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PITTSBURGH, January 22, 2015 – Transition to the New ANAB Accreditation Symbol

As of 01/01/2015, the ANSI-ASQ National Accreditation Board is using the single brand ANAB (to include ANAB, ACLASS and FQS) and is introducing a new logo and accreditation symbols. ANAB has established a three-year transition period for accredited management systems Certification Bodies to allow all Certification Bodies and their certified customers to convert their documentation to include the new symbol. Below is a sample of the new symbol. Do not use this sample, electronic copies can be found on the SRI website.



ANAB Accreditation Rule 19 states: The new ANAB accreditation symbol may be used on new (initial) certificates issued after 01/01/2015 and shall be used on all new (initial) certificates issued on or after 01/01/2016. The new ANAB accreditation symbol shall replace the pre-2015 accreditation symbol on all documents and media no later than 12/31/2017.

SRI has updated its certificate and the new ANAB symbol will appear on all ANAB certificates generated on or after 01/21/2015. SRI will not re-issue existing certificates, but will transition at renewal. Some clients will see the change for the first time soon while others will not see it for nearly three years, for example, those who have recently renewed.

Please note: All SRI certified clients' documentation and marketing material bearing the pre-2015 ANAB accreditation symbol shall not be used after 12/31/2017. You can find the new ANAB logo on the SRI website with the updated Conditions for Use (R20.6) at www.SRIRegistrar.com in Logos under the Resources tab.

About SRI

SRI Quality System Registrar, headquartered in Seven Fields, Pennsylvania, in the greater Pittsburgh metro area, is accredited by ANAB, RvA, IATF, FSSC, and APMG for ISO 9001, 14001, 13485, ISO/TS 16949, RC14001/RCMS, AS9100/9120, OHSAS 18001/Z10, ISO/IEC 27001, ISO/IEC 20000-1, FSSC/ISO 22000, and other emerging standards. SRI has field offices in Birmingham, Alabama; Dublin, Ireland; and Osaka, Japan, with auditors conveniently located in the United States, Europe, Mexico, Canada, Middle East, and Asia. Since its founding in 1991, SRI has grown to serve the auditing, certification, and training needs of companies in over 40 major industries, including the specific technical requirements of automotive, aerospace, medical devices, and chemicals. For more information on how SRI builds relationships for success, go to www.SRIRegistrar.com or call 724-934-9000.

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