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Dear Business Partner,

Herewith we'd like to inform you about the **successful Certificate of Registration for IATF 16949:2016** that has taken place last week.

This certifies that the Quality Management System of PrimoTECS S.p.A. – **for both plant-locations, Villar Perosa and Avigliana** - has been assessed by TÜV SÜD and found to be in conformance to the automotive international quality standard IATF 16949:2016.

The scope of Registration is to **guarantee the Manufacturing of pressed steel components & respective processing and assemblies in compliance** with the most widely used international standards in the automotive industry.

We are convinced that this certification, its defined criteria and high expectations **helps us to improve our quality and service performance**, through a robust quality management system. Those points are crucial for us to **gain the trust of our stakeholders** and show this **via internationally accepted standards**.

Because we are proud on the achieved result, we like to share some **strengths highlighted by the auditor with you**:

Our production in both locations, especially the interacting employees in production, have shown a **thorough knowledge and awareness of their tasks**, especially for the activities of self-control of the product, as well as management of the machine.

At the control stations in production, each instrument used for a specific measurement shows the drawing of the measurement to be controlled and the measurement method.

Concerning the process development & industrialization, the auditors highlighted the useful and **detailed drawings**, that clearly describe the set-up of the equipment (forging and machining) and the sequence of the manufacturing operations.

We are approaching the business in a structured and organized way, we are analysing and improving the whole value-chain of our processes and their interactions, by means of a continuous improvement approach. This approach is to ensure the quality of PrimoTECS products and services. Because we are striving to be a **reliable business-partner for you**.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us directly.
Thank you, in advance, for your understanding and trust.

Sincerely,

Your PrimoTECS-team