

Intel Penang, Malaysia Site

RBA VAP – Summary Findings

In 2015, Intel's assembly and test facility in Penang, Malaysia underwent the Electronic Industry Citizenship Coalition (EICC), now known as the Responsible Business Alliance (RBA) Validated Audit Process (VAP). The VAP provides an independent (third-party) comprehensive social and environmental assessment of a company's performance against the RBA Code of Conduct, local laws, and regulations. Auditors commended the facility's environmental, health, and safety practices; well-established ethics program; extensive supplier management program; and well-managed food-handling practices. No audit findings were identified in the areas of health and safety or ethics. Two minor findings in the labor area and one minor finding in the environmental area were identified. The environmental finding has been closed and the labor findings are expected to close by the end of 2016.

Below is a high-level summary of the three minor findings:

Area	Rating	Finding	Resolution
Labor	Minor	An average of 3.5% of workweeks	In progress
		sampled showed weekly working hours	
		that exceeded the EICC limit of 60 hours.	
Labor	Minor	Due to the above minor finding,	In progress
		mechanisms for monitoring working	
		hours were deemed insufficient.	
Environmental	Minor	The label on one drum of scheduled	Both elements closed.
		waste in chemical storage had been	
		altered by hand. Per local requirement	Conducted refresh training
		no person is allowed to alter the	Increased frequency of
		markings on such labels.	audits and cycle counts
		One expired chemical not properly	
		dispositioned. Physical and system	
		quantities did not match.	

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