

# ASSOCIATE MANUFACTURER/SUPPLIER MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

You are invited to join the



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***To enhance the level of life safety  
and property conservation from  
the effects of fire through the  
use of fire sprinklers.***

Serving the fire sprinkler industry for over eighty years, the Canadian Automatic Sprinkler Association is a Trade Association whose objectives are to:

Promote, defend, enhance and improve the business of installing fire sprinkler devices and systems;

Foster and promote the recognition of the fire sprinkler industry as a unique identity in itself;

Conduct such programs and projects as are in keeping with these objectives, including, but not limited to:

Engineering, Service Insurance, Building and Fire Codes, Federal Liaison, Labour Relations, Exhibitions, Technical Certification / Training, Legislation Seminars and Workshops, Field Programs and Networking Publications.

**Benefits** - Subscription to Quick Response (QR) C.A.S.A.'s electronic monthly newsletter, subscription to C.A.S.A. Notes, Canada's Sprinkler Industry quarterly magazine, discounted advertising rates, NFSA's SQ magazine, Grassroots and TechNotes.

AMS members are eligible for member discounts on other publications, seminar registration fees and exhibit space at C.A.S.A.-sponsored events.

Being a C.A.S.A. member also ensures early notification of important educational programs and industry developments. You will have access to C.A.S.A.'s professional staff, both at the national headquarters and through the regions of the country. The Association provides technical assistance, and serves as a code and legislative liaison and "watchdog"

**Participation** - Participation in regional and national committees is encouraged. By participating and working with the AMS Committee, comprised of representatives of AMS Members, you will help purview over those affairs germane to manufacturer/supplier interests in the industry. These include product and installation standards, building codes, marketing statistics, legislation, public relations and other functions consistent with the goals and objectives of C.A.S.A.

## Board of Directors

Elected by and from C.A.S.A. Members in good standing. A minimum of eight Directors and a maximum of twelve Directors, usually representatives of local areas of the country (one board member represents the AMS sector), purview over those affairs germane to the contracting and manufacturing interests of the industry, including, but not limited to labour relations, installation standards, building codes, legislations and other functions consistent with the Code of Ethics, Constitution, By-laws and Amendments of C.A.S.A.

## Associate Manufacturer Supplier Category Definition

Any person, firm or corporation which manufactures, supplies, sells or distributes materials or devices whose end use is intended for fire protection systems is eligible for Associate Manufacturer/Supplier Membership,

provided they are not eligible for any Voting Membership categories, which are installing contractor categories.

**All applications for membership must be approved by the Board of Directors.** There are three Board Meetings each year, generally in March, June and November. The Board has set a precedent to **reject any application which has not been completed in full.**

**A cheque must accompany the application.**

## Membership Application

Please find where your company falls on the **Annual Dues Scale**, based on sales in Canada. If you have additional offices on the mailing list, please add \$100 per extra office in order to calculate your dues. If you choose to have additional people on the mailing list, please attach a list to the application form (up to 4 rep's at one address). Remember to include contact name, complete address, telephone, fax and email.

Annual Membership:  
(75% to C.A.S.A. General Revenue, 25% to AMS Fire Sprinkler Industry Advancement Fund).

1) Basic AMS Dues ( 0-\$2 million)	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750	\$750
2) \$2-\$5 million in CND sales		\$750				
3) \$5-\$15 million in CND sales			\$1,000			
4) \$15 - \$25 million in CND sales				\$1,500		
5) \$25- \$50 million in CND sales					\$2,000	
6) \$50 million- plus in CND sales						\$2,500
<b>SUBTOTAL</b> May include up to 4 representatives at one address	\$750	\$1,500	\$1,750	\$2,350	\$2,750	\$3,250
At the option of company additional representatives at additional offices	\$100 x ___ =	\$100 x ___ =	\$100 x ___ =	\$100 x ___ =	\$100 x ___ =	\$100 x ___ =
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>						
HST + 13%						
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>						
One Time "Activation Fee" 100% applied to the "AMS Fire Sprinkler Industry Advancement Fund	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
<b>TOTAL payable to C.A.S.A.</b>						

We, \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Company Name in Full \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Prov./State \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_ Tel \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Web Site \_\_\_\_\_

### Legal Status

Incorporated  Sole Proprietorship  Registered Partnership  Other \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby apply for Associate Manufacturer/Supplier Membership in the Canadian Automatic Sprinkler Association. The Constitution, By-laws and Amendments of the Association having been read and understood, we agree, upon becoming a member, Constitution, By-laws and Amendments of the Association now or hereafter in force.

Name, Address and Telephone Number of Principal Officer \_\_\_\_\_

### Sponsor

\_\_\_\_\_ C.A.S.A. Voting or Associate Member Company

**If sponsor isn't supplied, membership will be rejected as incomplete.**

Name of Person to Receive Mailings \_\_\_\_\_

List major products and/or services: \_\_\_\_\_

### Statement of Applicant

I, \_\_\_\_\_ attest to the accuracy of the information on this application and the fact that I am a manufacturer and/or supplier of fire sprinkler system components and meet the definition of this category of membership listed on the reverse. I agree to accept the C.A.S.A. Board of Directors' decision on this application and, if approved for membership, will do all in my power to maintain and enhance the prestige of the Fire Sprinkler Industry.

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Signature of Applicant

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Date of Application