



# C E R T I F I C A T E

The

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

confirms that the company

**Rheinmetall Waffe Munition GmbH**

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has established and effectively applies a Quality Management System in accordance  
with NATO specific requirements corresponding

**AQAP 2110**\*)

\*) including ISO 9001 and  
corresponding guides

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

**Development, Production, Repairs and Disposal of Weapons-  
and Ammunitionsystems**

This certificate is valid until:

**October 2019**

Koblenz, 14.11.2016  
By Order

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BAAINBw Q2.1

## **Prerequisites for the Issue of the Certificates according to AQAP 2110 by BAAINBw**

The issue of the certificates (initial and follow-up certificates) according to AQAP 2110 to German defense contractors by BAAINBw section Q2.1 requires and has to be fulfilled the following:

- a contractor's request for (re)certification of their quality management system (QMS) according to AQAP 2110
- 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 German military (Bundeswehr). The certified company has to inform BAAINBw Q2.1 immediately if it is foreseeable, that there will be no contract in the following twelve month.
- 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 German military (Bundeswehr) regarding NATO Supplements of AQAP 2110
- The contractor confirms to inform BAAINBw Q2.1 about fundamental modifications of QMS before the implementation of this modifications starts

## **Validity of the Certificate according to AQAP 2110**

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 2110 will lose its validity if:

- the contractor's QMS according to AQAP 2110 is not applied effectively/ not maintained any longer
- changes to the contractor's QMS have adverse effects on the fulfilment of the NATO Supplements to AQAP 2110 and if these are not acceptable to the competent authority (BAAINBw section Q2.1)

## **Remarks**

- The grant of the certificate according to AQAP 2110 is voluntarily based by BAAINBw
- Further details can be taken from the brochure „Qualitätssicherung bei Aufträgen der Bundeswehr“(www.bdsv.eu) via Internet.