

# Regulations Governing the ACRS Materials Certification Scheme

## 1. INTRODUCTION AND SCOPE

These Regulations relate to the application for and use of the Australian Certification Authority for Reinforcing Steels Ltd (“ACRS”) Certification Mark under the ACRS scheme for the certification of firms approved for the manufacture and supply of reinforcing steels, prestressing steels, structural steels and associated materials, hereinafter called the Scheme.

## 2 DEFINITIONS

In these Regulations, the following definitions apply:

- (a) “Applicant Firm” – a Firm that has submitted a formal application to be granted the Certification Mark under the terms of these Regulations;
- (b) “Approved Producer” – either a Producer who is a Certified Firm or a Producer who is not a Certified Firm but which supplies Approved Materials to a Certified Firm under the terms of the Scheme;
- (c) “Approved Materials” – materials from an Approved Producer which have been assessed and approved by the Authority as meeting the requirements of the Scheme;
- (d) “Assessable Location” – any facility of the Firm that manufactures or supplies materials to any Standard assessed under the Scheme;
- (e) “Assessable Materials” – all materials manufactured, processed or supplied by any facility of a Certified or Applicant Firm, or any associated Group entity that are compliant with any Standard assessed by the Scheme. For the avoidance of doubt, Assessable Materials may not be Approved Materials;
- (f) “Audit and Assessment Committee” – a committee of the Authority that audits reports by Representatives and recommends to the Authority acceptance or refusal of certification;
- (g) “Authority” – the Australian Certification Authority for Reinforcing Steels Ltd, ACN 096 692 545;
- (h) “Board” – The Board established as the governing body of the Authority under the Articles of Association and which may, under the articles of Association, delegate certain of its powers to an Executive Committee and other Subsidiary Committees. The Board comprises the Executive Director, nominated members to the Board and invited individuals, as required;
- (i) “Certification Mark” – the Authority mark (including, but not limited to, the Authority logo, name and initials) licensed to the Certified Firm;
- (j) “Certificate” – the instrument of approval issued by the Authority specifying the scope of certification of the Certified Firm. There are two classes of Certificate: “Producer” and “Non-Producer”;

- (k) “Certificate Number” – a unique number which is indicated on each Producer Certificate;
- (l) “Certified Firm” – a Firm whose materials, processes and quality management system have been successfully assessed as meeting the requirements of the Scheme and to whom a Certificate is issued;
- (m) “Certified Location” – a facility of the Certified Firm holding a Certificate
- (n) “Code of Practice” – a technical document describing materials, methods and processes under which the Certificate and the Certification Mark may be delivered, renewed, suspended or cancelled;
- (o) “Communication Media” – all the Certified Firm’s external communications media, including but not limited to advertisements, displays, posters, TV advertisements, promotional videos, web sites, brochures; outdoor advertisements (such as billboards and signs); stationery (such as sales and contractual documents, letterheads, business cards, invoices, compliment slips, delivery slips);
- (p) “Declaration” – a form signed by each Applicant Firm, or a form submitted quarterly by each Certified Firm;
- (q) “Deficiency” – any Non-Conformance or Non Compliance under the terms of the Scheme;
- (r) “Firm” – any organisation or Group that manufactures, fabricates, stocks and distributes, cuts and bends, or cold works Approved Materials, or any combination thereof;
- (s) “Group” – any subsidiary holding or associated companies or subsidiary undertakings of all such holding companies that manufactures or supplies materials for the production of Approved Materials. For this purpose “subsidiary”, “holding company” and “subsidiary undertaking” shall have the meaning set out in the Corporations Law of New South Wales and as amended from time to time; “associated company” shall mean body corporate in which the relevant party has a direct or indirect 20% beneficial interest in the share capital of that body corporate;
- (t) “Improper Use” – of the Certification Mark means any use that infringes these Regulations. Improper Use includes, but is not limited to, imitation, misrepresentation, counterfeiting or dilution of the Certification Mark;
- (u) “Long-Term Quality tests” – the results of tests on all Assessable Materials conducted by the Firm as required by a Standard and by the Authority for verification of the Firm’s compliance with that Standard;
- (v) Non-Certified Location – any facility of a Certified Firm that does not manufacture or process Assessable Materials;
- (w) “Non-Compliance” – any material, process, practice, test result or record not meeting the requirements of the appropriate Standard, Code of Practice or specification that places the Firm outside its obligations under the Scheme;

