



ICOR Verifies Time Warner Cable's Declaration of Conformity to ISO 22301

Press Release

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Time Warner Cable the First Company Globally to Self-Declare Conformity to ISO 22301

Lombard, IL USA - September 28, 2015 - The international Consortium for Organizational Resilience (ICOR), an international non-profit professional development and credentialing organization, today announced that Time Warner Cable (TWC) has become the first company to achieve ICOR verification of self-declaration to ISO 22301 for TWC's Business Continuity Management System.

ISO 22301, developed by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO), is a standard that addresses business continuity management to help organizations be better prepared and more confident to handle disruptions of any type. The scope of the self-declaration is the entire organization. TWC is among the largest providers of video, high-speed data and voice services in the United States.



With the establishment of ISO 22301 Business Continuity Management System Requirements in May 2012, organizations have been aligning their Business Continuity Management Systems (BCMS) to ISO 22301. Some organizations seek third-party certification to demonstrate their conformance. Self-declaration of conformance is also allowed.

ICOR created a third path to declaring conformity that includes a verification of the self-declaration made by the organization. Upon meeting the requirements, ICOR issues a verification symbol for use by compliant organization. (see above)

Randy Dougherty, Vice President for Management Systems, the American National Accreditation Board (ANAB), said, "I am very pleased that TWC has become the first

organization to achieve the ICOR verified self-declaration of conformity to ISO 22301. This is a positive achievement demonstrates that TWC has implemented a business continuity management system capable of prompt recovery in the event of a disruption. This also positions TWC to achieve an accredited certification to ISO 22301 and participate in the DHS/FEMA PS Prep program.

The ICOR program was developed with input from industry, certification bodies and ANAB an accreditation body that certifies organizations for preparedness, business continuity, resilience and emergency response management systems based on ISO 22301, NFPA 1600 and ASIS SPC.1."

"We're very proud to be the first company to complete the ICOR Verification of Self-Declaration process to ISO 22301," said Brian Allen, TWC's GVP and Chief Security Officer. "ISO 22301 provides us the framework to be even better prepared to handle disruptive incidents, ensuring efficient responses and effective business continuity. At TWC, contingency planning is critical to our operations so it's essential to continue efforts to enhance our strong business continuity program."

About the Self-Declaration Verification Process

ICOR created a third path to declaring conformity that includes a verification of the self-declaration made by the organization. ICOR's Verification Program was developed in collaboration with The American National Accreditation Board (ANAB), the British Standards Institute (BSI), third-party certification bodies, and representatives from FEMA and DHS in the United States. This process is intended to support and promote eventual third-party certification by providing organizations a tool to improve their Business Continuity Management (BCM) programs and to conform to ISO 22301 requirements. **Learn more**

About ICOR - - Embedding culture and systems of organizational resilience

ICOR (www.theICOR.org) headquartered in Lombard, IL USA, is an international non-profit professional development and credentialing organization that provides professional development, certification, thought-leadership, and the latest in research and industry trends in the disciplines that support building a more resilient organization. ICOR addresses the evolving needs of business, government, non-governmental agencies, and society to improve their resilience and viability as an organization and as a member of a larger community.

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