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LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL COUNSEL

This year, in addition to the General Counsel role, I assumed responsibility for the International Accreditation subsidiary of ICC, Marketing, Communications and Global Services. This was part of our restructuring to integrate similar functions under one manager, strengthen internal communication across departments, and more evenly distribute the executive workload. As you can see throughout this report, and thanks to the hard work of the staffs in those Departments, we made good progress during the last year with a focus on serving our Members.

In the global arena, ICC's vision and mission is resonating with more countries, providing safer communities while strengthening ICC's diversification and impact. The fact that eight ICC codes were adopted into law in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, is both the beginning of a multi-year project of code implementation and enforcement, as well as a clear sign of our growing success on the world stage.

Our Marketing and Communications team has been concentrating on fostering a vibrant dialogue with our Members to both provide you with information about what your professional association is doing to help and to listen to your input and feedback. The staff works hard every day to ensure the Membership is informed about, and can access, valuable benefits in return for your time and investment in ICC. And they will continue to seek innovative ways to tell the compelling story of how dedicated Code Council Members work every day to build stronger and safer communities.

On the legal side, the Office of the General Counsel continued to act aggressively to protect the International Code Council and its subsidiaries against legal risk by anticipating and advising management on operational matters. The OGC also serves as special advisor to the Chief Executive

Officer and Senior Management Team on a broad array of legal matters including contracts; employment law; intellectual property; compliance with local, state, and federal requirements; and litigation.

The International Accreditation Service has focused on evaluating competence in a consistent, reliable manner. In addressing this very important mission, IAS has been diligent and well organized. Using the skills and wisdom of its staff, contract assessors and technical experts, IAS has enhanced and grown, while satisfying the customer's needs and the needs of the ICC Membership.

Finally, the Code Council made great strides this year towards the creation of a new suite of digital products that will provide broader and easier online access to the tremendous amount of content the ICC creates. We are looking forward to additional progress in 2013.



David L. deCourcy
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Executive Vice President & General Counsel
International Code Council

ICC EVALUATION SERVICE, LLC

ES President's Report

Throughout 2012, the world continued to experience the same economic headwinds as in 2011. However, at ICC-ES we began the year with rejuvenation and focus on key objectives, not the least of which was to serve the ICC Membership. ICC-ES rallies around its mission to provide relevant, reliable and timely information, developed through open and transparent processes, to expedite the acceptance of construction-related products that meet the building safety, affordability and sustainability objectives of the International Codes.

ICC-ES established a Go-To-Market (GTM) strategy to address a variety of issues related to its business plan—especially the necessity to address the needs of ICC Members. Among its many activities, the GTM team is addressing speed in product evaluation, as well as tailored audience solutions. This will allow manufacturers to obtain evaluation reports at a much faster speed, which in turn will allow code officials to approve innovative products much faster. For specifiers, the GTM team is overseeing the inclusion of Evaluation Service Reports (ESRs) in eCodes for quick reference. This initiative has been implemented and is being optimized.

ICC-ES is pursuing a more comprehensive list of products to evaluate. Products under review are modular framing systems to support photovoltaic and thermal solar panel installations. The GTM team is also working on a list of products that are specifically covered by consensus standards as well as the International Codes. The result will make ICC-ES a more complete source for product listings; a source that reviews products not only for code compliance, but also for compliance with relevant technical standards. It is important to note that such product listings already exist within the ICC-ES organization under its Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas business unit.

To enhance the quality of the evaluation report process, effective January 2012, all report holders are now required to undergo annual manufacturing plant inspections to assure continuous compliance of products. This will give code officials and all Members assurance that the evaluated products continue to comply with applicable codes and standards as well the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria.

ICC-ES is expanding geographically making its services accessible to Chinese manufacturers. This will enable code official Members to look for the ICC-ES mark of conformity, or the evaluation reports for such products, and sleep well at night knowing the approved products continue to comply with the stringent ICC-ES requirements.

The ES Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas program continues to see tremendous growth. This program was established based upon the high quality that ICC-ES is known for in product evaluations. Section 303.4 of the 2012 *International Plumbing Code*® (IPC®) required the listing of all plumbing products. This has allowed code officials in states that have adopted the IPC® to require listings for all plumbing products. As a result, manufacturers are now eagerly seeking ICC-ES PMG listings to meet the demand of code officials that their products be listed.

The PMG program also serves manufacturers who have transferred from other agencies to receive ICC-ES's high-quality, affordable services, and the mark of conformity that code officials trust.

