



# CERTIFICATE

The

**Federal Office of Bundeswehr Equipment, Information Technology and In-Service Support (BAAINBw)**

confirms that the company

**General Atomics AeroTec Systems GmbH**

**Claude-Dornier-Straße 1  
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has established and effectively applies

a Quality Management System in accordance with  
NATO specific requirements corresponding

**AQAP 2310**\*)

\*) including EN 9100 and  
corresponding guides

for all contractual related development and production of military products which are subject to  
Government Quality Assurance (GQA) within the scope

**Engineering, Technical/Logistical Support,  
Production, Installation and Maintenance of Military Aircraft/Services**

This certificate is valid until:

**May 2022**

Lahnstein, 05.07.2021

By Order

Gebauer  
BAAINBw ZtQ1.1

## **Prerequisites for the Issue of the Certificates by BAAINBw**

The issue of the certificates (initial and follow-up certificates) according to AQAP 2310 by branch ZtQ1.1 of the BAAINBw directorate Technical Quality Assurance Center (ZtQ) requires and has to be fulfilled the following:

- a contractor's request for (re)confirmation of their quality management system (QMS) according to AQAP 2310
- at least one current design or production contract or subcontract with agreed GQA (Government Quality Assurance), which will be carried out by GQA-offices of BAAINBw ZtQ. The certified company has to inform BAAINBw ZtQ1.1 immediately if it is foreseeable, that there will be no contract in the following twelve months.
- a valid certificate according to ISO 9001 or EN 9100 issued by an accredited certification body
- successful inspection of the QMS by a GQA-office of BAAINBw ZtQ regarding NATO Supplements of AQAP 2310, taking into account concrete experiences the responsible GQA-office gained during the contract realization.
- The contractor confirms to inform BAAINBw ZtQ1.1 about fundamental modifications of QMS before the implementation of this modifications starts

## **Validity of the Certificate according to AQAP 2310**

The period of validity of the issued AQAP-certificates generally depends on the life of the corresponding ISO 9001 or EN 9100 certificates.

The issued certificate according to AQAP 2310 will lose its validity if:

- the contractor's QMS according to AQAP 2310 is not applied effectively/ not maintained any longer
- changes to the contractor's QMS have adverse effects on the fulfillment of the NATO Supplements to AQAP 2310 and if these are not acceptable to the competent authority (BAAINBw section ZtQ1.1)

## **Remarks**

- The grant of the certificate according to AQAP 2310 is voluntarily based by BAAINBw
- Further details can be taken from the brochure „Qualitätssicherung bei Aufträgen der Bundeswehr“(www.bdsv.eu) via Internet.