



## CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS

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<b>To:</b>	All Participants

We hope you, your family, and your employees continue to stay safe in the weeks and months to come.

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As we mentioned at our NASCC: The Virtual Steel Conference presentation on April 23, 2020, we are releasing updated *Governing Requirements for Certification Programs* on May 5, 2020. They will become effective on June 1, 2020, for all applicants and certified participants.

These documents provide for the administration of the certification program from application to certificate determination. They should be your go-to reference for compliance to our administrative processes.

This is our usual annual update, which is intended to provide additional clarity and consider the evolving needs of the industry.

To maintain your certification, your quality management system (QMS) must meet the provisions in these documents. You can find a list of changes in the preface of the *Governing Requirements* and each set of *Supplement Requirements*.

Auditors will begin issuing Corrective Action Requests (CARs) for noncompliance with the *Requirements* on June 1, 2020.

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