Contractor Responsible Manager recognition with Engineers Australia.

Engineers Australia Recognition | 22 May 2018 By CMDR Peter Carter, Deputy Director of Aviation Compliance (Part 66 and 147)

Responsible Manager (RM) QTE (including chartered status) requirements have been prescribed in Defence Aviation Safety Regulation (DASR) in part to ensure that the RMs technical decisions have global credibility and defensibility. DG-DASA has negotiated with the registrar at Engineers Australia (EA) to have certain RMs who may not have satisfied the stage one requirements for entry into EA to progress directly to stage two (interview). EA will assess that each RM has demonstrated they meet the international benchmark of competency for engineers either the Washington, Sydney or Dublin Accord.

Mr Josh Rogers RM at BAE Nowra stated “By progressing straight to stage 2 Engineers Australia competency, it allows me to focus on the managerial elements and Aircraft related engineering support I have provided the ADF in my 20 year career with BAE Systems Australia. It allows me to not only demonstrate my aircraft engineering maintenance support activities but also allows me to solely focus on the non-technical skill aspects in day to day management in Defence contracting. By progressing this stage 2 it will allow me to continue my role within a DASR 145 Maintenance Organisation as the appointed Responsible Manager”.