

ORD New Solutions



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ORD Livingston Business Unit To Receive First Silver Level SQEP Award From Caterpillar

May 15th, 2008, Caterpillar presented O-Ring Division's Livingston Business Unit with the Silver Level Supplier Quality Excellence Program (SQEP) Award.

Caterpillar's SQEP program is an extensive, rigorous review of a suppliers operational performance. This prestigious certification is only given to those demonstrating a consistent example

of excellence. Elements of the program consist of statistical process control (SPC), Six Sigma and premier customer service. ORD's Livingston Business Unit was the first Parker location as well as the first sealing supplier to receive the Silver Level Certification from CAT.

The certification level, achieved

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CERTIFICATE

IQNet and DQS GmbH
hereby certify that the organization

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for the scope

Manufacture of elastomeric rubber o-rings and seals for sealing applications, including:
aerospace, semiconductors, power fluids, energy, industrial, automotive and
general usage, including seals with metallic inserts

has implemented and maintains a

Environmental Management System.

An audit, documented in a report, has verified that this environmental management system
fulfills the requirements of the following standard:

ISO 14001:2004

This certificate is valid until May 05, 2011
Frankfurt am Main, Germany May 06, 2008
Registration Number: DE - 388141 - UM

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Parker's Matamoros Facility Receives ISO 14001 Certification

Environmental Management System Certification

The Parker O-Ring Division is pleased to announce, in addition to the Mexico City facility, the Matamoros facility is now ISO 14001 certificated by IQNet and DQS GmbH.

ISO 14001 is the set of requirements outlined by the International Organization for Standardization, for a company to develop and implement an Environmental Management System (EMS). EMS is a set of practices and processes that enable an organization to reduce environmental impacts and increase operating efficiency. By developing an EMS, ORD has discovered numerous benefits that prove advantageous for both the division and you as distributors:

- Increases brand competitiveness,
- Stream operations which often produce savings by providing operational efficiency and energy conservation,
- Complies with environmental laws and regulations,
- Improves relations with government regulatory agencies,
- Avenue to raise environmental performance as an important part of corporate culture,
- Capture institutional knowledge which ensures information is properly documented, communicated and retained.

Additionally, ISO 14001 provides Parker an avenue to raise environmental awareness and performance as an important part of corporate culture. Some companies are beginning to require this certification to quote new business, such as Ford Motor Company. Others may not require the certification, but prefer suppliers that are already participating in an EMS program.

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by the Livingston Business Unit, requires a PPM of less than 200, on-time delivery of greater than 96% and no supply disruptions attributed from nonconforming product.

Astronaut Barry Wilmore Visits O-Ring Division On Behalf Of ATK To Present Plaque

June 9th, 2008, NASA Astronaut Barry E. “Butch” Wilmore visited Parker O-Ring Division to speak with employees and thank them for their dedication to the ATK program. Barry Litchfield, Lexington Business Unit Manager, was presented with a plaque on behalf of the division. The plaque was presented to the division to show appreciation for the hard work and efforts O-Ring Division has performed throughout the years with ATK.

Parker O-Ring Division has worked with ATK for more than 20 years, producing rings for the Reusable Solid Rocket

Motor (RSRM) used to launch the Space Shuttle. The RSRM’s are the long, skinny white “tubes” on either side of the large orange liquid fuel tank. The RSRM’s are recovered after each launch, completely torn down, re-inspected, and reassembled for another flight.

The Space Shuttle fleet is set to retire in another 10 to 15 missions. NASA has announced plans to replace the Space Shuttle with the Aries I rocket for delivering astronauts, satellites, and International Space Station components to orbit. ATK will provide the solid rocket boosters for the Aries I based on the current RSRM design, and Parker Hannifin will proudly continue making the critical O-rings that seal the solid rocket motors.

NASA is currently developing the Aries V rocket, a next-generation heavy-lifter space launch vehicle with the ability to deliver 7 times the payload of the Space Shuttle in a single launch. The Aries V will use two solid rocket boosters based on the Aries I design, and Parker Hannifin will once again seal the critical joints on the solid rocket boosters.



