

**HEALTH, SAFETY, ENVIRONMENTAL  
AND QUALITY MANAGEMENT  
PROCEDURE FOR  
DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT**

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## 1. APPROVAL

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## 2. PURPOSE

The purpose of this procedure is to ensure that design and development interfaces among **Insert Your Company** organizational functions and groups are defined and professionally managed, and to ensure effective communication and the clear assignment of responsibility.

## 3. SCOPE

This procedure applies to the design and development process that is conducted under **Insert Your Company** controlled conditions. Where the design and development process is outsourced, the supplier must comply with the requirements of this procedure and provide objective evidence that **Insert Your Company** requirements were met.

## 4. TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

Term	Definition
<b>Audit Evidence</b>	Documentation, information, records and may also include physical evidence.
<b>Documented Information</b>	Any document, information or other information which is necessary for the operation of processes or is required by the quality management system. It can include photographs, diagrams, process maps, procedures and can be on paper or electronic.
<b>Non-Conformity</b>	Non-fulfillment of a requirement.
<b>Non-Conformance Report</b>	A document that documents the details of a non-conformance identified in an audit or other process review.

## 5. RESPONSIBILITIES

### **Management is responsible for:**

- Ensuring that the design and development process is established and maintained.
- Ensuring that all designed and developed processes meet the desired requirements, specifications and performance standards.
- Maintaining a system for design and development reporting and record keeping.

### **Production and Engineering Personnel are responsible for:**

- Determining the causes of design and development non-conformities.
- Reviewing the effectiveness of corrective actions.
- Adhering to this documented procedure.