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# **Amaero's Awarded AS9100 Aerospace Certification**

### Highlights:

- Amaero's El Segundo Facility has been awarded AS9100 Aerospace Certification, as the Company continues to pursue high value contracts in the Aerospace industry.
- Overseen by the International Aerospace Quality Group, AS9100 Certification is a widely adopted and standardised international quality management system for the Aviation, Space and Defence (AS&D) industries.
- AS9100 Certification is a requirement of major aviation and aerospace manufacturers, including Raytheon, Boeing and Airbus.
- The Certification is an important milestone, as it further positions Amaero as a leading metal additive manufacturer for the Aviation, Space and Defence industries, and will provide the Company with access to further opportunities within these markets.
- The Certification aligns with Amaero's mid-term growth strategy.

Amaero International Limited ("Amaero") (the "Company") (ASX:3DA), a leader in metal additive manufacturing, is pleased to announce that the Company's facility in El Segundo, California, has been awarded AS9100 Aerospace Certification ("Certification"), as the Company continues to pursue high value contracts in the Aerospace industry.

Overseen by the International Aerospace Quality Group, AS9100 Certification is a widely adopted and standardised international quality management system for the Aviation, Space and Defence (AS&D) industries. Introduced in 1990, AS9100 covers the better known ISO 9001:2015 certification, and builds upon the global aviation standard of AS9000M (1997), which has been periodically updated to reflect new quality standards and manufacturing trends within the stringent AS&D industry.

The Certification of the El Segundo facility further builds on the AS9100 certification of the Notting Hill facility in Melbourne and will provide the Company with access to further opportunities within these markets.

With qualification steps already in place, over the coming months, Amaero intends to start bidding on high value contracts within these sectors.

Commenting on the Certification, Amaero International Limited CEO, Barrie Finnin, said: "AS9100 Certification is a key step in Amaero's growth strategy, as the Company seeks additional opportunities in the Aviation, Space and Defence industries. The Certification is a requirement of major aviation and aerospace manufacturers, including Pratt and Whitney, Boeing, Lockheed Martin and Northrop Grumman, without it we would not be eligible to supply components for their production programs."

## **AS9100 Certification provides Amaero with:**

- Qualification as a prerequisite to be considered as a supplier to the Aerospace industry
- Public recognition as a global leader in the industry
- Further internal validation of controls and procedures
- Independent feedback to facilitate ongoing development and improvements
- The certification aligns with Amaero's mid-term growth strategy.



This announcement has been approved and authorised to be given to the ASX by the Board of Amaero.

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#### **About Amaero International Limited:**

Amaero International Limited is an Australian based company that manufactures large format complex components in metal with laser-based additive manufacturing processes, commonly known as 3D printing.

The principal activity of Amaero is the provision of end to end additive manufacturing solutions in terms of services, equipment and technology to its key clients in the Aviation Defence and Space sectors and the Tool and Die industry.

Amaero has worked with many of the world's leading manufacturers of aerospace and defence products in both an R&D and manufacturing capability and has a demonstrated ability to deliver aviation and military specification 3D printed alloy critical operation components.

Amaero was established with the support of Monash University in 2013 to take advantage of commercial opportunities identified by the Monash Centre for Additive Manufacturing (MCAM). Amaero is co-located with MCAM in Melbourne Australia. It operates two additional facilities, in Adelaide, South Australia, and El Segundo, California, USA.