



Briefing note ISO 50001:2018 Transition

At its General Assembly in India (November 2016) the International Accreditation Forum (IAF) agreed that the **migration period** for this new standard would be **3 years from the date of publication**. The date of publication was 15th September 2018.

This means that ISO 50001:2018 certificates **expiry date is 20th August 2021**.

New contract review needs to be done and uploaded to eCMS or mailed to Head Office before ISO 50001:2018 audit takes place with the client.

Staunchly Management And System Services Ltd. may issue **non-accredited** ISO 50001:2018 certificates until accreditation by IAS is granted.

Before any audits to ISO 50001:2018 take place the **auditor training and competence** approval need to be finalised.

Timeline for ISO 50001:2018:

Please note that ISO 50001:2018 was published on 21 August 2018. With this release, ISO 50001:2018 will be withdrawn. Companies certified to the ISO 50001:2018 standard now have a three-year period to migrate their certificate to ISO 50001:2018. We recommend that your preparations start now. Kindly go through the requirement and follow with the following plan:

1. Validity of any ISO 50001:2018 Certificate shall be restricted to: 20th August 2021
2. All the existing client need to submit the transition plan by August 2019
3. Transition can be done either in surveillance audit or separate audit.
4. No certificate of ISO 50001:2018 shall be issued after 20th August 2020.
5. Transition to all ISO 50001:2011 to ISO 50001:2018 shall be started by 01 June 2019.
6. Timeline to ISO 50001:2018 need to be done for all clients by June 2020
7. Any certificate which is getting expired shall preferably be issued under ISO 50001:2018 only with the SMS Logo, our transition is in process and we expect to complete the transition by June 2019 and thereafter certificate shall be issued under IAS.