The Environmental Program (formerly known as SAVE) has been moving successfully forward. The first environmental committee was formed and the first meeting held earlier this year in conjunction with Evaluation Committee meetings. The new committee has focused on a variety of topics, from revision of environmental criteria to roof coverings and photovoltaic materials. The Environmental Program continues to publish Verification of Attributes Reports (VARs) and to evaluate products to the requirements of the *International Green Construction Code*™ (IgCC™) and CALGreen. Additionally, the program received approval to become a Conformity Assessment Body (CAB) for the EPA EnergyStar program to certify products under the Seal and Insulate product category.

The Environmental Program further expanded to become a Program Operator that creates Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs) for manufacturers and offers supporting services related to EPDs, such as the development of Product Category Rules. The first ICC-ES EPD was published this year. The list of published EPDs can be found on the ICC-ES website along with the VAR listings.

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ICC-ES ramped up its efforts in 2012 to improve its customer service and speed up the evaluation process. Major improvements to our IT system are underway to facilitate ICC-ES's commitment to its clients. In the months to come, all of our customers will notice a larger menu of available services.

We look forward to your comments and will listen to you, as you are the best source of information as we seek to improve. Fasten your seat belts and enjoy the ride. We promise you will enjoy what you see. As always, we remain committed to providing the greatest technical expertise and the best service to our clients and the ICC Membership.



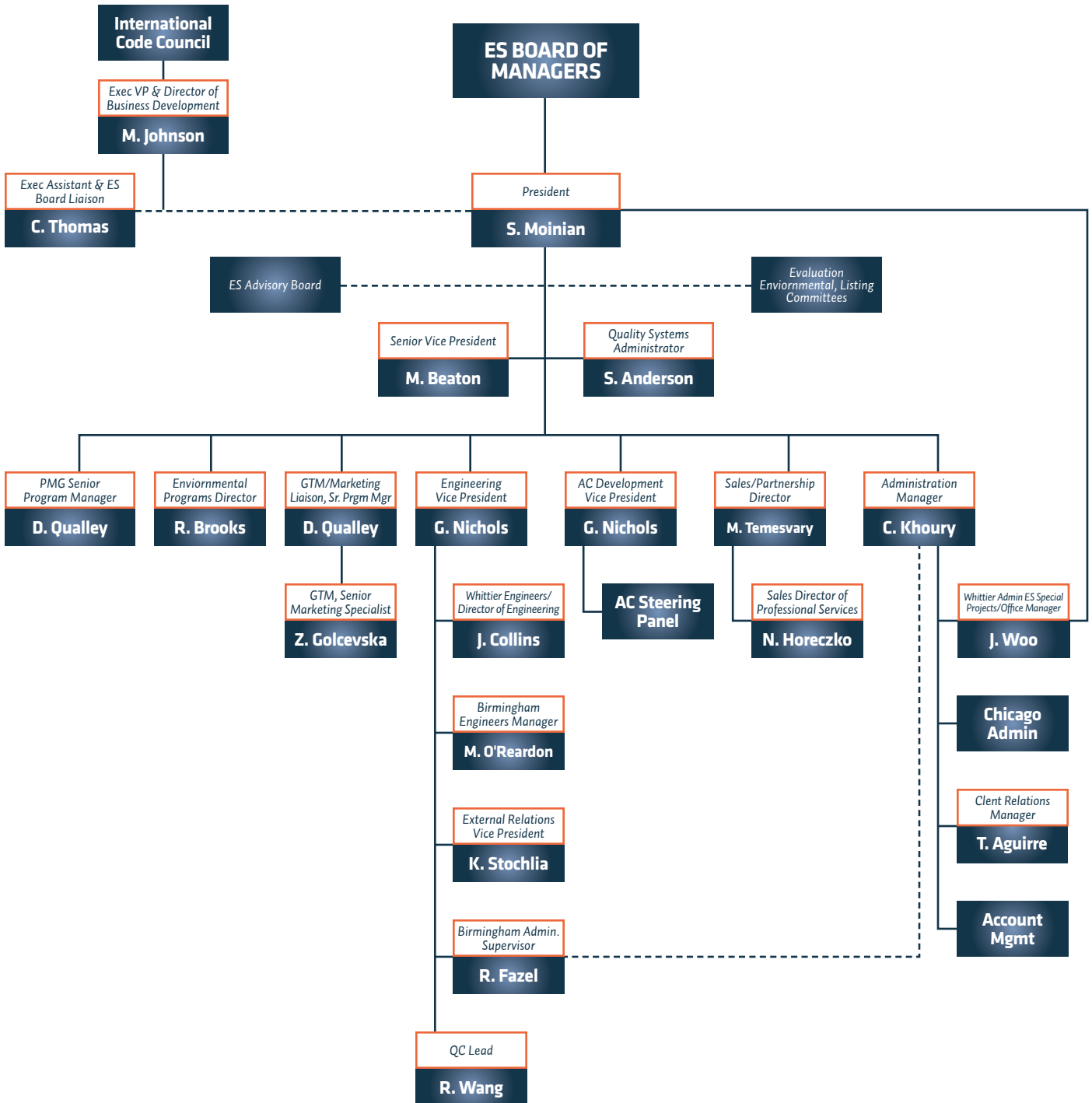
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ICC Evaluation Service

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INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION SERVICE, INC. (IAS)

Letter from the Chair

It gives me great pleasure to report that the International Accreditation Service met its financial and operational goals in 2011 and, despite the prevailing weak economic conditions around the world, shows a positive net margin for the current year.