- (x) “Non-Conformance” – any material, process, practice, test result or record not meeting the requirements of the appropriate Standard, Code of Practice or specification;
- (y) “Non-Producer” – A Firm not currently manufacturing Assessable Materials and therefore not able to demonstrate compliance with a Standard, or acquire the Use of the Certification Mark;
- (z) “Producer” – A Firm currently manufacturing Assessable Materials;
- (aa) “Regulations” – the rules under which the Scheme is operated and as amended by the Authority from time to time;
- (bb) “Representative” – a person or entity that carries out specific tasks and activities for the Authority and whom the Authority may appoint or remove as it may deem necessary;
- (cc) “Scheme” – the scheme for the certification of Assessable Materials and processes established in accordance with these Regulations and associated documents. The Scheme is based upon the demonstration by the Firm of the continuing operation of a quality assurance system consistent with AS/NZS ISO 9001, or other system approved by the Authority, together with Quality and Operations Assessment Schedules of the Scheme and the ability to supply materials or processes complying with a Standard and the customer’s requirements;
- (dd) “Standard” – the specifications and regulations relating to the supply of Assessable Materials as well as the means of controlling the compliance of the management system to these specifications, including, but not limited to the appropriate Australian, International or other published Standards that may be selected by the Board from time to time. For the purposes of the Scheme, all parts of a Standard are referenced, unless specifically noted otherwise in the documentation of the Authority;
- (ee) “Use” – the lawful, authorized, restricted, non-exclusive, limited and revocable right to use the Certification Mark.

### **3. APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION**

#### **3.1 Authority to Grant or Revoke certification:**

The Board is the sole authority by which Certificates may be granted or withdrawn, and acts through the Audit and Assessment Committees, subject to such conditions as the Board may from time to time impose.

#### **3.2 Application**

An Applicant Firm will make its application in writing to the Executive Director of the Authority who, for the purpose of making assessments under these Regulations, may from time to time delegate his/her functions to Representatives. In regard to which:

- a) An application must cover all Assessable Locations, and all Assessable Materials produced, processed or supplied by the Firm or Group.

- b) A completed Declaration and the appropriate fees must accompany an application.
- c) An application must be finalised and all necessary documents supplied, materials tested and inspections allowed by the Applicant Firm within 12-months of the date of receipt by the Authority of the original application. Should the application process take longer than 12-months, the Applicant Firm must submit a new application with such additional application fees payable as may determined by the Authority.

### 3.3 Entitlement for certification

Any Applicant Firm that satisfies the Authority that it carries on a bona fide business and provides such undertakings that it will comply with the Scheme, including the conditions of these Regulations, will be entitled to a Certificate upon successful completion of the Scheme assessment process.

### 3.4 Ownership of Certificate

A Certificate will at all times remain the property of the Authority and will be returned to the Authority immediately upon request, together with any and all copies of that Certificate made by the Firm.

### 3.5 Transfer of Certificates

A Firm's right to Use the Certificate and Certification Mark is not transferable without the prior written permission of the Authority.

### 3.6 Term of Validity of a Certificate

A Certificate is valid for upto 12-months from the date of issue and expires each 30 June, subject to the terms of these Regulations. A Certificate's term of validity must be renewed annually.

### 3.7 Register of Certified Firms

A register of Certified Firms will be kept by the Authority and will be open to inspection by the public at the registered office of the Authority. The list of Firms and Certificate details will be published from time to time, including on the Authority's website.

## **4. USE OF THE CERTIFICATION MARK**

Use of the Certification Mark is strictly limited to the Certified Firm whose quality management system, materials and processes have been assessed and approved by the Authority and for which a Certificate or Certificates have been issued. In regard to which:

### 4.1 The Certified Firm or Applicant Firm agrees that:

- (a) it will at all times comply with these Regulations and the requirements of the Scheme;
- (b) it will Use the Certification Mark only in relation to its scope of certification. That is, it will Use the Certification Mark and any Certificate and associated Certificate Number only in respect of the manufacture of materials, the operation of processes or the offering

of services that are the subject of the Certificate at or from the addresses stated on the Certificate. The Certification Mark will not be used in a manner that may imply materials are approved that are not covered by the Certificate;

