

QUALITY MANAGEMENT

In order to implement the quality policy adopted by Latvian Railway, the main measures taken are directed towards the development of the metrological security system, finding a solution to the problem of personnel certification and implementation of management systems. The quality management system which complies with the Latvian State Standard EN ISO 9001:2000 is currently being implemented by the Latvian Railway Infrastructure Department and its structural units. This quality management system is principally being developed for the main processes - track renewal and replacement of turnouts. During the implementation of the quality management system, considerable assistance is provided by the Latvian Railway Training Centre organising a course of study including such subjects as quality system elements and auditing principles.

The technical committee for the standardisation of *Latvian Railway* established by the State non-profit limited company *Latvijas Standarts* deals with the development of new, as well the adaptation of international standards. In order to successfully enter the common railway transport system, *Latvian Railway* has joined, as an observer, the inter-state standardisation technical committee *Railway Transport*, the sub-committees of which are actively represented by our specialists.



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