

Tasks of the Product Safety Officer (PSB) at supplier

1. Knowledge

- 1.1 To manufactured product: operation, production in detail at its own site and intended use by the customer.
- 1.2 To Product Safety Act and the Product Liability Act
- 1.3 Knowledge of methods for risk assessments

2. Tasks

- 2.1 Collaborate, develop and set priorities to eliminate or prevent product safety-related defects in the product development phase (failure prevention)
- 2.2 Collaborate or initiating and verifying design / process FMEA to safety perimeters.
- 2.3 Collaborate in the scope of "lessons learned" for new product start to avoid product safety failure in the area of manufacturing, assembly and testing.
- 2.4 Creation of "Lessons Learned" - Checklists for qualified review of design and processes under product safety point of view.
- 2.5 Independent performing or causing of regular production and product checks the current series to confirm product safety for use (incl. Foreseeable misuse) and initiation and tracking of (immediate) measures if relevant deviations.
- 2.6 Review of failure probability and frequency of the concerned product in case of failure.
- 2.7 In case of complaint, the planned corrective actions to verify their timely implementation and sustained efficacy. The measures effectiveness must be confirmed in writing by the supplier-PSB.
- 2.8 The Communication (incl. self-notification) passes over the QA component responsible to the customer (QA-purchase organization or QA product technology) incl. Transfer of all details.

The PSB ensures the quality of information (clear information on failure picture, containment, probability of failure, etc.) as well as the confidentiality of communications.

3. Competences

- 3.1 The PSB will report directly to the management, the plant manager or the head of quality assurance.
- 3.2 Introduction of component closures of the current series and others in security and Image-related complaints (even if the security reasons Series production jeopardize) incl. Resource sovereignty in terms of bench testing tests, validation, etc.
- 3.3 For each stage in the supply chain a PSB is to designate each production facility.