

## SOCOTEC USA Strengthens Position as a Leader in Testing and Inspection Services with Acquisition of Future Tech Consultants of New York, Gorman Jr. Fire Alarm Consulting, DnA Controlled Inspection, and ANDT Inspection.

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SOCOTEC, a leading provider of TIC (Testing, Inspection, and Certification), consulting, and advisory services with a strategic focus on building construction and infrastructure, announced the completion of four strategic acquisitions: Future Tech Consultants of New York, (FTC) and DnA Controlled Inspection, two NY-based Special Inspection and testing firms; Gorman Jr. Fire Alarm Consulting Services, a New York City-based consulting firm that deals primarily with fire alarm, sprinkler and other life safety systems, as well as FDNY expediting and consulting; and ANDT Inspection, a non-destructive testing and examination company.

These strategic acquisitions, with a combined workforce of approximately 125 professionals, significantly enhance SOCOTEC USA's service portfolio and bolster its capabilities in the realm of testing and inspection services.

With a strong commitment to helping clients build and maintain safe and sustainable assets, SOCOTEC continues to lead the way in Engineering Testing, Inspection and Certification services ("ETIC").

FTC, DnA, and ANDT's expert Special and Progress Inspections, NDT (Non-Destructive Testing), and CMT (Construction Material Testing) services provided to property developers, owners, operators, and other project stakeholders throughout the New York tri-state area align seamlessly with SOCOTEC's existing testing and inspection, and specialty engineering capabilities, while also broadening services within the Northeast, an existing market for SOCOTEC and the largest construction market within the United States.

Gorman Jr. Fire Alarm Consulting (WGJ), a prominent name in the fire protection industry for over 30 years, is uniquely positioned to support property management organizations, owners, and developers in achieving regulatory compliance for a wide variety of buildings, reinforcing and scaling SOCOTEC's Life Safety service offerings.

The acquisitions align with SOCOTEC's initiative to fortify its market presence as well as add to its existing expertise with the formation of new and specialized niche of Service Lines: (1) Special & Progress Inspection and (2) Testing. FTC and DnA will integrate within SOCOTEC's ETIC division, establishing a more defined Special & Progress Inspection service line, and ANDT expanding the existing Non-Destructive Testing and Examination service line, and WGJ integrating within SOCOTEC's Life Safety division – all of which strengthen the inspection and testing services already provided by SOCOTEC today.

Link to original press release: https://www.socotec.com/media/news/socotec-usa-strengthens-position-4-acquisitions