Several new initiatives were launched by IAS this year, including accreditation programs covering personnel certification and commissioning. IAS continues to support the overall corporate goal of safety in the built environment.

I am pleased to report that the IAS Board of Directors has worked closely with the president and senior management to provide timely direction to address the unique challenges associated with operation of its global accreditation services. I extend special thanks to the 2011–2012 board Members who served the organization with distinction. IAS would not be where it is today but for the tireless efforts of its dedicated management, staff, committee and councils.



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John L. Barrios
Chairman of the Board

INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION SERVICE, INC. (IAS)

President's Report

Evaluating competence in a consistent, reliable manner is the primary objective and responsibility of an accreditation body. In addressing this very important mission, IAS has been focused, diligent and well organized. Using the skills and wisdom of its staff, contract assessors and technical experts, we have enhanced and grown our business while satisfying our customer's needs and the needs of ICC Members.

IAS operations emanate from a well-thought-out, five-year business plan supported by a mature quality management system. Our strategic plan was derived from the business plan and further reduced to a quarterly work plan with measurable quality objectives. I am happy to report that we have met or exceeded our work plan targets in all areas during this reporting period, thus satisfying our quality objectives.

I am thankful for the timely support and advice of chairman John Barrios and the IAS Board of Directors, the Accreditation Committee and the many technical advisory councils on a myriad of critical technical and business issues.

As always, the solid progress we have seen this year would not have been possible without the whole-hearted support of the talented and very loyal IAS staff, the ICC Board of Directors, and the entire ICC family.

The IAS "family" offers the utmost appreciation to our clients, many of whom faced severe business pressures during this economic downturn, but were steadfast in supporting our programs and services.



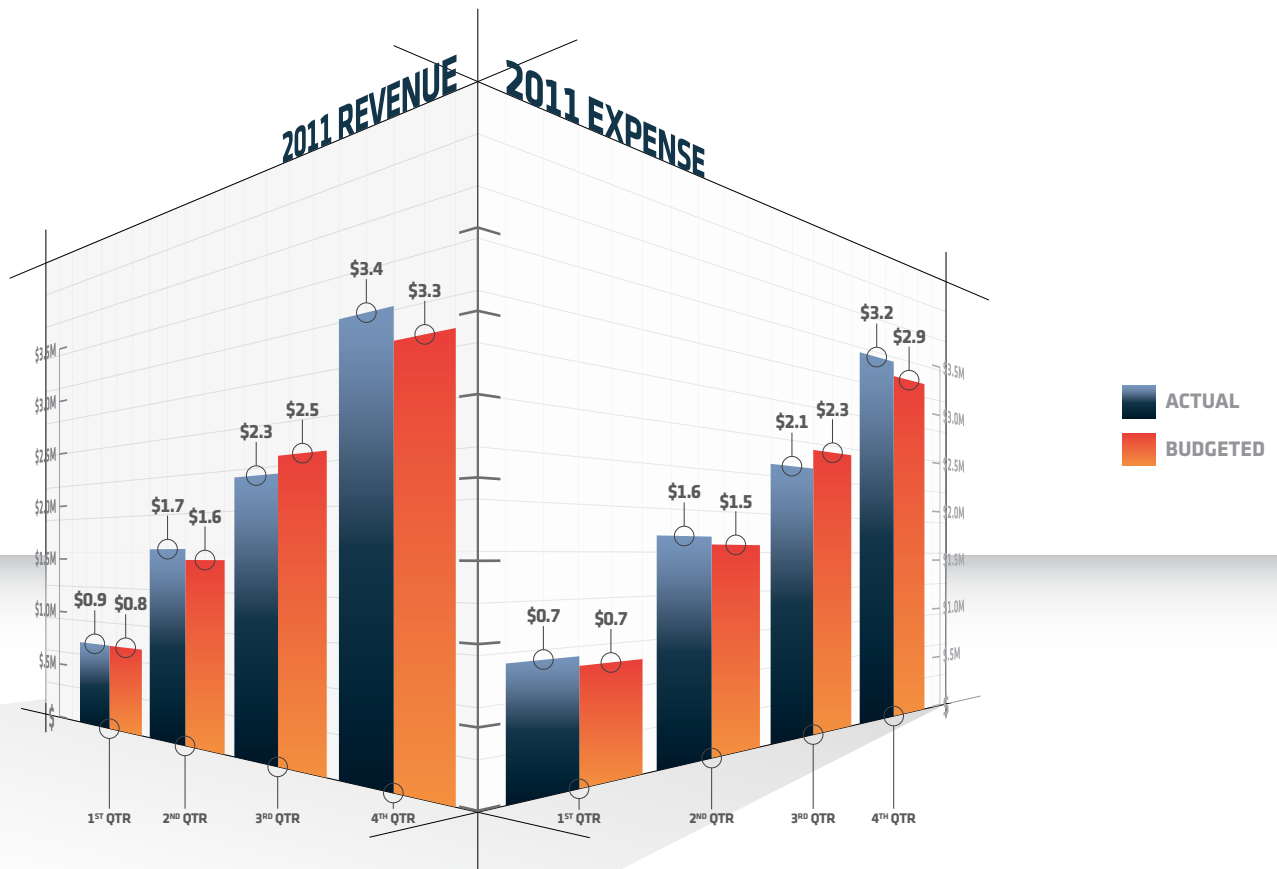
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C.P. (Chuck) Ramani, P.E., C.B.O.
President

INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATION SERVICE, INC. (IAS)

Annual Report

Financially, IAS finished 2011 with a surplus. Given the tight economic conditions prevailing within the United States and abroad, our performance definitely exceeded expectations. IAS staff and contract assessors continue to work very hard to maintain service quality while reducing assessment costs for our customers. IAS is deeply indebted to its full-time and contract staff for their continued loyalty to the "cause." IAS' financial performance in 2011 is illustrated in the charts below.



Maintaining the momentum generated last year, IAS continues to experience steady growth. The staff has been kept very busy meeting the demands from a strong increase in applications from testing laboratories and special inspection agencies. In 2011, IAS reached an important milestone by accrediting its 500th customer. As of the date of this report, the total number of accredited customers has exceeded 600. Financial charts accompanying this report clearly show that IAS is on the right track even in the current global economic recession.

Recognizing the need for greater efficiency in the management of our resources, IAS has embarked on a mission to establish strong user-friendly program management software, which should become operational early next year. Concurrently, IAS is working on a five-year strategic plan. These two initiatives, coupled with the hiring of additional technical staff, will enhance our ability to service more clients while maintaining a high level of customer satisfaction.

Two noteworthy events during this reporting period include the establishment of active task groups in the areas of food safety and building commissioning. The goal is to establish a strong technical foundation in these two important fields to support promising, new accreditation programs. The food safety task group is chaired by Udo Lampe of Analytica Alimentaria GmbH who operates a food laboratory in Stuttgart, Germany. Convening a task group dedicated to food safety accreditation has already paid dividends as we can see more and more food testing laboratories relying on IAS for their accreditation needs. Osama Younan of the Los Angeles Green Building Division heads the building commissioning task group.

In 2011, IAS crossed another milestone in its history when Majed Dabdoub, Supervisor of Plans Examination for the Cincinnati, Ohio, retired from the IAS Board after eight years of exemplary service which included four years as chairman. A ceremony to congratulate him on this accomplishment took place earlier this summer at an event organized by the Ohio Building Officials Association. It included the presentation of a commemorative plaque thanking him for his distinguished service on the IAS Board.

Bill McHugh, executive director of the Firestop Contractor's Association, and Rocco Davis, who represents the Laborers Union, joined the IAS Board in 2011. These two very talented individuals added significant strength to an already strong IAS Board.

International Activities

Year to year, IAS' participation in international events related to testing, calibration, inspection, certification and other conformity assessment activities expands to meet our commitments as an internationally recognized accreditation body. Those commitments required representation at the May 2012 meetings of the International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) and the International Accreditation Forum (IAF) in Frankfurt, Germany, by IAS Product Certification Program Manager Ron Coiner and IAS European representative Dr. George Anastasopoulos. Vice President Raj Nathan represented IAS at the Mutual Recognition Arrangement (MRA) Council meeting of the Asia Pacific Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (APLAC) in Bangkok, Thailand. IAS staff is also very active on international evaluation teams to fulfill our MRA obligations for APLAC and PAC. Raj Nathan was on an APLAC team that evaluated the Japan Accreditation Board (JAB), and Ron Coiner served on a PAC team that evaluated IAJapan. Participation in these peer evaluations helps accreditation bodies establish harmonized application of the ISO standards. IAS received its once-in-four-year peer evaluation by APLAC in December 2011. The four-member team from New Zealand, Taiwan, Hong Kong and Mexico gave IAS a good bill of health. These types of international activities minimize technical barriers to trade. The fundamental objective of IAS' involvement in ILAC, IAF and other international arrangements, is to better serve our client's needs. IAS' status as a signatory to the ILAC, APLAC and PAC MRAs allows global acceptance of reports of tests, inspections and certifications issued by IAS-accredited entities. In short, IAS is a prime mover in promoting the concept of One Test, One Inspection, and One Certification Globally.

