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ECL/TP/ISO 27001:2022

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To,
The Certified client of ECL

Sub.: Transition Policy for ISO 27001:2013 to ISO 27001:2022 transition

Taking into consideration in October 2022 new revisions of the standard ISO 27001 Information Security Management system published, in accordance with International Accreditation Forum (IAF) a 3 years transition period is required regarding granting certification in accordance with the requirements of ISO 27001:2022 standard.

New clients can seek certification in accordance with the standards ISO 27001:2013 until 01.02.2024 (acceptance of applications). After this date certification will only be granted in accordance with ISO 27001:2022. For existing clients, transition will be made during surveillance audits scheduled as per new Management System requirements until 01.09.2024 (date of the surveillance Audit).

ECL is encouraging current users of ISO 27001:2013 to implement ISO 27001:2022 at an early stage, taking account of any changes that has occur during the revision of standards. ECL will publish its transition policy on its website for information publically.

ECL has planned to start assessment of new clients on the basis of ISO 27001:2022 with effect from 5th September 2023 (Existing clients transition is proposed and will start wef 1st October 2023 during surveillance / Re- certification audit, if client is ready as per new requirements).

“ECL will conduct the transition audit in conjunction with the surveillance audit, recertification audit or through a separate audit.

The transition audit will not only rely on the document review, especially for reviewing the technological information security controls.

The transition audit shall include, but not be limited to the following:

- The gap analysis of ISO/IEC 27001:2022, as well as the need for changes to the client's ISMS.
- The updating of the statement of applicability (SoA).
- If applicable, the updating of the risk treatment plan.
- The implementation and effectiveness of the new or changed information security controls chosen by the clients.



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Minimum of 0.5 auditor day for the transition audit when it is carried out in conjunction with a recertification audit.

Minimum of 1.0 auditor day for the transition audit when it is carried out in conjunction with a surveillance audit or as a separate audit.

When the certification document is updated because the client successfully completed only the transition audit, the expiration of its current certification cycle will not be changed.

All certifications based on ISO/IEC 27001:2013 shall expire or be withdrawn at the end of the transition period.

Failure to comply with ISO 27001: 2022 by 24th October 2025 shall result in suspension / withdrawal of certification, and will be shown under suspension / withdrawal on www.iafcertsearch.org or ECL website and records.

Thanking You,
Yours Faithfully,

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