



March 6, 2024

TO: APIQR Registrants
APIQR Applicants
API Auditors

FROM: APIQR Program

RE: ISO 9001:2015 Amendment 1 & ISO 14001:2015 Amendment 1

The International Organization for Standardization (ISO) has published Amendment 1 of ISO 9001:2015 and Amendment 1 of ISO 14001:2015. The amendments are identical and add one requirement and one note, both related to consideration of climate change.

As you know, APIQR's ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015 Registrations are accredited by the ANSI National Accreditation Board (ANAB), and therefore, the transition process is largely defined by ANAB. For amendment 1 of ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015, ANAB has notified API that the effective date is the same as the publication date of the documents, February 23, 2024.

API recognizes that, while the changes in the amendments are minor, some organizations may be impacted and may need time to incorporate these changes into their management system. Therefore, ISO 9001:2015 & ISO 14001:2015 Applicants and Registered organizations are notified of the following:

- Starting March 11, 2024, auditors are instructed to raise a concern if an organization has not reviewed and implemented the requirement of Amendment 1 into its QMS and/or EMS.
- Starting April 1, 2024, auditors are instructed to raise a minor nonconformity if an organization has not reviewed and implemented the requirement of Amendment 1 into its QMS and/or EMS.

Sincerely,

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