



Certification Process: Lifts Regulations 2016

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CUSTOMER REQUEST
FOR CERTIFICATION

When you contact us with regards to gaining Certification for your product our sales team will send you the appropriate application form.



APPLICATION

The application includes all the necessary information required for us to issue a quotation, this often includes company and product details, schematics, technical drawings, user manual, testing details/requirements etc.



APPLICATION REVIEW

Once completed the application is reviewed by the certification body to ensure sufficient information is included, the certification is correct for the product, and that it is within our scope and expertise. A quote is then issued.



EVALUATION

Once the quote is accepted and if you have chosen TUV Rheinland to carry out your Evaluation, our engineers will assess your product/QMS in line with the agreed plan according to the relevant conformity assessment procedure as defined in the regulations. Alternately you may submit evaluations from other accredited sources.



TECHNICAL REVIEW

The reviewer will review the evaluation reports and other documentation provided against the Essential Requirements of the regulations. The reviewer will then either recommend for or against certification based on findings.



CERTIFICATION
DECISION

If certification is recommended by the reviewer a Certifier will carry out some additional checks and make the final decision. Upon a positive certification decision from the Certifier, the certificate is generated. Both a hard copy and soft copy will be sent to you and an entry in our online certificate database will be created www.certipedia.com



MAINTAIN

Depending on the applicable conformity assessment procedure various conditions may apply for maintaining your certificate such as surveillance audits/ random checking of products for module C2.



If at any stage in the process there is an issue that would prevent the final certification you will be sent the details and we can discuss further options available to you.

Products covered by this scheme



Lifts (excluding those listed in schedule 2 of the regulations)



Safety Components (as described in Schedule 3 of the regulations)

If you require any other Lift products not covered in the above list, please contact us to discuss your requirements.

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