Proficiency Testing

As stipulated in the international standard applicable to the accreditation of testing and calibration laboratories, IAS requires its accredited laboratories to participate in proficiency testing (PT) programs where they are available and whenever the PT test/calibration method is within a laboratory's scope of accreditation. Proficiency testing ensures the results in laboratory test results are equivalent to results obtained by international MRA partners thereby validating equivalency. Currently IAS is coordinating a proficiency testing program pertaining to metals in water, sponsored by the Korean accreditation body KOLAS. Six IAS-accredited water testing laboratories are participating in this program. When completed, the PT program results will benchmark IAS-accredited laboratories testing performance with laboratories accredited by IAS mutual recognition partners from more than 30 countries around the world.

Inspection Agencies

The inspection agency accreditation program is the oldest of the IAS accreditation programs, with growth slowly moving forward. One of the key challenges for IAS and the accredited inspection agencies is to comply with the requirements of the updated version of ISO/IEC Standard 17020—2012. The previous version of the standard was published in 1998. IAS staff is gearing up to address the changes in the assessment requirements. A training program to address the revisions is planned for early next year. The transition to the new version of the standard is expected to take two years, allowing the accredited inspection agencies adequate time to update their quality documentation and quality management system to comply with the new requirements. A working group under IAF/ILAC has been constituted to revise the A4 (mandatory) guidance document on the application of ISO/IEC 17020. Further discussion on the 17020—2012 implementation and guidelines is anticipated at the forthcoming IAF/ILAC conference in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, in October.

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Annual Report

Fabricator and Metal Building Manufacturer Inspection

Despite the economy and the lagging construction market, heightened activity has been experienced in the areas of fabricator and metal building inspection accreditation. Sandi McCracken, who manages these programs, has been invited to participate on industry committees that address technical issues on relevant IAS accreditation criteria, such as AC472 for metal building manufacturer inspection. IAS staff participation in these industry-run technical committees, results in a better understanding of quality principles related to accreditation which, ultimately, enhances safety in the built environment. In addition to industry outreach, IAS staff has worked with regulators and groups such as the Los Angeles Basin Chapter of ICC, which represents 92 cities within the southern California region. ICC's Los Angeles Basin Chapter has endorsed the IAS accreditation program for fabricator inspections as an acceptable means for building departments to approve fabricators of structural steel, reinforced concrete, wood wall panels and metal building systems, as required in IBC Chapter 17.

Product Certification Agencies

Key initiatives in the product certification agency accreditation program during this period include efforts to modify the Food and Drug Administration Food Code and the State of California Food Code to allow for the recognition of IAS-accredited agencies. Both codes recognize another U.S.-based entity as the only acceptable accreditation body for certification programs of food service equipment. Reversing these single-source accreditation specifications at the state and federal level has been a difficult and time-consuming process but, in the interest of fair trade, it has to be done.

Calibration Laboratories and Field Evaluation Bodies

The calibration laboratory assessor pool has been technically enhanced with the addition of two highly qualified experts. IAS continues to participate in national organizations representing the calibration community, such as the National Conference of Standards Laboratories International (NCSLI) and the Measurement Science Conference. IAS staff metrologist, Bannicode Taranath, has been invited to present a paper on estimation of measurement uncertainty in calibration at the forthcoming NCSL annual meeting in Sacramento, California.

As construction activity increases and commercial tenant improvement and remodeling are presented to building departments, a challenge may arise in how to approve unique electrical installations. The IAS field evaluation body accreditation program is an excellent resource for building officials in this regard.

Testing Laboratories

The accreditation of testing laboratories continues to be a stalwart program for IAS. In the past, the majority of testing laboratories sought IAS accreditation because of our link to ICC, the built environment and to facilitate acceptance of their reports by product certifiers. Recently, there has been an additional shift to applicants seeking accreditation in fields related to petroleum, chemical and food testing, and alternative energy sources such as wind, solar and geothermal. IAS accredits more than 30 laboratories in the ENERGY STAR, WaterSense, Lighting Facts, recycling and other alternative energy fields. IAS is a recognized accreditation body by the U.S. and California Environmental Protection Agencies. IAS is also recognized by the Department of Energy (DOE) ENERGY STAR program related to energy efficiency of appliances and the DOE Lighting Facts program. These programs have resulted in a significant number of new testing laboratory accreditations and are a significant step in continuing to meet the needs of our customers. Several applications have also been received from laboratories in the Middle East region, where the IAS name has achieved wide recognition and is an increasingly sought after credential for laboratories providing testing services related to building and construction. These factors contribute to the continued success and growth of our largest accreditation program.