- (c) Use of the Certification Mark does not exonerate the Certified Firm from any liability imposed by law regarding the performance of its services and the performance, design, manufacturing, shipment, sale or distribution of its materials;
- (d) it may Use the Certification Mark on its website, provided that the Certification Mark is Used as a hypertext link from its website to the URL of the Authority website, [www.steelcertification.com](http://www.steelcertification.com)
- (e) it will not, during the period of validity of the Certificate or thereafter, register or attempt to register the Certification Mark or any imitation thereof, nor make or assert any claim of ownership to the Certification Mark as provided herein;
- (f) it will, upon the suspension, withdrawal or cancellation of the Certificate, forthwith discontinue the Use of the Certification Mark or any reference thereto and will not thereafter Use any copy or imitation thereof. Such action will include the Firm immediately destroying all stocks of documentation carrying the Certification Mark and ensuring that it does not in any way imply continued association with the Scheme;
- (g) it will provide to the Authority, in writing, an updated list of all Assessable Locations upon any change to maintain at all times the currency of information held by the Authority;
- (h) it will declare and report all Assessable Materials for assessment under the Scheme;
- (i) it will neither manufacture nor process Assessable Materials at Non-Certified Locations;
- (j) it will purchase only Approved Materials. The purchasing practice must indicate a positive link between the Approved Purchasers and the Certified Firm to demonstrate traceability;
- (k) it will supply only materials that comply with all properties or other criteria specified in the relevant Standards. Repeated failure to comply with such properties will be cause for withdrawal of the Firm's Certificate or Certificates;
- (l) the sub-contracting of work performed on materials covered by the Certificate must be with Approved Materials and must be performed by Approved Producers only;
- (m) respect all changes in Standards and Scheme requirements for which approval to manufacture and/ or supply has been given;
- (n) it will report each quarter to the Authority, in the format required by the Authority, by the due date and including the completed Declaration of materials manufactured during the quarter, the Long-Term Quality test results required by the Scheme;

- (o) it will not knowingly deliver, or sell, or knowingly permit the delivery or sale of material that does not comply fully with the requirements of this Scheme.

For the avoidance of doubt, this clause does not preclude a Firm engaging in the manufacture and/or supply to appropriate customers of materials to Standards outside the scope of the Scheme, providing:

- i. appropriate documented procedures are maintained at all times which identify the manufacture, processing and supply of all Authority specified & reported materials as Approved Materials;
  - ii. appropriate documented procedures are maintained at all times which preclude the supply of non Authority specified & reported materials as Approved Materials.
  - iii. such documentation is presented to the Representative for verification at each assessment, or as required by the Authority
- (p) it will correct any Deficiencies noted during an assessment;
- (q) it will not conduct its operations in a manner which may affect the confidence of the public or authorities in the reliability of the Scheme;
- (r) it will give Representatives of the Authority access during normal working hours to sites in which work that is the subject of the Certificate is being carried out for the purpose of examination of materials, processes, finished articles, methods of test, records, details of internal audits and systems or, if necessary, for establishing that the procedures for the cessation of approval described in these Regulations have been carried out;
- (s) it will report to the Authority, in writing and by the stated due date prior to the next scheduled assessment, a summary of the number of complaints received from customers related to the Non-Compliance of any materials supplied under the Scheme and/or problems in manufacture and processing at any facility of the Firm, together with corrective actions undertaken to rectify these items;
- (t) it will ensure that all material samples, access, assistance, information, records, documentation and facilities are made available to the Authority, when required by the Authority, including the assistance of properly qualified, briefed and authorised personnel of the Firm;
- (u) it will nominate for the approval of the Authority a management representative and one or more deputies authorized to act in the main nominee's absence (and replacement nominees as may be necessary) who will be responsible for all matters in connection with the requirements of the Certificate and who will, upon each visit by the representatives of the Authority, sign a declaration to the effect that any changes in production or other information relevant to the conditions under which the Certificate is held have been notified to the Authority;
- (v) it will maintain and document a Quality Management System acceptable under the Standards appropriate for the materials or

services to be Certified, and make available to the Authority copies of all or any part of the documented system requested should the Executive Director require it to be lodged with the Authority for reference purposes;

