



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

Board of Canadian Registered Safety Professionals Mississauga, Ontario CANADA

AND

Canadian Registration Board of Occupational Hygienists

Winnipeg, Manitoba, CANADA

Whereas the Board of Canadian Registered Safety Professionals (BCRSP) performs services to certify individuals regarding their professional qualifications in safety in Canada and the Canadian Registration Board of Occupational Hygienists (CRBOH) performs similar services; and

Whereas the qualifications established by BCRSP and CRBOH for professional competency involve meeting a combination of educational and professional experience standards including the ability to pass certain examinations administered by the respective bodies; and

Whereas the processes and standards used by BCRSP and CRBOH have many similarities; and

Whereas there are some differences in education and experience expected for a safety professional in Canada and an occupational Hygienist in Canada;

It is agreed between BCRSP and CRBOH that individuals who have met the certification standards (including successfully passing assessments or examinations) of one body, remain in good standing with that body, and meet any recertifications requirements will be recognized as having met the certification standards of the other body, when upon application, payment of fees, and meeting of the additional requirements detailed below, be awarded the credential Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP) or the Canadian Registered Safety Technician (CRST) by BCRSP or the Registered Occupational Hygienist (ROH) or Registered Occupational Hygiene Technologist (ROHT) by CRBOH.

To be awarded the Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP) certification by BCRSP, a person who holds the ROH credential by CRBOH will be deemed eligible for certification as a CRSP but must pass the CRSP Examination.

To be awarded the Canadian Registered Safety Technician (CRST) certification by BCRSP, a person who holds the ROHT credential by CRBOH will be deemed eligible for certification as a CRST but must pass the CRST Examination.

To be awarded the Registered Occupational Hygiene Technologist (ROHT) certification by CRBOH, a person who holds a Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP) credential by BCRSP will be deemed eligible for certification as an ROHT but must pass the **ROHT Examination.**

To be awarded the Registered Occupational Hygiene Technologist (ROHT) certification by CRBOH, a person who holds a Canadian Registered Safety Technician (CRST) credential by BCRSP and who has completed a Bachelor of Science degree or Master of Science degree from a Canadian University or equivalent will be deemed eligible for certification as an ROHT but must pass the ROHT Examination.

To be awarded the Registered Occupational Hygienist (ROH) certification by CRBOH, a person who holds a Canadian Registered Safety Professional (CRSP) credential by BCRSP and who has completed a Bachelor of Science degree or Master of Science degree from a Canadian University or equivalent, will be deemed eligible for certification as an ROH but must pass both oral and written **ROH Examinations.**

It is further agreed between BCRSP and CRBOH that individuals who are currently certified by one organisation, and who obtain a certification from the other organisation will be awarded full requalification credits under the respective continuous professional development processes.

This agreement becomes effective upon signature by representatives of both parties and will remain in effect until one or both parties give 90 days written notice of intent to terminate or modify the agreement.

Paul Belair, BASc, MBA, CRSP Chair, BCRSP Governing Board

Matt Brewer, CRSP, ROHT, Cert IOSH President, CRBOH Board of Directors

Signed Friday June 14, 2024

Moncton, New Brunswick