Special Inspection Agencies

New rules published by the New York City Department of Buildings (NYC) require all firms performing Chapter 17-related inspections to be registered by November 13, 2012, and firms working on the largest projects be accredited by May 13, 2013. The core of our NYC team, Akshay (AK) Mishra, P.E., Eastern Operations Program Manager, and Lawrence J. (Larry) O'Connor, P.E., L.S., our New York representative, are working proactively to meet the needs of NYC regulators and special inspection firms alike. Since October 2011, IAS has conducted four, two-day briefing sessions on accreditation for Special Inspection Agencies in NYC, with the most recent being held in July, 2012.

Building, Fire Prevention and Third-Party Providers

The Building Department Accreditation (BDA) program has seen renewed interest in the last year with seven new applications. Many prior applicants who had delayed their applications due to the economic downturn have reinitiated the accreditation process. IAS and the Building Officials Association of British Columbia have signed a Service and Recognition Agreement to introduce the BDA program in the province. During the 2011 ICC Annual Conference, IAS offered its Building and Fire Prevention Department Lead Evaluator course. During this year's conference, IAS will be offering two sessions. "Best Practices: Lessons Learned from the BDA Program," which discusses the best practices IAS has found in permitting, plan review, inspection, customer service, management and administration, and information technology. IAS is partnering with the ICC Major Jurisdictions Committee on this important initiative. A second session, "BDA Evaluator Forum," is an opportunity to learn from seasoned evaluators, train new evaluators and to ensure consistency in the BDA program.

While still in the formative stages, the IAS Fire Prevention and Life Safety Department Accreditation program is gaining attention. Potential applicants are State Fire Marshals, County Emergency Services, and local stand-alone Fire Prevention Bureaus. At the 2011 ICC Annual Conference, IAS recognized the alpha client of the program, the Florida Division of the State Fire Marshal's Bureau of Fire Prevention, for having achieved accreditation. In March 2012, the IAS/Center for Public Safety Excellence Technical Advisory Council – Fire Prevention Departments met in North Las Vegas to discuss applications, training and outreach efforts. IAS will be awarding the second department to be accredited under this program during this year's annual conference: Village of Tinley Park, Illinois Fire Prevention Bureau.

Personnel Certifying Bodies, Training Agencies and Curriculum

Accreditation of Personnel Certifying Bodies: After two years of development, IAS commenced a new accreditation service for Personnel Certifying Bodies based on the requirements of ISO/IEC Standard 17024. Three organizations identified early interest in the newest IAS program and are in various stages of the accreditation process. Accreditation of the first Personnel Certification body by IAS occurred in October of 2012. To ensure international recognition of this program, IAS is an active voting member in the International Accreditation Forum (IAF) and the Pacific Accreditation Cooperation (PAC).

Accreditation of Training Agencies and Curriculum Developers: At its August 2012 meeting, the IAS Accreditation Committee considered a proposal to expand the scope of these services to also reference ASTM E 2659-09 *Standard Practice for Certificate Programs*.

IAS Training Services

IAS continues to offer high-quality training services, targeting the needs of managers and internal auditors of laboratories and inspection agencies. During this reporting period, IAS conducted a total of seven training programs, which included testing and calibration laboratories, inspection agencies, building and fire prevention departments and entities involved in sustainability.

A Salute to our Leaders

As IAS completes another successful year of public service, we would like to recognize chairman John Barrios and the IAS Board of Directors and the many chairs and participants on our Technical Advisory Councils. It also is appropriate that we express our gratitude to staff and our growing portfolio of clients. With diligence and strength of will, IAS staff and contractors have pulled together the past couple of tough years to make the corporation successful. The sacrifices made by these people are noted with deep gratitude.

