



American Welding Society

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AISC/AWS Fabricator Program Information

The American Institute of Steel Construction and the American Welding Society are pleased to announce that AISC Certified Fabricators are now eligible to also receive certification as AWS Certified Welding Fabricators. The AISC certification program criteria fully satisfy the AWS Welding Fabricator Certification program criteria. AISC Fabricators holding current building structures and/or bridge certification may apply to AWS to gain the AWS Welding Fabricator certification.

The AWS certification is contingent upon current validity in the AISC program and will not require an additional on-site audit or documentation review. Should a company fail to maintain their AISC certification, they will also lose their AWS status and must apply to AWS as a new applicant and meet all the requirements of the AWS program to regain their status as AWS Certified Welding Fabricators.

This additional certification is available at a nominal cost from AWS of \$350 (Domestic)/\$400 (Int'l) for the initial certification and a renewal fee of \$100 (Domestic)/ \$150 (Int'l) for every year of continuous certification by AWS.

Interested companies can find more information with regard to this program at www.aws.org/certification.

You can download all related documents and application from the AWS website. Once the AISC/ AWS Fabricator application is complete, send it along with payment and a copy of you AISC Fabricator Certificate to American Welding Society (**Attn: Certification Dept.**) 550 NW LeJeune Road Miami, FL 33126. You can also fax in your renewal form directly to the Certification Department at (305) 443-6445.

AISC and AWS continue to work closely together to provide value to the structural steel fabricating industry and its members.