



FACTORY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM*

SERVICES INCLUDED

- **Verified Self-Assessment: SAQ**

Our in-house team of quality experts will conduct a desktop review of supporting material to verify the SAQ. The factory will be provided with clear guidance on where to focus efforts for improved RBA compliance.

- **6-Month Corrective Action Plan: CAP**

Based on the verified SAQ, the factory will work with the sponsoring RBA member on an RBA approved 6-month CAP. The factory is responsible for completion of the plan.

- **eLearning Academy**

To build capability, the factory has complete access to our eLearning database with trainings, webinars and data sheets. Courses can be selected based on the needs identified in the verified SAQ and CAP.



BENEFITS OF THE FACTORY ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

The RBA Code of Conduct is a robust set of expectations focused on driving social and environmental responsibility across the supply chain. This Code covers; Labor, Environment, Health & Safety, Ethics and Management Systems. Within each category there are multiple expectations of conformance. When a factory is new to the RBA Code of Conduct, or struggling to meet the requirements of the Validated Audit Protocol, they can partner with an RBA member and join the Factory Engagement Program for support.

The Factory Engagement Program (FEP) is not an audit program, it is a place to learn and develop skills and capabilities to demonstrate your commitment to social and environmental responsibility. As a participant of the Factory Engagement Program factories will receive a FEP certificate. This certificate means the factory is in partnership with an RBA member on a continuous improvement journey. This certificate can be shared with customers and verified by the RBA.

*A PROGRAM OF THE RESPONSIBLE FACTORY INITIATIVE (\$2500 USD/YEAR)



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