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Change of ACRS logo ("Mark") from 1 January 2012

1. General

It is a requirement of governing Standards that any firm certified by a Product Certification Body ("PCB") display the "Mark" (i.e. approved logo, or reference) of that PCB to demonstrate the firm's compliance with the certification scheme operated by that PCB:

From 1 January 2012, ACRS has changed its logo to reflect the extension of ACRS Scheme to certify structural steels to AS/NZ Standards.



Fig 1: Original ACRS logo ("ACRS Mark") to 31 December, 2011 (valid to 31 December, 2012)



Fig 2: New ACRS logo ("ACRS Mark") from 1 January, 2012

2. Continued use of old ACRS Mark

ACRS recognises that suppliers with existing ACRS certification have invested significant effort and resources to display the old ACRS Mark (fig 1). Therefore, certified suppliers displaying the original ACRS Mark are permitted to continue the use of the old Mark on their documentation for a limited period.

Use of the original ACRS Mark (logo) is permitted upto and including 31 December, 2012. After this date no use of the original Mark will be permitted.

3. Use of the new ACRS Mark

From 1 January 2012, all new certified firms are required to use the new Mark (logo) (fig 2).

All other requirements for use of the ACRS Mark remain and are detailed in the ACRS Scheme Regulations, available at <u>www.steelcertification.com</u>

Any questions regarding this requirement, or any other matter related to the use of the ACRS Mark should be addressed to the ACRS office.

For and on behalf of the ACRS Board of Directors

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