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Exciting News from Peening Technologies A message from VP Walter A. Beach

I'm honored to share that I've been appointed Chairperson of the SAE Surface Enhancement Committee.

My involvement with both SAE International and Nadcap goes back to the early 2000s — first by helping to develop the original Nadcap checklists for AC7117, /1, /2, and /5, and later by joining the SAE Surface Enhancement Committee and the subsequently formed Aerospace Surface Enhancement Committee (ASEC). Over the years, I've had the privilege of sponsoring several important document revisions, including AMS2430, AMS2432, and ARP7488.

A heartfelt thank you to Jack Champaigne of Electronics, Inc., for his decades of dedicated leadership. Jack's stewardship has brought together people and companies from all over the world with a shared purpose — to continually improve the shot peening process. His tireless work has set the foundation for the collaborative, technically rigorous community we're all proud to be part of.

I look forward to building on this legacy and continuing the work of advancing surface enhancement technologies for the industries we serve.

Walter A. Beach
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