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TUBE BENDING, INCORPORATED BECOMES AS9100 REGISTERED

(August 13, 2009) – Hesperia, CA - Tube Bending, Incorporated (TBI) has completed the implementation of AS9100 and is now an AS9100 registered manufacturing facility. AS9100 is focused on quality, reliability and safety and is rapidly becoming the requirement for top tier aerospace companies worldwide.

The AS9100 quality management system provides a framework for maintaining and improving quality. It is based on ISO 9001:2008 with specific requirements added for both civil and military aerospace applications. Customers in the aerospace industry can be assured that their business partners who are AS9100 registered will meet their requirements for quality. In addition, an increasing number of aerospace contractors and primes are now requiring the use of AS9100 throughout their supply chains. AS9100 registration is becoming a requirement for suppliers to Boeing, Rolls-Royce, Northrop Grumman, Lockheed Martin, General Electric Aircraft Engines, Honeywell, and many others.

"All of us at TBI recognize the need to manufacture high quality, reliable products as our customers are critical in the aerospace industry," said Manufacturing Manager, Steve Hulburt. "Our focus has always been on providing the highest degree of excellence to our customers. Becoming registered to the globally recognized AS9100 quality standard allows our customers to be confident that dealing with TBI means they are dealing with an industry leader."

Since 1959, TBI continues to be a major player in the aerospace industry. Located in Hesperia, California, TBI builds tube assemblies for both aerospace and commercial applications. The effective implementation of AS9100 gives TBI a great competitive advantage of having the discipline to identify, understand, and fully meet its customers' requirements while effectively driving down waste and production costs.

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