

## **NOVACAST LIMITED is an ISO 9001:2008 Approved Company.**

### **QUALITY STATEMENT**

Novacast Ltd's aims and objectives are to provide products that meet our customer's expectations, not just in terms of the **quality** of the product - *'fit, function, performance and appearance'* - but also in terms of the **delivery** and **cost**.

To help ensure that these primary targets are consistently achieved, Novacast Ltd. implements an effective **Quality Management System**, in accordance with **ISO 9001:2008**.

The main purposes of the QMS is to ensure that the products are produced to the correct specification, by people who are skilled in those tasks that they are undertaking, and to help ensure the continual improvement of the quality of the product and service, to the end benefit of the customer.

The Quality Procedures that are carried out on the products that Novacast supply are...

#### **IN-HOUSE**

Raw castings are produced in accordance with the relevant (metal / material) specifications.

Raw castings are subjected to in-house visual inspection.

Machining operations are only carried out by ISO 9001:2008 approved sub-contract suppliers – who are responsible for the machining operations (C of C's available if requested) – Novacast do carry out further random checks – 1 off+, on these final items.

#### **IMPORTED GOODS**

Imported goods are subject to sample checks – based on BS6001 @ AQL 1% .

Material analysis reports are issued by the supplier, with further independent checks periodically carried out, on either the test bar or actual parts.

Other inspection schedules – as stipulated by the customer, can also be introduced, if felt necessary.

Novacast have a very close working relationship with our International Suppliers (ref. Imported Goods) – conducting many a Quality visit throughout the year, and we feel this helps to ensure a continual supply of quality goods!!!

Novacast's In-house 'dimensional' inspection is mainly carried out using a 'Faro Arm' (a portable co-ordinate measuring machine) – which not only ensures a good accuracy of measurement, but also allows for more of the complicated features to be checked.

FARO ARM 'TITANIUM' 1.8m