



IATF Oversight Certification Body Communiqué

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SUBJECT: Notice of new IATF OEM Voting Member

The IATF continues to deliver its long-term vision through focus on its strategic imperatives. Under the “Global Growth” imperative, the IATF seeks to expand the breadth and depth of engagement with the scheme around the world through developing IATF targeted new OEM and National Automotive Industry Association relationships.

Consistent with its strategy, at the IATF 2021 Spring meeting, in a global virtual meeting, the IATF unanimously voted to welcome Geely Group into the IATF as an OEM voting member. This marks a significant milestone in the history of the IATF as Geely Group will be the first Asia member to join the IATF, and is a clear signal of IATF’s intent to boost the scheme’s growth around the world.

Geely Group has shown continued commitment to the IATF scheme by requiring all its suppliers to be certified to IATF 16949.

The inclusion of Geely Group into the IATF will contribute to the IATF’s capabilities as we prepare to embrace the challenges facing the automotive industry and ensuring the IATF scheme remains effective for today, and fit for the future.

Geely Group’s nominated representative is Dr. Hua (Howard) Xu [徐华]. His first official IATF meeting will be 17th May 2021.