- (w) it will report in writing to the Executive Director of the Authority any changes in practice or conditions from those pertaining at the time of a satisfactory assessment leading to approval. Unless the Firm receives confirmation, in writing from the Executive Director, that the changes do not render the Certificate invalid, it must discontinue use of the Certification Mark;
- (x) it will discontinue any Use of the Certification Mark which is unacceptable to the Authority and any form of statement with reference to the Authority by the Firm to claim compliance with the Scheme which in the opinion of the Authority might be misleading;

#### 4.2 The Authority will:

- (a) operate the Scheme in accordance with these Regulations, which will be applied fairly to all, irrespective of Firm, geographical location, or any other relevant distinction;
- (b) maintain confidential records relating to assessment, auditing and approval of Applicant and Certified Firms;
- (c) notify the Firm of any changes in the Authority's procedures and requirements and give the Firm such time as is, in the sole opinion of the Authority, a reasonable period in which to adjust its processes and relevant procedures to meet the revised requirements;
- (d) notify the Firm at its discretion of customer complaints known to the Authority relating to the compliance of such materials, processes or services to which the Certificate applies;
- (e) hear any appeals from Certified or Applicant Firms in regard to the operation of the Scheme;
- (f) not disclose any information of a confidential nature concerning the Firm without the permission of the Firm.

## **5 INTERRUPTION TO, OR CESSATION OF PRODUCTION OF APPROVED MATERIALS**

5.1 Failure by a Certified Firm to produce material/s for which approval has been granted during the term of validity of a Certificate may result in the lapse of approval for that Firm under the Scheme. Should the Authority confirm the lapse, the Firm can reapply for assessment for a new Certificate when production of materials to the Scheme has resumed.

5.2 At the sole discretion of the Board, the Authority may grant a Firm not currently producing Approved Materials, a certificate indicating Non-Producer status where the Firm has demonstrated that it possesses all other performance-related capabilities required under the Scheme. Full Producer status together with the appropriate Certificate may be granted upon commencement, or recommencement of production of materials to the requirements of the Scheme and demonstration by test results and any other

means as determined by the Board such that the requirements of the Scheme are being met.

5.3 Any Firm holding a Non-Producer certificate:

- (a) may not represent itself as being “ACRS Certified”;
- (b) will upon the conferral of “Non-Producer” status, or downgrading of its class of certification from “Producer” to Non-Producer”, ensure that it does not in any way imply its materials meet the requirements of the Scheme, or any Standard, until and unless its “Producer” Certification is confirmed by the Authority and;
- (c) may not supply Assessable Materials warranted as meeting a Standard to any party, whatsoever prior to its “Producer” certification being confirmed in writing by the Authority;

5.4 Commissioning of new machinery, plant or testing facilities or relocation within or between premises of existing machinery may, at the sole discretion of the Authority require additional assessment.

## **6 FEES AND CHARGES**

The Firm will pay:

- (a) at application, the total assessment fees due for all locations and processes, plus an estimate, made by the Authority, of additional costs, to confirm the initial application for a Certificate. The application fee will be offset against the total assessment fees due for the initial assessments. A further application fee will be payable for any Firm that reapplies for Certification after cessation or refusal of Certification;
- (b) assessment fees for each subsequent assessment;
- (c) any additional costs incurred by the Authority in the course of assessing the Firm, such as travel, testing, freight of samples, etc, not otherwise included in the assessment fee;
- (d) the fees for any additional visits, assessments, surveillance, supervision or testing incurred by the Authority in assessing a Firm under the Scheme, or due to the Firm’s non-compliance with the terms of the Scheme;
- (e) a levy determined from the total tonnages of all Approved Materials manufactured or supplied by the Firm, or a minimum administration charge.
- (f) any other charges reasonably incurred by the Authority in administering the application for, or certification of any Firm under the Scheme.

## **7 ASSESSMENT & INSPECTION**

7.1 The Authority will send a Representative to the Firm at its sole discretion, but in any case not less than once in any year in which the Firm is manufacturing goods, operating processes or offering a

service for which it holds a Certificate, for the purpose of verifying that the Firm is meeting its obligations under the Scheme;

