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PPG Coatings Services - MetoKote Corporation

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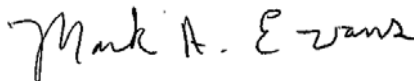
To Whom It May Concern:

PPG Coatings Services - MetoKote Corporation is under contract with Intertek for the provision of auditing and certification services related to IATF 16949:2016. Intertek's records show that a transition audit was completed on September 13, 2018.

Based on the audit results Intertek anticipates being able to issue a certificate to this client against the new standard in approximately November/December 2018. It should be noted that the current ISO/TS 16949:2009 certification at this site will expire on 14 September 2018. There may be a brief lapse in certification status between the expiry of the current certification and the issuance of the new IATF 16949:2016 certificate. This lapse should not be understood to represent any degradation in the effectiveness of the site's quality management system.

If you have any questions or concerns about these arrangements let us know.

Regards,



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