



# Supplier Accreditation Simplified

❖ For Buyers





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ADS members operate across four industry sectors vitally important to the UK economy and currently generating over £65 billion revenue every year:



 Aerospace



 Defence



 Security



 Space

In this media-savvy world, with an ever growing national and global regulatory corporate governance, the need to manage an increasingly complex supply chain is essential for short and long-term success.

JOSCAR is a cross-sector collaborative solution which reduces the time, cost, resources and duplication currently needed to provide information to major customers. Holding common supplier data in a central system allows the information to be accessed by all participating buying organisations.

*“By using JOSCAR we hope to make it easier for you to do business with us.”*

Derren Chamberlain  
Supply Chain Director, BAE Systems

*“JOSCAR will streamline our assurance processes, minimise administration and enable our suppliers to gain access to other buying organisations.”*

Tim Bullock  
Director Supply Chain, NATS

JOSCAR is supported by:



Over 6,000 suppliers have so far been invited to join JOSCAR by BAE Maritime Services, Babcock International, Selex ES, QinetiQ Ltd and NATS, with further plans to onboard all key suppliers to the industry.







## What are the Benefits of JOSCAR?

### Benefits to Buyers

- ❖ Immediate access to a single source of accurate, comprehensive and high quality data
- ❖ Reduced time and cost associated with pre-qualification, assurance and ongoing compliance
- ❖ More effective identification and management of supply chain risks and brand reputation
- ❖ Facilitates increased supplier development and performance
- ❖ Enhanced management information reporting on key supplier measures
- ❖ Ability to add bespoke content and integrate with back office systems

### Areas of compliance covered include

- ❖ Business Continuity
- ❖ Counterfeit Products/Materiel
- ❖ Environmental & Sustainability
- ❖ Anti-Bribery & Corruption
- ❖ Health & Safety
- ❖ Import/Export
- ❖ Insurances & Third Party Certifications
- ❖ IT Security
- ❖ Labour Standards & Human Rights
- ❖ Modern Slavery
- ❖ Product Safety & Quality
- ❖ Supply Chain

### Benefits to the Industry

- ❖ Improved overall standard, quality and performance of suppliers to the industry
- ❖ Encourages innovation and new suppliers, especially SMEs, to enter ADS markets
- ❖ Demonstrates internationally the efficacy of UK suppliers and supply chains



ADS has formed a Governance group of buying organisations and representatives from the supplier community to work with Heliios Information, the third party service provider, to develop and administer JOSCAR.

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