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## Alarm Company Procedure & Application for Verification of Industry Compliance

According to rules established by FirstNet – Built with AT&T, FirstNet eligibility is limited to those companies who meet accepted industry standards for transmitting public safety related alarms (e.g. robbery, burglary, unlawful intrusion, fire, emergency medical) to an alarm monitoring facility. The facility confirms and verifies the authenticity of the alarm and notifies a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) for relay to a public safety agency for the purpose of initiating an emergency response.

For an alarm company to qualify to use the FirstNet network for alarm transport, it must first verify compliance with accepted industry standards through receipt of a Certificate of Verification from The Monitoring Association (TMA). The alarm company can then seek approval for eligibility to operate on the FirstNet network by presenting the TMA Certificate of Verification to AT&T with their contract(s) and/or service order(s). In the application to the TMA, an alarm company must self-certify that the alarm company follows the ANSI/CSAA CS-V-01 Standard (Alarm Confirmation, Verification and Notification Procedures).

TMA will verify compliance via the databases of a nationally recognized testing laboratory (NRTL). An alarm company must qualify in one or more of these certifications.

**UL Online Certifications Directory:** <https://www.ul.com/ul-databases-and-directories/>

**Factory Mutual:** [www.approvalguide.com](http://www.approvalguide.com)

**Intertek (ETL):** [www.intertek.com/directories](http://www.intertek.com/directories)

Qualifying certifications are:

- Central Station Listed for Burglar Alarm Systems (CPVX)
- Central Station Protective Signaling Services (UUFX)
- Monitoring Stations, National Industrial Security (CRZM)
- Proprietary Fire Alarm Monitoring Station (UUKA)
- Remote Station Alarm Systems (UUJS)
- Residential Alarm Systems (CVWY)
- FM 3040 Approval Standard for Central Station Service for Burglar Alarms
- FM 3011 Approval Standard for Central Station Service for Fire Alarms and Protective Equipment Supervision
- An ASAP (Automated Secure Alarm Protocol) operating agreement with TMA also qualifies an alarm company for alarm transport using the FirstNet network.

Alarm Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone, Email \_\_\_\_\_

Operating Area(s) \_\_\_\_\_

1. I have indicated all certifications above that our company qualifies for.
2. I hereby certify that our company, or any third party company that we provide a FirstNet SIM Card or account to, transmits public safety related alarms (e.g. robbery, burglary, unlawful intrusion, fire, emergency medical) to an alarm monitoring facility that confirms and verifies the authenticity of the alarm and notifies a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) for relay to a public safety agency for the purpose of initiating an emergency response.
3. I certify that our company, or any third-party company that we provide a FirstNet SIM Card or account to, follows the ANSI/CSAA CS-V-01 Standard (Alarm Confirmation, Verification and Notification Procedures).
4. I have enclosed the TMA processing fee in the amount of \$250 for TMA members and \$350 for TMA non-members for the Verification Process.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_