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In this Redline version, a vertical line in the margin shows where the technical content is modified by amendment 1. Additions are in green text, deletions are in strikethrough red text. A separate Final version with all changes accepted is available in this publication.

International Standard IEC 62668-1 has been prepared by IEC technical committee 107: Process management for avionics.

This first edition cancels and replaces the third edition of IEC TS 62668-1 published in 2016. This edition constitutes a technical revision.

This edition includes the following significant technical changes with respect to the previous edition:

a) added a reference to AS/EN/JISQ 9100 and AS/EN/JISQ 9110 which contain anti-counterfeit requirements which may be used to satisfy the requirements of 4.2;

b) added reference to USA DFAR rule 252.246.7008 and to UK Defence Standard 05-135;

c) added reference to more GAO, OECD and ICC reports in 4.5.1;

d) updated weblinks and other references;

e) added new Annex E with figures describing how anti-counterfeit documents can be used in supply chains;

f) added a reference to the new IECQ OD 3702 traceability audit;

g) added new definition for re-manufactured components with a warning that these are not recommended.

This document has been drafted in accordance with the ISO/IEC Directives, Part 2.

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1 Scope

This part of IEC 62668 defines requirements for avoiding the use of counterfeit, recycled and fraudulent components used in the aerospace, defence and high performance (ADHP) industries. It also defines requirements for ADHP industries to maintain their intellectual property (IP) for all of their products and services. The risks associated with purchasing components outside of franchised distributor networks are considered in IEC 62668-2. Although developed for the avionics industry, this document can be applied by other high performance and high reliability industries at their discretion.

NOTE IEC 62668 (all parts) does not address the restriction on the re-use of a component in maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) operations and only addresses MRO activities when they are under the OEM's responsibility.

2 Normative references

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IEC 62239-1, *Process management for avionics – Management plan – Part 1: Preparation and maintenance of an electronic components management plan*

IEC 62668-2, *Process management for avionics – Counterfeit prevention – Part 2: Managing electronic components from non-franchised sources*

ISO 9001, *Quality management systems – Requirements*

AS/EN/JISQ 9100, *Quality Management Systems – Requirements for Aviation, Space and Defense Organizations*

AS/EN/JISQ 9110, *Quality Maintenance Systems – Aerospace – Requirements for Maintenance Organizations*

3 Terms, definitions and abbreviated terms

3.1 Terms and definitions

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