ISO 9001 (*Certification to ISO 9001 is not a prerequisite*). Consultancy can be given to assist your organization in developing or extending your Quality System to be compliant the requirements of ISO/IEC 80079-34 and the ATEX Directive 2014/34/EU.

## **ISO/IEC 80079-34:2018 has been published**

The new revision of Standard ISO/IEC 80079-34:2018 (Edition 2.0) was published on Thursday 30th August 2018 and ISO/IEC 80079-34:2011 has been withdrawn. The standard been redrafted to bring it in line with Annex SL (the same structure as ISO 9001:2015 - Quality Management Systems - Requirements) which defines the framework for a generic management system. All new ISO Management System Standards (MSS) will adhere to this framework and all current MSS will migrate at their next revision.

David Ford QA Limited will be looking forward to providing consultancy in the transition period on changes to Quality Management Systems requirements for the new revision of the standard.

## **About**

Established in 2003, David Ford QA Limited is a Quality Systems Consultancy offering a variety of Quality Assurance Services to all sizes of business. Consultancy Services include the development of Quality Systems, Quality Plans, Quality System Auditing and At Source Verification activities to meet the requirements of ISO9001, ISO/IEC80079-34, ATEX Directive 2014/34/EU and AS9100 Standards.

David is a qualified Quality Systems Lead Assessor and has undertaken over 500 ATEX/IECEx Quality System Audits & Factory Inspections on behalf of a leading UK based Notified Bodies/ExCB's. He is an Incorporated Engineer and Chartered Quality Professional with over 20 years' experience working within the Quality Assurance discipline.

## **Location**

The Company is located in Needham Market near Ipswich with good connections to South East England and the Midlands. For assignments further afield, the location is in easy reach of the London airports.

From contract tender to final delivery, David Ford QA Limited can provide independent QA support to assist the delivery of compliant product or services.

## **Contact Details**

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