

<b>IAOB INVESTMENT GRANT APPLICATION</b>	
<b>Name of Investment Grant Program</b>	
<b>Purpose of Investment Grant Program</b>	
<b>Eligibility Statement</b> (Briefly describe how the Program supports the administration of quality assurance, accreditation, and certification programs in the automotive industry)	
<p><b>Assessment Criteria</b>            Projects will be assessed against the below criteria:</p> <p><b>Benefits to the General Public, the Automotive Industry, and Government</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrate an improvement in the quality of automotive supply chain and automobile manufacturer products and/or processes</li> <li>• Demonstrate a direct benefit to the International Automotive Task Force, the ISO/TS16949 standard, or to the ISO/TS16949 certification scheme</li> <li>• The extent to which the Program will promote ISO/TS16949 certification</li> </ul> <p><b>Evidence of Need</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evidence that demonstrates the overall need for the Program.</li> <li>• Evidence that demonstrates the Program has the support of the general public, the automotive industry, and relevant government agencies.</li> <li>• Evidence of how the grant funds will be used in the Program.</li> <li>• Evidence that demonstrates improvement to the administration of quality assurance, accreditation, and certification programs in the automotive industry</li> </ul> <p><b>Expected Outcome(s) from the Program to accomplish the Benefits described above:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul> <p><b>Commitment and Capability of the Investment Grant Recipient:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describe how the Program will be managed to accomplish expected outcomes and timing</li> <li>• Evidence that the Grant Recipient has the knowledge and resources to accomplish the expected outcomes of the Program</li> </ul> <p><b>Timing</b>            Critical program benchmarks and timing from receipt of grant funding to program completion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul> <p><b>Requested Investment Grant amount \$_____</b>            Describe if Grant is requested as a lump sum at the beginning of the Program or at intervals during the Program. Provide rationale:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Note: Accountability Requirements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Notify in writing changes to the Program or to agreed Program funding terms</li> <li>• Prepare a report on the outcomes of the Program</li> <li>• Submit a statement of expenses at the conclusion of the Program</li> <li>• Return unexpended funds to IAOB or obtain written approval for variation to agreed funding</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Application Process</b>            Investment Grants are decided annually by the IAOB Board of Directors. Applications are accepted between February and May. Investment Grant decisions are made in September and announced the same month.</p> <p><b>Application Submitted By: (name &amp; date)</b> _____  <b>(title)</b> _____  <b>(organization)</b> _____  <b>(email address)</b> _____  <b>(phone number)</b> _____</p>	
<p><b>Mail Application to the International Automotive Oversight Bureau (IAOB), 26200 Lahser, Suite 320, Southfield, Michigan 48033; to the Attention of the President &amp; Managing Director</b></p>	