



# APPLICATION FOR ICC Codes & Standards

It is important to complete all of the questions on this form, supply additional requested information, sign and date the application. This application can be used to apply for membership on any ICC Codes & Standards Committee or Council. If you apply to be on more than one committee in Part I - #1 below, and if your participation will be funded by separate sources (entities), you must submit separate applications for each committee/funding source. **Be sure to review the posted "Call for Committees" to determine which committee(s) or council(s) are considering new applications and the deadline for submittal of the applications.**

## Part I. General Information

**1. Name of ICC Committee(s) or Council(s) on which you would like to be a member:**  
(See list on Page 5 – Indicate the acronym for the Committee or Council and list in order of preference.)

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| 1) | IMC      | 6)  |
| 2) | IBC - FS | 7)  |
| 3) | IEBC     | 8)  |
| 4) | IFGC     | 9)  |
| 5) | IPC      | 10) |

**2. Applicant Information:** Complete the following information on yourself.

Your Name:	Marshall A. Kaminer	Cred: (P.E., MCP, etc):	PE
Title:	Executive Engineer of Technical Affairs & Code Development		
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**3. Entity Represented:** Complete the following information on the entity you represent (Jurisdiction, Company, Association, group, or yourself).

Representing:	New York City Department of Buildings	Acronym:	NYDOB
Main Contact:	Maria Taslitsky		
Title:	Code Development Coordinator		
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Web Site:	<a href="http://www1.nyc.gov/site/buildings/index.page">http://www1.nyc.gov/site/buildings/index.page</a>		

**4. Interest Category:** (check one) Using the Interest Categories listed on the next page, indicate the Interest Category that best relates to your representation.

- General**
 **User**
 **Producer**

**Interest Categories (per ICC Council Policy 7):**

- **General Interest (G):**  
Individuals assigned to the General Interest Category are those who represent the interests of an entity, including an association of such entities, representing the general public or entities which promulgate or enforce the provisions within the committee scope. These entities include Consumers and Government Regulatory Agencies.
- **User Interest (U):**  
Individuals assigned to the User Interest Category are those who represent the interests of an entity, including an association of such entities, which is subject to the provisions or voluntarily utilize the provisions within the committee scope. These entities include Academia, Applied Research Laboratory, Building Owner, Design Professional, Government Non-regulatory Agency, Insurance Company, Private Inspection Agency, and Product Certification/Evaluation Agency.
- **Producer Interest (P):**  
Individuals assigned to the Producer Interest Category are those who represent the interests of an entity, including an association of such entities, which produces, installs, or maintains a product, assembly, or system subject to the provisions within the committee scope. These entities include Builder, Contractor, Distributor, Labor, Manufacturer, Material Association, Standards Promulgator, Testing Laboratory, and Utility.

**NOTE – Multiple Interests:** Individuals representing entities in more than one of the above Interest Categories, one of which is a Producer Interest, are assigned to the Producer Interest. Individuals representing entities in the General Interest and User Interest Categories are assigned to the User Interest.

5. **Voting Status:** Indicate if you will be the voting Principal or Alternate. (Alternates must represent the same entity as the Principal. Alternates are not appointed for members of an ICC Code Committee.)

Representative as (check one):	Principal:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Alternate:	<input type="checkbox"/>
If an alternate, identify principal member:		Principal name:		

**Part II. Authority and Funding**

1. Are you authorized to vote on behalf of the entity you represent? (Appropriate authorization may be required.)  
 Yes                       No
2. Will you have an instructed vote as determined by the entity you represent?  
 Yes                               No
3. If yes to #2, can the time constraints of the consensus process be maintained?  
 Yes                               No
4. Who or what organization, company, interest, etc., funds your participation? (see below)

**All funding sources must be divulged**

**NOTE:** If you have applied to be on more than one committee, and if your participation will be funded by separate sources (entities), you must submit separate applications for each committee/funding source. If you will NOT be representing or funded by an outside entity (organization, company, etc.), and are applying as an individual member and funding your own participation on the Committee, simply state "Self" below.

Funding by:	N/A						
Main Contact:							
Title:							
Address:							
City:		State/Province:		Postal Code:		Country:	
Phone:				Ext:		Cell:	
E-mail:							

Note: ICC Governmental Members are typically authorized to travel at ICC's expense for C&S related committees. Be sure to review the "Call for Committee" to determine ICC's travel policy for the specific committee for which you are applying.

**Part III. Background and Experience**

**Please complete the following. Attach résumé or additional sheets as necessary.**

- List current and previous Committee service, including ICC and other organizations on which you have served.

