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VDE Quality Tested – Simplified Luminaire Approbation

Dear Sir,

a simplified integration of ECG innovations – that's what OSRAM developed together with the VDE a new approach for

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VDE Quality Tested

OSRAM confirm with this logo a simplified change from one ECG generation to the other without big efforts.

The **advantages** for you as luminaire manufacturers **at a glance**:

- Existing **Safety and EMC approbation** of luminaire **remains valid** without re-approbation.
- **Short term realisation** for the exchange from one generation to the following
- **High level of transparency** as product details are in addition available on VDE web
- **No change** in VDE- and VDE-EMC **certificate. Short note** to VDE regarding successor ECG types is **sufficient** to complete certificates.
- **Slashed costs** for simple completion of certificates with successor ECG
- **Each Quality Tested** certificate has own **ID-Nummer** for clear identification through independent third party

High level of transparency is given through separate ID number for each VDE certificate. Relevant data and certificate are any time accessible under www.vde.de.

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Luminaires with existing safety and EMC approbation which should be completed with successor ECG according to VDE Quality Tested requirements, do not need a re-approbation in safety and EMC. There are no additional costs for the luminaire manufacturer for the certificate completion. By law there is the need of documentation for the completion to be realised through accrediting office – especially according to international certification procedure.
This is invoiced from the accrediting office. Resulting costs for your luminaire types please check with your VDE representative.

For further questions please contact our specialists for Quality tested.
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With best regards

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