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## Executive Update

Dear API Executive:

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All the best,



**Mike Sommers**  
*President and CEO*

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## Regulatory and Legal Updates

### API Publishes Updated Quality Management System

This week, API issued the second edition of its landmark API Specification Q2, Quality Management for Service Supply Organizations for the Petroleum and Natural Gas Industry. This updated version strengthens safety, quality, environmental protection and sustainability requirements to facilitate the implementation of best-in-class standards across the natural gas and oil supply chain. API Senior Vice President for Global Industry Services Debra Phillips said: "Service and supply firms seek API certification to demonstrate their adherence to rigorous requirements, and API's Specification Q2 is the principal quality management standard that reinforces safety and consistency across industry products and operations." This new edition of Q2 clarifies where the Q1 and Q2 programs have common requirements, adds conditions to ensure workers possess the appropriate knowledge and skills, and strengthens the industry's approach to sustainability and environmental protection. API Specification Q2 is one of the primary documents referenced in the API Energy Excellence® program, which commits members to accelerating safety and environmental progress. [Register here](#) for an informational webinar August 26 to learn about the significant changes to the new edition, the drivers behind these changes and the impact that the new edition will have on API programs.

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## State Updates

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