



# ISO 45001 transition process



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This document identifies activities which shall be considered by relevant interested parties and is intended to increase understanding of the context of ISO 45001:2018.

This document provides requirements for the migration from BS OHSAS 18001:2007 to ISO 45001:2018. These migration requirements apply only for migration of BS OHSAS 18001:2007 to ISO 45001:2018 by the same Certification Body.

The OHSAS Project Group has fully reviewed and endorsed ISO 45001:2018 as the replacement for BS OHSAS 18001:2007. Therefore, once ISO 45001:2018 has been published, the official status of BS OHSAS 18001:2007 will be considered as being "Withdrawn" taking into account the three-year migration period.

The IAF will only promote the acceptance of ISO 45001:2018 accredited certificates after the end of the ISO 45001:2018 migration period.

For a customer having a non-accredited certificate, moving to ISO 45001 will require the process of initial certification (stage 1 & stage 2) without any possibility to reduce the audit duration.

Contact your nearest Bureau Veritas Office

Best Regards,



**Three-year  
migration  
period**



**Only accredited  
BS OHSAS  
18001:2007  
certificates will  
be accepted**