	<u>Organization / Committee</u>	<u>Date or Years of Service</u>
a)	NYS Energy Code Technical Subcommittee	June 2012-December 2012
b)	NYC Building Resiliency Task Force	January 2013 – June 2013
c)	IMC 2015 Code Committee (Code Action Hearings)	April 2015

- State specific work experience related to one or more elements of Committee work.  
I currently serve as the Executive Engineer in Technical Affairs and Code Development Division for the New York City Department of Buildings, where my duties include interpreting the New York City Construction Codes, the Zoning Regulation, and Multiple Dwelling Law; serving on technical subcommittees responsible for periodic updates of the NYC Construction Codes and New York State Code; assisting in the writing of bulletins and rules to clarify the text of these Codes, laws and other related new legislation; and regularly teaching this technical material to department staff and the Industry.
- State the contributions, education, certification or other qualifications you offer towards the success of the Committee for which you have applied.

I earned my Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Rutgers University in New Brunswick, New Jersey; my Masters of Science in Applied Science from New York University and a Masters of Science in Engineering and Technology Management from the University of Pennsylvania. I also have professional engineering licenses in New York and California

- Provide assurance of active participation on the Committee. Will you be able to participate in the full work of the Committee such as attending Committee meetings and responding to correspondence?

Yes

No

5. Are you interested in serving as the Chair to a committee? The Chair is responsible for running the committee meetings.

Yes

No

6. Are you interested in serving as the Vice Chair to a committee? The Vice Chair takes over Chair responsibilities in the event the Chair is absent.

Yes

No

## Part IV. Additional Information


Provide any additional information as may be appropriate to assist in the evaluation of your application. (Attach additional sheets as necessary.)

Please see attached resume

## Part V. Certification and Agreement

Considerable effort, devotion and hard work will be expected of each Committee member. Committee membership carries an obligation to participate actively in all work of the Committee including the contribution and generation of information, prompt reply to draft reports and ballots, attendance and participation at Committee meetings and prompt completion of assigned tasks. The undersigned hereby agrees to notify the International Code Council of a change in any of the information provided in this application including a change in the organization represented, source of funding or employment. The undersigned agrees to abide by the rules and policy of the International Code Council. The undersigned attests that the information provided in this application for Committee membership is true and accurate.

The undersigned hereby agrees that his or her authorship contributions to ICC in connection with work performed as a member of an ICC committee are considered to be works made for hire for ICC. To the extent that the undersigned retains any rights in copyright as to such authorship contributions, the undersigned hereby grants and assigns to ICC all such rights. The undersigned understands that he or she will have no rights in any ICC publications that use such contributions by the undersigned and certifies to the best of his or her knowledge that such contributions are not protected by the copyright of any other person or entity.

Signature:		Date:	5/22/2017
Print Name:	Marshall A. Kaminer, PE		
Title:	Executive Engineer of Technical Affairs & Code Development		
Representing:	New York City Department of Buildings		

**Please send an electronic version (Word or PDF) of the completed application to the e-mail address below. The electronic version is due by the posted deadline for applications as indicated on the Call for Committees' Page. If the electronic version does not include your signature, please follow-up with a signed version and fax or mail to the address noted. If you are not submitting your application electronically, the posted deadline applies to receipt of faxed or mailed submittals.**

**E-mail electronic version to: [codeapps@iccsafe.org](mailto:codeapps@iccsafe.org)**

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**For questions, please call:** (888) ICC-SAFE X 4345

## ICC Codes & Standards Committees and Councils

Be sure to review the posted "Call for Committees" (link on page 1) to determine which Committee(s) or Council(s) are considering new applications and the deadline for submittal of the application. The applicable ICC Council Policy which governs the activity is noted by "CP". All committees are also governed by CP 7. [Click here](#) for the link to the Council Policies.

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Code Committees (CP 28)</u>
ADMIN	Administrative Provisions (Chapter 1 for all I-Codes except the IECC, IgCC and IRC) and referenced standards updates (multi-discipline committee)
CECDC	Commercial Energy Code Committee (IECC – Commercial provisions)
IBC-E	International Building Code – Means of Egress Committee
IBC-FS	International Building Code - Fire Safety Committee
IBC-G	International Building Code - General Committee
IBC-S	International Building Code - Structural Committee
IEBC	International Existing Building Code Committee
IFC	International Fire Code Committee (includes International Wildland - Urban Interface Code)
IFGC	International Fuel Gas Code Committee
IgCC	International Green Construction Code – Chapter 1 only (remaining provisions per ASHRAE 189.1)
IMC	International Mechanical Code Committee
IPC	International Plumbing Code Committee (includes International Private Sewage Disposal Code)
IPM/ZC	International Property Maintenance and Zoning Code Committee
IRC-B	International Residential Code – Building Committee
IRC-MP	International Residential Code – Mechanical-Plumbing Committee
ISPSC	International Swimming Pool and Spa Code Committee
RECD	Residential Energy Code Committee (IECC – Residential provisions and IRC – Energy provisions)

ICC Performance Code note: No separate committee. See the ICC Performance Code for committee maintenance responsibility noted in the brackets ( [ ] ) prior to the section number.

