

U.S. ARCHITECTS APPLYING FOR REGISTRATION IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Thank you for your interest in registering with the Architectural Institute of British Columbia (AIBC).

The Inter-recognition Agreement, effective July 1, 1994, between the Committee of Canadian Architectural Councils (CCAC) and the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards (NCARB) permits Canadian and U.S. architects whose provinces/states are signatory to the Agreement to be eligible to be licensed in a jurisdiction that is also signatory. *Please note that the architect's principle place of practice and residence must be in a province or state signatory to the Agreement.* As of July 2001, the following are signatories to the Agreement:

Provinces (10)

Alberta	New Foundland	Quebec
British Columbia	Nova Scotia	Saskatchewan
Manitoba	Ontario	
New Brunswick	Prince Edward Island	

States (52)

Alabama	Illinois	Montana	Pennsylvania
Alaska	Indiana	Nebraska	Rhode Island
Arizona	Iowa	Nevada	South Carolina
Arkansas	Kansas	New Hampshire	South Dakota
California	Kentucky	New Jersey	Tennessee
Colorado	Louisiana	New Mexico	Texas *
Connecticut	Maine	New York	Utah
Delaware	Maryland	North Carolina	Vermont
Dist. Of Columbia	Massachussetts	North Dakota	Virginia
Florida	Michigan	Northern Marianas	Washington
Georgia	Minnesota	Ohio	West Virginia
Hawaii	Mississippi	Oklahoma	Wisconsin
Idaho	Missouri	Oregon	Wyoming

In order to facilitate mobility, architects are required to obtain from the NCARB a Certificate (Blue Cover) which has been established as the common standard covering the architect's education, experience and examinations.

An application for an NCARB Certificate can be obtained by contacting:

Council Records Department Tel: (202) 783-6500 www.ncarb.org
National Council of Architectural Registration Boards
Suite 1101, 1801 K Street NW
Washington, DC 20006-1310 USA

In addition to NCARB documentation, we ask that you complete the enclosed: an AIBC Application for Registration including photo identification requirements, (2) two Architectural Reference forms, obtain Architectural Employment related references, and a Reciprocity Declaration. Please forward the Confirmation of Registration to the Licensing Authority to which you are currently registered. If you are registered in more than one state, we require your home state to complete the Confirmation Form. You may forward the two Architect Reference forms directly to the references that you list in your Application for Registration. As well, you are to read and familiarize yourself with the materials listed in Appendix A of the Reciprocity Declaration before applying for registration.

The Application for Registration, Reciprocity Declaration and photo ID must be signed and notarized by a lawyer or notary. Please ensure all items are returned with your fees (Money Order or Bank Draft in Canadian Funds).

Registration and Annual Fees must accompany your application. For fee schedule, see *Bulletin 01 "Fees, Fines and Charges"*.