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## IATF Global Oversight

## IATF Stakeholder Communiqué

The purpose of this Communiqué is to advise all IATF Stakeholders regarding global waivers and measures of the IATF (International Automotive Task Force) in response to the situation in Ukraine.

First and foremost, the thoughts of the IATF are with the Ukrainian people.

Secondly, the IATF agreed to maintain the validity of all certificates for organizations certified to IATF 16949 in Ukraine with no exceptions. IATF-recognized certification bodies are instructed to not change the status of the sites' certificates until further notice, even if audits and other certification activities cannot be conducted according to planned schedules.

Additionally, all currently valid IATF 16949 3rd party auditors within Ukraine will be entitled to continue to keep their auditor credentials current and in effect, even if they are prevented from conducting normal IATF 16949 auditing activities, also until further notice.

The International Automotive Task Force (IATF) is constantly reviewing the developments in Ukraine concerning its impact on the IATF 16949 certification scheme and is in close communication and working together to assess the next steps to be implemented from our contingency plan.

Further communications will be made available on the IATF Global Oversight website www.iatfglobaloversight.org

If you have any questions, please contact IATF Oversight.