Electronics Inc. Provides Accredited Training to FAA Shot Peening Auditors


Electronics Inc. (EI) has received approval from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to conduct training for FAA employees who audit shot peening processes. The training is a two-day on-site program of classroom instruction and shop proficiency demonstrations with an emphasis on what auditors need to know to conduct a thorough audit of shot peening processes. Attendees that pass the review and competency test at the end of the program will receive credit toward their yearly FAA training requirement.

Jack Champaigne and Pete Bailey of Electronics Inc. developed this unique training program for the FAA—it's the first program of its kind and will be proprietary to the FAA. According to Mr. Champaigne, “We are very pleased to have formed this alliance with the FAA. It elevates shot peening training to the level of attention and importance it deserves in the aerospace industry.”

EI also provides on-site shot peening and flapper peening training for operators, supervisors, quality control technicians and part-life designers. The instructors will specifically review the organization's ability to meet any particular procedure or specification with special emphasis on equipment capability. These programs are ideal for companies and military bases that want to improve the quality and control of their shot peening processes.

Electronics Inc. is a pioneer in shot peening training. Since 1980, EI has hosted annual shot peening workshops to students from around the world. EI manufactures MagnaValves® and Almen gages and distributes Almen strips worldwide.

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