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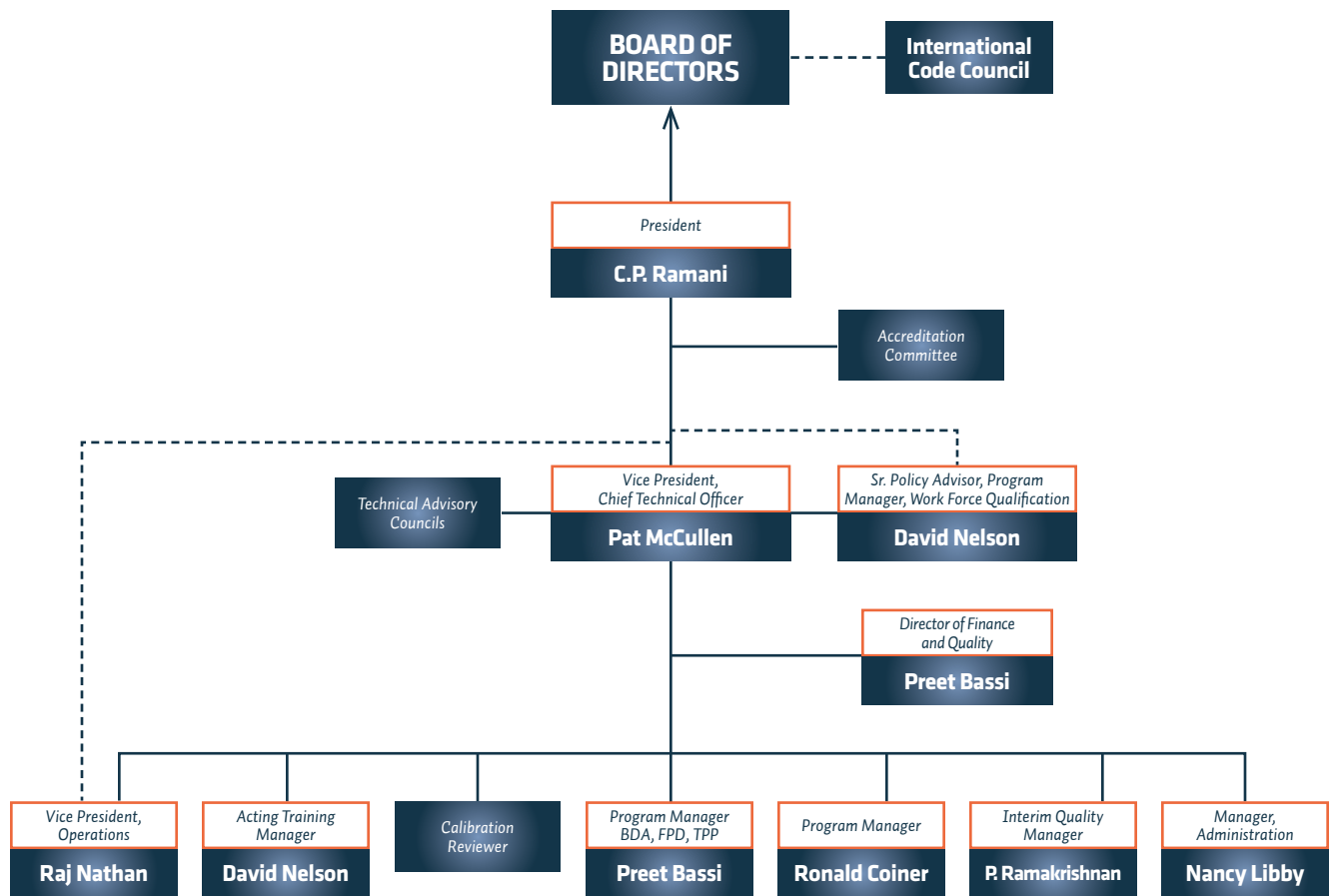
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INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL FOUNDATION

2012 Overview and Highlights

The International Code Council Foundation is dedicated to alleviating the devastating effects of natural disasters and other building tragedies by promoting ideas, methods, and technologies that encourage the construction of safe and sustainable buildings and homes.

ICC Foundation programs increase consumer understanding of codes and mitigation by providing ICC Members with opportunities to connect to their constituencies and by supporting the building and fire code professions through professional development, education and community outreach.

Accomplishments

Consumer Education

Building Safety Month is one of the signature programs of the Foundation. Each year in May, ICC Members and others throughout the globe participate in the program to help raise awareness of the importance of building codes, building code compliance and sustainability.

For the past 32 years, Building Safety Month has served as a focused and successful initiative for Code Council Members to share their knowledge of public safety and best practices with consumers, professionals and communities.

During May of 2012, the Foundation highlighted four key areas:

WEEK 1: Energy and Green Building

WEEK 2: Disaster Safety and Mitigation

WEEK 3: Fire Awareness and Safety

WEEK 4: Backyard Safety

This year, the Foundation selected celebrity contractor and HGTV star Mike Holmes to serve as the Honorary Ambassador for Building Safety Month. Holmes donated his time as part of his longstanding commitment to building safety, sustainability and to raise public consciousness with the message of “Make it Right.”

Holmes launched the 2012 campaign with a media event broadcasted on television and radio programs from his headquarters in Toronto. It brought worldwide attention to the start of the month-long campaign focusing on codes and code officials and their critical role in building safety. Holmes energized Building Safety Month in his typical robust style through a variety of activities including a Public Service Announcement (PSA) to help families understand that codes and code officials are their best allies to defend against building failures of any kind. The PSAs are still available to code officials. He also reached out through social media, the web and hosted a Live Chat.

