



ASQ NEW HAVEN'S JOINT MEETING WITH SOUTHERN SECTION AT THE CASA NOVA SHELTON, CT ON APRIL 15th 2009

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ISO9001:2008 WITH RAND WINTERS AND TIM BUTLER

With all the talk of the new ISO9001:2008 hitting the press, it's good to know there is someone out there to show you the ropes.

As president of Rand E. Winters Group, Rand has earned a nationwide reputation for his ability to impart knowledge in an interesting and understandable way. His courses are complimented with technical and hands-on knowledge. Rand's diversified background includes a wide range of manufacturing disciplines as well as service-based firms.

Rand is a national senior instructor with the American Society for Quality providing public and on-site training courses since 1994. He has provided quality management system training on a regular basis since 1996 for the Metal Treating Institute. Rand's company is a business partner with Ohio State University's Alber Enterprise Center and the Great Lakes Trade Adjustment Center at the University of Michigan.

As part of his commitment to industrial training, Rand is a developer of web-based quality system-related training and is a co-author of several quality management system books. He regularly conducts quality management system registration and surveillance audits for an international registration company.

Since 1998, **Tim Butler** has been involved with the ISO industry as a Benchmark Registrar Representative, as an ISO sales manager for a number of the top registrars, having worked with more than 1,300 companies that have achieved and maintained one or more, of the ISO family of standards. This included small manufacturers with five or less employees to a number of Fortune 500 Companies like Alcan, Gibraltar, UTC, Goodrich, General Dynamics and Thermo Fisher Scientific.

For the last three years, Benchmark has performed as a National Sales Manager for five accredited ISO registrars and a number of nationally recognized testing labs (NRTLs). They are able to provide U.S and Canadian Manufacturers a means to reduce the overall costs of the ISO certification process, while increasing the value added services and return on each companies' investment in the ISO standard. They facilitate this through the control of auditor travel expenditures, value added findings, accreditation to ensure traceability of your ISO certificate and locking the registrar's rates and fees for six years

In 2008, Benchmark transferred forty-five ISO 9001/AS 9100 clients from other registrars within Connecticut. These CT manufactures saved more than \$250,000.00 off their current ISO contracts through our stable of registrars without any loss of certification and were transferred seamlessly. Additional savings were documented by utilizing local AEA and AIEA lead auditors to perform these audits. Instead of having to fly in an aerospace auditor and assume these travel expenses, our clients saved thousands in travel and living expenses as well.

MEETING CONTACTS AND DIRECTIONS

Date: April 15, 2009.

Place: Casa Nova Restaurant.

Time: Social Hour: 5:30 Dinner: 6:00 Speaker: 7:00.

Dinner: Buffet.

Cost: \$25.00. *RSVP by April 13th*

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