

Verification Statement

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Verification Claims

The Digital Governance Council ("DGC") has reviewed the AffinitiQuest Credential Orchestration Platform ("Platform") in accordance with the Digital Governance Standards Institute (DGSI) Technical Specification for Digital Credentials and Digital Trust Services, TS-115 ("TS-115") available at: https://dgc-cgn.org/standards/find-a-standard/standards-in-digital-credentials. The Platform was assessed in accordance with the following:

- Main Scope: Digital Trust (https://github.com/dgc-cgn/CAS-Digital-Trust)
- Sub-Scope: Digital Credentials (https://github.com/dgc-cgn/CAS-Digital-Credentials)
- Focus/Specialization: Conformity Assessment Scheme for Digital Credentials, Digital Trust Services, and Digital Wallets.
- Assessment Class Level: Class 1: Attestation Method.
- Applicable Standard(s): DGSI TS 115:2023, Technical Specification for Digital Credentials and Digital Trust Services.
- Caveat(s): The mandatory clauses: 9.1.5; 9.1.7; 9.1.18; 9.1.23; 9.1.25 through 9.1.30; 10.1.1; 10.1.3; 10.1.5; 10.1.7; 10.1.16; 10.1.23; 11.1.3; 12.1.2; and 12.1.3 were out of scope.
- Accreditation Standard(s): ISO/IEC 17029:2019, Conformity assessment General principles and requirements for validation and verification bodies.

Pursuant to the DGC Digital Trust Conformity Assessment Program, DGC confirms that AffinitiQuest has provided sufficient evidence regarding the following Platform claims:

- 1. The Platform issues, manages, and verifies digital credentials as a digital infrastructure component intended to be available as a common capability for use by government programs, public organizations, and digital public infrastructure.
- 2. The Platform conforms to the requirements for digital credentials, data protection, cryptographic modules, issuer component, holder components, verifier components, and digital trust registry components as detailed in Sections 5 through 12 of TS-115.
- 3. The Platform conforms with the World-Wide Web (W3C) key recommendations: Verifiable Credential Data Model and Decentralized Identifier (DIDs), facilitating system interoperability.

DGC Statement of Assurance

DGC assures that the verification and assessment process was conducted impartially, fairly and transparently using evidence provided in accordance with DGC Digital Trust Conformity Assessment Program, policies and procedures publicly available at: https://github.com/dqc-cqn/CAS-Digital-Trust. This verification statement does not constitute an endorsement by DGC of the Digital Credential Orchestration Platform or AffinitiQuest. Until such time that the DGC Digital Trust Conformity Assessment Program receives accreditation this verification statement shall be relied on as an interim acknowledgement only. Once accreditation is received, this verification statement shall be reviewed and considered for formal recognition. This is a third-party verification.

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