Building Safety Month 2012 surpassed almost every previous milestone of prior years. The following is a snapshot of the outcomes.

- A second consecutive Presidential Proclamation issued by President Obama.
- Financial and in-kind support from 18 corporate, celebrity and organizational sponsors.
- More than 2,000 news stories reaching 1.6 billion readers and viewers.
- More than 750,000 web hits on the new www.buildingsafetymonth.org website, nearly double compared to the previous year.
- Approximately 416,000 individuals reached through social media including Facebook, Twitter and YouTube.
- More than 6,000 views of the Mike Holmes Public Service Announcement.
- More than six million impressions generated by the Holmes media event.

Throughout May, code officials shared the story of codes and how they underpin building safety at community events across the United States. With creative displays and exhibits in schools, community centers, home building stores and more, building and fire officials took to the streets to educate consumers about safe building codes, disaster safety plans, fire safety, building clean and green, and backyard safety. As a result, each subsequent year of Building Safety Month helps communities become smarter, safer and more sustainable.

The energy and enthusiasm around Building Safety Month reinforces the success of the campaign and translates into homes, buildings and lives saved because of heightened awareness in communities across America.

Professional Development

Code of Honor is another signature program of the Foundation. The popular program began during 2010 to help underwrite professional development for ICC Governmental Member Voting Representatives by supporting and expanding their participation in the Final Action Hearings.

The scholarships ensure that the I-Codes continue to reflect the consensus view of officials at all levels of government by providing funding to Governmental Member Voting Representatives seeking to attend the Final Action Hearings.

During 2011, the Foundation awarded 94 scholarships to Members from the United States and the Cayman Islands. Sixty-three scholarships were awarded in 2010.

Member feedback regarding the Code of Honor program is consistently positive, and the program continues to grow as a result. Anyone can donate to the Code of Honor Scholarship Program online at www.icc-foundation.org.

Community Service

Community service is carried out by the Code Council Membership throughout the year but the largest outreach is centered on Building Safety Month. Some highlights from this year's activities include:

Nassau County, New York

Jim Gilhooly, President of the Building Inspector Association of Nassau County (BIANCO), partnered with the Valley Stream Volunteer Fire Department, Junior Fire Fighters and Engine Company 341 to distribute safety literature and smoke detector batteries at Home Depot. Gilhooly's daughter, Kiera Stipovich, made fire truck, fire helmet and fire hydrant cookies to hand out to the children along with CODiE and CODEtte coloring books and stickers. Stipovich commented in her blog about the event, "Who says Building Safety can't be fun and tasty, too."



Jim Gilhooly and friends (top); Safety information and cookies (bottom left); and Fire Engine 341 (bottom right).



A youngster showing off Building Safety Month cookies.

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Rochester Hills, Michigan

Scott Cope, C.B.O., Director of Building/Ordinance Compliance/Facilities and his department reached more than 200 children by partnering with Home Depot and Lowe's for a kid's workshop.

The children received hardhats, CODiE and CODEtte coloring books, stickers and a building permit. The children built planter boxes and Cope commented that it was really cute when, before leaving, one of the kids said to his family, "Wait! I have to get it inspected before we leave!" He then went over and filled out a permit and received a green approval tag for his project.

The department also hosted an event at the Older Person's Commission, handing out coloring books and hardhats for the senior's grandchildren and partnered with the Building Industry Association for a "Coffee with Inspectors" event where 30 building and trade contractors attended. Rochester Hill's Building Safety Month Planning Committee included Tim Hollis, Mark Artinain, Ken Nightlinger, and Steve Springstub.

Louisville, Kentucky

Building Safety Month sponsors Federal Alliance for Safe Homes (FLASH) and United Services Automobile Association (USAA) took to the stage with Lady Antebellum and the National Storm Shelter Association (NSSA) during the "Rebuilding Henryville" concert in Louisville, Kentucky. Eight residential storm shelters, with an installation valued at \$50,000, were given away and building safety information was distributed to more than 30,000 concert goers.

Sponsors and Supporters

The Foundation success is built on the commitment of Code Council Members and the generous financial and in-kind support from its growing roster of donors, partners and sponsors. The following organizations helped the Foundation make a difference during 2012: AMCA International, American Institute of Architects (AIA), American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA), ASTM International, BASF – The Chemical Company, CMI Communications, EFIS Industry Members Association, Federal Alliance for Safe Homes (FLASH), Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Green Builder Media, Hanley Wood, International Code Council Board of Directors, National Institute of Building Sciences (NIBS), Simpson Strong-Tie Company and United Services Automobile Association (USAA).



Families enjoying the planter building event at Home Depot.



Leslie Chapman Henderson, FLASH CEO, and Melissa Digby, USAA Director, the "Rebuilding Henryville" event.