

Meeting: International Organization for Standardization (ISO), Technical Committee on Ships and Marine Technology (TC 8), WG 2 (Supply Chain Security)

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Venue: Rotterdam Office of Det Norske Veritas
Haastrechtstraat 7, IJselmonde,
Rotterdam, the Netherlands

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MAJOR OUTCOMES OF THE MEETING

The Publicly Available Specification ISO/PAS 28000:2005 "Security Management System for the Supply Chain" was approved and published in November, the last year. At this meeting, the working group developed the draft guidelines, i.e., ISO/PAS 28004 "Security management systems for the supply chain- Guidelines for the implementation of ISO/PAS 28000:2005".

The group further discussed the requirements for certification bodies which will be in charge of third-party auditing in accordance with the standards for supply chain security management systems such

as ISO/PAS 28000:2005, based on ISO/IEC/DIS 17021 "Conformity assessment -- Requirements for bodies providing audit and certification of management systems".

Then the group developed the first draft of ISO/PAS 28003 "Security management systems - Requirements for bodies providing audit and certification of supply chain security management systems".

MAJOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE MEETING

During the discussion on draft ISO/PAS 28003, Dr. Ota mainly pointed out the following issues:

- .1 security clearance of personnel related to audit (auditor, external experts, etc.), in view of confidentiality of sensitive security information;
- .2 disqualification of certification body; and
- .3 official procedure for the development of ISO/PAS 28003, in particular, the necessity of New Work Item Proposal.

During the discussion, he contributed to refine the draft by pointing out the above mentioned issues and so on. In the meeting, the working group was separated into four small groups to speed up the detailed consideration on the draft and he also contributed to refine the draft, in particular from the view points of clarification and consistency.

He further discussed the draft ISO/PAS 28004.