



CableLAN adds NQA-1 and Appendix B Program

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CableLAN Nuclear proudly introduces its new NQA-1 and 10CFR50, Appendix B Quality Assurance program. The new program was instituted in September, and is being used for all new orders for nuclear power plant equipment.

As you know, the number of manufacturers with NQA-1 or Appendix B programs is declining. Of our suppliers, only Prysmian Draka and Champlain Cable continue maintaining their programs. By using them, we can certify their products via audit and source inspection.

For other suppliers, CableLAN's program will be used to dedicate the products for use in nuclear plants. Our expertise in the detail of electrical and fiber optic cables and related products, i.e. connectors, cable assemblies, etc., can be used to determine the proper dedication steps to produce a qualified solution to your needs.

Jan Pirrong, CableLAN Nuclear's president, said:

"In talking to many customers over the last dozen years, the most popular questions involve sourcing of cable, connectors and other products related to cables. With only a limited number of NQA-1 sources, the choices are extremely limited. Even for non-safety related products, finding suitable products has been difficult. Nuclear plants demand the highest quality equipment. We are now fully equipped to source these products from our own manufacturing partner base and others.

"We believe we are the only distributor with this QA program. In short, CableLAN Nuclear can be your cable sourcing expert!"

Larry Cunningham, Director of Technology at CableLAN adds:

"For more than 25 years, I have designed and implemented Appendix B and NQA-1 programs at several wire and cable companies. While CableLAN is a distributor, our program is designed to be used for products from manufacturers with the nuclear QA programs, but also those who have adequate QA programs but lack the rigor and focus on conservatism required by NQA-1 and Appendix B. We bridge that gap.

"With our background in environmental qualification, materials and electrical and fiber optic cable designs, CableLAN is uniquely qualified to provide qualified cable and cable related products to the nuclear power industry."

CableLAN Nuclear is happy to discuss our new QA program and to provide you with a copy of our QA manual. Contact us at 1-800-840-6655, 1-508-384-7811 or [email](mailto:info@cablelannuclear.com) us.