- 7.2 The types of the assessment undertaken under the Scheme are:
- (a) Initial Assessment: A full, detailed inspection of the Firm's facility that is the subject of assessment. An initial assessment will be conducted on first assessment and every third annual assessment thereafter, i.e. at first assessment, fourth assessment, seventh assessment, and so on.
  - (b) Surveillance Assessment: the second and third assessment in every set of three annual assessments, or an assessment required at the cessation of certification, as directed by the Authority ;
  - (c) Additional Assessment: any additional scheduled assessment under the Scheme where non-conformances have been identified during an Initial or Surveillance assessment that, in the sole opinion of the Authority, requires further assessment. The timing of any Additional Assessment will be scheduled in consultation with the Firm;
  - (d) Unscheduled Assessment: an additional assessment conducted at any premise of a Certified Firm, where the Authority is of the reasonable opinion that an inspection with no forewarning of assessment is necessary to confirm the compliance of the Firm with the Regulations. Such assessment will be undertaken at the sole discretion of the Authority.
- 7.3 Refusal by the Certified Firm to grant a Representative access for any Scheduled or Unscheduled Assessment will result in immediate suspension of all Certificates of any classification then held by the Certified Firm until or unless the Authority is again satisfied that the Certified Firm, in its entirety, is meeting its obligations under the Scheme.

## **8 CONFORMANCE AND COMPLIANCE**

- 8.1 The Firm will provide evidence of its conformance with the Scheme at each assessment and evidence of continued conformance with the Scheme through regular submission of all appropriate data that is reasonably required by the Authority.
- 8.2 The Authority operates on the principle of 'excellence' not 'perfection'. Any identified shortfall in performance will be reported and classified as a Non-Conformance or Non-Compliance. Time frames for rectification will be communicated to the Firm at the time of assessment or at other times, if the Authority deems it appropriate.
- 8.3 The Board may, at its sole discretion, revise any notice of Non-Conformance, including level or timeframe for rectification, upon review and recommendation of the Audit & Assessment Committee.
- 8.4 Non-Conformance:  
There are three levels of Non-Conformance:
- (a) Minor: An identified shortfall in performance that, when assessed in relation to other audit outcomes, indicates a minor risk of the Firm not meeting the requirements of the Scheme. A Minor Non-Conformance is required to be corrected by the next annual assessment;

- (b) Moderate: Such shortfall in performance that, whilst similar in effect to a “Minor Non Conformance”, is significant enough that it should, in the sole opinion of the Authority, be corrected prior to the next scheduled assessment. The usual time frame for corrective action is within the range 3 to 6 months. Documentary evidence of rectification is required;
- (c) Major: A shortfall in performance that, when assessed in relation to other audit outcomes and in the sole opinion of the Authority, indicates a significant risk of not meeting the requirements of the Scheme. Such Non-Conformances are required to be corrected in a short period of time, but generally within 3 months of notification. Documentary evidence of rectification is required. The Authority may decide, at its sole discretion, that an additional assessment is required to verify that a Major Non-Conformance has been corrected. Any such additional assessment will be at the Firm’s expense.

#### 8.5 Non-Compliance

Any identified Non-Compliance will be reported to the Audit and Assessment Committee for immediate review.

#### 8.6 Escalation

Should any identified Non-Conformance not be corrected within the stipulated period, the level on Non-Conformance will be raised automatically to the next highest level: i.e. Minor to Moderate; Moderate to Major; Major to Non-Compliance.

### 9 CESSATION OF CERTIFICATION

#### 9.1 Notice of withdrawal from the Scheme

If a Certified Firm does not intend to renew its certification at the end of any year of registration it must inform the Executive Director in writing with a minimum of one calendar month’s notice of its intention not to renew.

#### 9.2 Renunciation

The Certified Firm may renounce or suspend the Use of the Certification Mark for a certain period of time. It will give the Authority written notification and make all changes regarding its Communication Media. Based on this information the Authority will inform the Certified Firm of the terms and conditions for temporary or definitive cessation of Use of the Certification Mark.

#### 9.3 Termination for Non-Compliance

If a Firm is not in Compliance with the requirements of the Scheme, the Authority may, at its sole discretion and subject to the provisions of these Regulations;

- (a) terminate or refuse to grant or renew a Certificate;
- (b) require the Firm to discontinue the Use of the Certification Mark or any claim of Compliance or association with the Scheme with immediate effect;

until the Authority is satisfied that Compliance is achieved, or pending the result of an appeal by the Firm. Such decisions and the grounds for them will be communicated to the Firm in writing.

The Authority may, at its sole discretion, insist that the Firm undergoes a re-assessment, resubmitting the information as laid down in the Declaration before renewing or granting a Certificate.

