

Code of Ethics for NDT Level I & II Personnel Certified by QCCO



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1. Purpose

The following Code of Ethics is binding upon every individual who possesses a current QCCO NDT Level II Certification. These rules are necessary to protect the life, health, property and welfare of the public, and to maintain the credibility of the QCCO, the QCCO NDT Level II program and the NDT profession. Accordingly, each QCCO NDT Level II certified individual agrees to abide by the following:

2. Code of Ethics

- 2.1 Responsibility: Protect the safety, health and welfare of the public, by performing all NDT activities to the best of his/her ability in accordance with properly established and approved procedures and only in situations for which qualified.
- 2.2 Integrity: Perform all NDT activities honestly, and treat the public, clients and employer in an impartial and ethical manner. All reports of NDT activities shall faithfully and accurately reflect the tests conducted, procedures used, and results obtained.
- 2.3 Conflict of Interest: Consciously avoid conflict of interest situations with employer or client, promptly informing same if such situations cannot be avoided.
- 2.4 Improper Conduct: Refrain from work activities outside the area of certification without written approval of his/her supervisor.
- 2.5 Safety: Act in a safe and responsible manner while conducting NDT activities, ensuring that all required and necessary safety procedures are in place and are being used by one's self and others under his/her jurisdiction.

3. Penalty

Violation of this Code of Ethics by any QCCO NDT Level II certificate holder may be cause for disciplinary action against that person which may result in sanctions up to revocation of QCCO certification.

Statements and Signature

By signature on this application, if certified by QCCO, I agree to abide by the Code of Ethics for Level II Personnel Certified by QCCO so long as I maintain a Certificate. Further, I understand the right of QCCO to suspend or revoke any Certificate granted if I abuse the privileges therein granted to me.

I understand that certifications which may result from this application do not constitute any form of license.

I hereby attest that all facts on this application are true and correct and no information which might be detrimental has been withheld. QCCO may make any inquiries necessary to determine my qualifications for certification. I agree to abide by the decision of QCCO relative to the granting of any Certifications as applied for herein.

For valuable consideration, the undersigned, having made application for Certification as Level II by QCCO, does hereby release and forever discharge the QCCO, from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, or causes of action whatsoever, which now exist or which may hereafter arise on account of the undersigned's activities henceforth as Level II certified by QCCO.

The undersigned further acknowledges that this release is being given as a prerequisite for having filed application for consideration by QCCO.

The undersigned further represents that if not certified by QCCO, then this release and discharge shall have no force and effect; otherwise, upon certification as set forth above, this release shall be binding on the undersigned and QCCO.

I authorize QCCO to publish my name, city, state, country, test methods, Levels and expiration dates of certification.

Signature of Applicant

Print Name of Applicant

Date