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**exida Certifies Emerson TEC2000 with TEC2
Electronics Electric Actuator For Functional Safety**

SELLERSVILLE, PA (April 19, 2017) -- exida, the global leader in functional safety certification for the process industries, has certified Emerson Process Management Valve Automation, Inc. TEC2000 with TEC2 Electronics (SIL Option) Electric Actuator for functional safety, ensuring it meets the functional safety requirements for Safety Integrity Level (SIL) 3 capability per IEC 61508: 2010.

"TEC2000 Electric Actuator with TEC2 electronics delivers configurable non-intrusive total electronic control to the process and controls industry," says Jack Booker, Emerson Process Management Valve Automation, Inc. Engineering Director.

"exida is truly the industry leader in SIL certification, they pay special attention to details and gave clear guidance during the certification process" says Noshir Kharas Project Manager TEC2000 with TEC2 Electronics SIL Certification.

"Emerson has clearly demonstrated a very high quality design process that meets the rigorous IEC 61508 requirements," says John Yozallinas, exida Evaluating Assessor. "They have a thorough development process which helps ensure the delivery of products that achieve high levels of functional safety."

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