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TO: API 16C Monogram Licensees  
API 16C Monogram Applicants  
API Auditors

FROM: API Monogram Program

RE: API Specification 16C, 3rd Edition

Please be advised that the **3rd Edition** of **API Specification 16C, Choke and Kill Equipment**, has been published.

- The API Monogram Program Effective Date is September 2021

Please note that this document requires your immediate review and attention. Your facility should ensure that all editions are incorporated into your quality management system and that affected personnel are trained on any new requirements and are competent to perform the required activities by the new edition's effective date.

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This notification and other product updates, as well as errata and addenda for Monogram Standards, are available at [Monogram/APIQR Program & Spec Updates](#).

For any questions or concerns related to this notification, please contact us at [api.org/ContactMonogram](http://api.org/ContactMonogram).

Thank you for your continued participation in the API Monogram Program and your dedication to quality.

Sincerely,

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