

CASE STUDY

Japan Aerospace Corporation: Increasing commercial transparency with Tcertification™

Japan Aerospace Corporation (JAC), an aerospace and defense company headquartered in Tokyo, has been Tcertified since 2008. Tcertification™, a heavily benchmarked and comprehensive due diligence review, analysis and approval process based on internationally accepted standards, has simplified the due diligence process for JAC, saving time and resources both for the company and its business partners.

Almost all of JAC's business partners are major U.S. and European manufacturers with established compliance programs. JAC's non-Tcertified competitors are required to respond to lengthy questionnaires and submit company information each time they go through the vetting process of a new business partner, but because many companies accept Tcertification™ in lieu of their own procedures, JAC is often able to expedite the onboarding process. JAC owns its verified due diligence information and can share it with an unlimited number of business partners at no additional cost, eliminating the need for duplicitous reviews and delays. Instead of repeatedly completing due diligence reviews for each business partner, JAC only has to update its Tcertification™ once a year.

JAC has found that Tcertification™ provides a competitive advantage and often acts as a starting point for discussions with new potential business partners. At conferences, JAC includes its Tcertification™ ID in presentations to prospective business partners, who can conveniently request a copy of JAC's due diligence report from Ethixbase360's publicly available and searchable Intermediary Directory.

Because Tcertification™ is widely recognized in the international business community, potential business partners understand that JAC has already met baseline due diligence and training requirements and can provide reliable compliance information verified by the world's leading anti-bribery standard-setting organization. They have the added reassurance that compliance information is updated annually and that names are screened daily against international sanctions and enforcement lists. Additionally, Tcertification™ demonstrates JAC's overall commitment to commercial transparency and ethical business, which multinational companies increasingly value with more investors and shareholders focused on ESG issues within corporate supply chains.

About Tcertification™

Tcertification™ is based on globally accepted standards and compliance practices established over the last two decades by Ethixbase360. Since its inception in 2012, the credential has become widely recognized in the international business community, with many multinational companies accepting it as the gold standard of third party due diligence. Tcertification™ enables suppliers, distributors and other commercial intermediaries to easily meet international due diligence requirements and to share their verified compliance information, housed in the Ethixbase360 Intermediary Directory, with an unlimited number of business partners. The Intermediary Directory provides Certified entities with a competitive advantage and multinational companies with assurance that compliance information is up to date and that names are continuously screened against international sanctions and enforcement lists.





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