**NNS SUPPLIER ENGINEERING ADVOCATE (SEA) GROUP**

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VISION

To simplify requirements and streamline processes for suppliers – a NNS Technical Liaison for suppliers.

MISSION

A dedicated team to coordinate with suppliers and NNS departments to resolve upstream material engineering issues negatively affecting the Material Value Stream.

PROCESS

Gather material engineering issues identified externally (suppliers) and internally (NNS departments).

Evaluate and conduct root cause analysis to determine if the concern is required by a contract or valid business reason.

Collaborate with all stakeholders to provide resolution -- ensuring the issue doesn’t happen again.