

## OPS QUALITY ACCREDITATION UPDATE

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OPS Group Ltd is in the middle of integrating their new Quality System with the help of Dave Robb. They have decided to move into the Quality area because they see it as a stepping-stone to business in the future.

Procedures and processes are followed day after day and OPS want to reap the rewards of becoming an accredited company. This is why the decision has been made to work to the ISO 9001:2000 quality standard.

With both Managing Directors in the driving seat and Dave on hand for assistance, accreditation should not be too far away. The current date for final accreditation has been set for Summer 2006, which seems like a highly achievable target.

The first audits, which Dave Robb was in charge of have taken place and they went well with only a couple of minor issues being raised. This is the way the company wants to head in the future, striving to become a real leader in the market and well known contemporary of the other major companies.

On site, there has been the introduction of a Quality Manager who will deal with all on site issues and the upkeep of all Quality Issues, Procedures and the Quality Manual. This role has been filled by Lynne Backhouse, a new start to the company, and will initially be done in conjunction with Dave Robb.

All in all OPS hope that gaining accreditation will be a fruitful process showing that they are focussing on the future and moving with the times.

### DAVE ROBB OUR QUALITY GURU



Dave Robb is helping us to achieve accreditation in our chosen standard – ISO 9001:2000.

Dave has worked in Quality for over 15 years, beginning as a Quality Assurance Manager before turning his hand to running his own consultancy business. He is also trained as a lead auditor with the International Registration of Certificated Auditors.

Dave has worked in many different fields such as the building, design and construction industry, medical and healthcare industry, computing industry and finally the Oil and Gas industry.

From his vast array of experience, we at OPS Group Ltd think that Dave is the best choice to get us through our accreditation, and look forward to a prosperous future together.