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Local Chemical Distributor Achieves Success with Fourth Quality Certification through CMTC Assistance

ARLETA, CA – [Miles Chemical](#), a full line chemical services company with headquarters in Arleta, California, has obtained [ISO 9001:2008](#) certification for their Anaheim, California facility. The organization previously acquired [ISO 14001:2004](#) and [OHSAS 18001:2007](#) certifications as well as the [National Association of Chemical Distributor's Responsible Distribution](#) (RD) verification, making it the only known chemical distributor with all four quality management standards in place. They enlisted assistance from [California Manufacturing Technology Consulting](#)® (CMTC), a non-profit corporation helping Southern California manufacturers become more competitive.

ISO 9001:2008 is the [International Organization of Standardization's](#) certification that verifies an organization is utilizing an internationally recognized quality management system. ISO 14001:2004 is the certification for Environmental Management Systems, OHSAS 18001:2007 is the [Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Services'](#) authentication for Health and Safety Management Systems, and RD verification signifies responsible distribution practices.

"Over the past 4 years our business has transformed from Chemical Distribution to Chemical Services. This has been through a combination of these quality initiatives, new market development, and acquisition," says Anthony Miles, President of Miles Chemical. "Our customers and suppliers quality in part are dependent on who they do business with- we have seen and heard it though their external quality audits. They want local material and local resources available when they need it. We are here to support their businesses."

Founded in 1996, Miles Chemical's services include chemical distribution, environmental services, chemical formulating/blending, third party warehousing/transportation, technical support and laboratory services.

"Throughout these qualification processes, CMTC was there and offered us the same kind of local support that our customers expect of us," adds Miles.

For more information about Miles Chemical and its services, call 818-504-3355 or visit www.mileschemical.com. For more information about manufacturing certifications, call CMTC at 310-263-3018 or visit www.cmtc.com.

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