

Approved Transition Arrangements Canada

Effective date: November 2, 2012

**NOTE: Candidates must have fully met these requirements
prior to January 31, 2008.**

International Welding Engineer (IWE)

The following transition arrangements apply to the International Welding Engineer:

Option# 1

- 1) B.Sc. or B.A.Sc. plus M.Sc. in Welding Engineering; and,
- 2) Four (4) years of experience in welding engineering in the last six (6) years (*prior to January 2008*).

Option #2

- 1) Degree in engineering sciences (B.Eng or B.Sc.); and,
- 2) Qualification as a Welding Engineer under the Canadian National Certification Standard; and,
- 3) Four (4) years of experience as a qualified Welding Engineer in the last six (6) years (*prior to January 2008*); and,
- 4) Oral Examination at the discretion of the ANB.

Option #3

- 1) Degree in engineering sciences (B.Eng or B.Sc.); and,
- 2) Five (5) years of experience in welding technology in the last eight (8) years (*prior to January 2008*) and currently practicing in welding engineering; and,
- 3) Completion of a minimum of 50 hours of continuing education specific to welding engineering; and,
- 4) Oral Examination to access knowledge against the IIW curriculum for Welding Engineer.

International Welding Technologist (IWT)

The following transition arrangements apply to the International Welding Technologist:

- 1) Graduate of an accredited Welding Engineering Technologist Program or equivalent; and,
- 2) Four (4) years of welding engineering technology experience in the last six (6) years (*prior to January 2008*).



International Welding Specialist (IWS)

The following transition arrangements apply to the International Welding Specialist:

Option #1

- 1) Secondary or Vocational Secondary School Diploma or equivalent; and,
- 2) Qualified Welding Supervisor under the Canadian National Certification Standard; and,
- 3) Three (3) years of experience as a Welding Supervisor in the last five (5) years (*prior to January 2008*).

Option #2

- 1) Secondary or Vocational Secondary School Diploma or equivalent; and,
- 2) Holder of an Interprovincial Red Seal or Provincial Journeyman Qualification; and,
- 3) Three (3) years of experience in the last five (5) years relating to the job function of Welding Specialist (*prior to January 2008*); and,
- 4) Completion of a minimum of 50 hours of continuing education specific to welding; and,
- 5) Oral Examination to access knowledge against the IIW curriculum for Welding Specialist.

International Welding Practitioner (IWP)

The following transition arrangements apply to the International Welding Practitioner:

- 1) Holder of a valid CWB Welder Qualification all position plate qualification for one or more welding processes or holder of a valid 6G qualification for open root welding for one or more welding processes; and,
- 2) Three (3) years of experience as a qualified welder (*prior to January 2008*) with the qualifications listed above; and,
- 3) A technical interview to access knowledge against the IIW curriculum for Welding Practitioner.



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