#### 9.4 Downgrading of certification for serious non-conformance

If a Firm is not in Conformance with the requirements of the Scheme, the Authority may, at its sole discretion and subject to the provisions of these Regulations,

- (a) Grant or present a Certificate indicating the Firm's Non-Producer status under the Scheme;
- (b) require the Firm to discontinue the Use of the Certification Mark or any claim of Compliance or association with the Scheme for any of its manufactured or supplied materials, with immediate effect;

until the Authority is satisfied that Conformance is achieved, or pending the result of an appeal by the Firm. Such decisions and the grounds for them will be communicated to the Firm in writing.

The Authority may, at its sole discretion, insist that the Firm undergoes a re-assessment, resubmitting the information as laid down in the Declaration before renewing or granting a Producer Certificate.

#### 9.5 Public Notification

Any Firm that is confirmed as having its Certificate withdrawn from the Scheme will be listed as such on the Register of Certified Firms, with a note stating the reason for the withdrawal (i.e. "voluntary withdrawal", "temporary suspension" or "non-compliance").

## 10 PENALTIES AND APPEAL

An applicant Firm may appeal a refusal by the Authority to grant or renew certification under the Scheme.

Any appeal by the Firm against refusal, withdrawal or suspension will be in accordance with the complaints and appeals procedure that will be provided by the Authority, upon written request.

## 11 REAPPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATION

Where a Certificate is withdrawn, a Firm can re-apply for approval after a period of three calendar months. During the period of reapplication, continuation of manufacturing, fabricating or supply must be carried out in accordance with the batch testing requirements of the appropriate Standard/s and reported monthly, in writing to the Authority.

## 12 SERVING NOTICE UNDER THE REGULATIONS

Any notice under these Regulations will be in writing and signed by or on behalf of the party giving it and may be served by leaving it or sending it by

prepaid recorded delivery or registered post at or to its address for the time being (registered office where applicable). Any notice so served by post will (unless the contrary is proved) be deemed to have been served forty-eight hours from the time of posting; and in proving such service it will be sufficient to prove that the notice was properly addressed and was posted in accordance with this clause.

### **13 MONITORING OF THE CERTIFIED FIRM**

The Authority may during the entire period of validity of the Certificate make or entrust a Representative to make all checks deemed necessary using the methods and frequencies indicated in the appropriate Standards and/or by the Scheme. Checks will ensure that the Standards applicable to each Certified Firm are applied and that conformity to these Regulations and to the Standards is maintained.

### **14 MERGER OR ACQUISITION OF A FIRM**

In case of take-over or merger, written permission from the Authority is mandatory in order to transfer the rights to Use the Certification Mark.

### **15 FINANCIAL CONDITIONS**

The financial conditions for authorization to Use the Certification Mark are included in the contract between the Authority and the Certified Firm (the "Declaration"). It is an absolute requirement that a Firm must have paid all monies owed to the Authority to be granted or to retain its certification under the Scheme.

### **16 CONFIDENTIALITY**

Unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Authority, the Certified Firm will keep confidential all documents received from the Authority, with the exception of the Certificate, these Regulations and the Appendices.

### **17 CHANGES TO THE REGULATIONS**

The Authority reserves the right to modify these Regulations at any time. It will give the Certified Firm written notification of all changes thereto and the Certified Firm will be obligated to apply those changes.

No such alterations will affect the right of any Firm to Use Certification Mark or claim compliance with the Scheme unless the Firm will have been given notice in writing of such alteration by the Authority, who will notify the Firm of the date by which the Firm must comply with the altered Regulations. This period will not normally be less than six months from the date of notification of the alterations, or at the commencement date of the Firm's Certificate, whichever is the soonest.

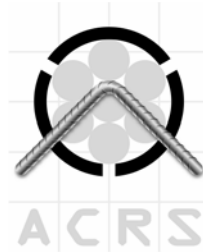
## **18 CHANGES TO THE LEGISLATION**

The Authority will comply with all relevant, applicable national and international laws, Regulations and Standards in force concerning the right to Use the Certification Mark or the conditions for obtaining said right. The Authority will give the Certified Firm notification of any changes thereto and the Certified Firm will be obligated to apply all modification resulting from said changes.

## **19 CERTIFICATION MARK**

The Certification Mark to be displayed by Certified Firms is one or more of the following:

1.



2. "The Australian Certification Authority for Reinforcing Steels"
3. "ACRS"