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Code Action Committees (CP 31)</u>
BCAC	Building (includes IEBC, IPMC, IRC Building, IZC)
FCAC	Fire (includes ICC Performance Code, IWUIC)
PMGCAC	Plumbing, Mechanical, Fuel Gas (includes IPSDC, IRC Mechanical/Plumbing, ISPSC)
SEHPCAC	Sustainability, Energy & High Performance (includes IECC, IgCC, IRC Energy)

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Councils (CP 9)</u>
CSC	Codes and Standards Council
XXC	Other Councils – See acronym posted on the "Call for Committee"

Note: Governing Committees of Memberships Councils have a separate application

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Interpretation Committees (CP 11)</u>
BCIC	Building Code Interpretations Committee
ECIC	Energy Conservation, Existing Building, Green Construction, Property Maintenance, Zoning Code Interpretations Committee
FCIC	Fire, Wildland-Urban Interface Code Interpretations Committee
PMGCIC	Plumbing, Mechanical, Fuel Gas, Private Sewage Disposal, Swimming Pool Code Interpretations Committee
RCIC	Residential Code Interpretations Committee

ICC Performance Code note: Interpretative issues are assigned to one of the committees noted above based on topic.

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Standard Committees (CP 12)</u>
IS-BLE	Standard on Bleachers, Folding and Telescopic Seating, and Grandstands (ICC 300)
IS-FPI	Standard for Spray Applied Polyurethane Foam Plastic Insulation (ICC 1100)
IS-IEDC	Standard for Landscape Irrigation Sprinklers and Emitters (ICC 802)
IS-LOG	Standard for the Design and Construction of Log Structures (ICC 400)
IS-PHSC	Standard for Pool Solar Heating and Cooling (ICC 902)
IS-RCSDI	Standard for Rainwater Collection System Design and Installation (ICC 805)
IS-RHW	Standard for Residential Construction in High-Wind Regions (ICC 600)
IS-STM	Standard for the Design and Construction of Storm Shelters (ICC 500)
IS-STSC	Standard for Solar Thermal Collectors and Solar Water Heating Systems (ICC 900 & 901)
IS-XX	New ICC Standard Committee – See acronym posted on the "Call for Committee"

**Acronym**

CCC

REF

AHC-XX

XXX

**Other Codes and Standards Committees**

Code Correlation Committee (CP 44)

Reference Standards Committee

Ad Hoc Committee – See acronym posted on the “Call for Committee”

New Committee – See acronym posted on the “Call for Committee”





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## **Experience Summary**

Over 36 years of experience in management, construction, architecture and engineering, and research. Most recently Executive Engineer & Borough Commissioner at the New York City Department of Buildings. At design firms held positions as Program Manager, A/E Project Manager, MEP Project Manager, and HVAC Engineer; in construction management was Resident Engineer, Assistant Resident Engineer and Lead Mechanical Engineer.

## **Experience History**

### **NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS – 2002 TO PRESENT**

In current position as **Executive Engineer in Technical Affairs & Code Development**, responsible for multiple activities involved in the Interpretation of the New York City Construction Codes (Building, Plumbing, Mechanical and Energy Conservation), associated local laws, the Zoning Resolution, and Multiple Dwelling Law. Duties include serving on technical subcommittees responsible for the 3-year cycle updates of the Construction Codes and then participating in and contributing to the actual writing of the code revisions; writing bulletins when necessary to clarify the text of these laws and other related new legislation; serving as a chair of the Code and Zoning Task Force involved in project specific Code and Zoning interpretation issues after rejection by the borough commissioners; supervising staff to ensure that industry, constituent and department staff interpretation questions are answered accurately and in a timely & consistent manner; and regularly teaching department plan examination staff, building industry and public in Code, Zoning, and other local law.

Also, currently serving in the capacity of **Department City-wide Director for the Asbestos Technical Review Unit (ATRU)**, working jointly with the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), responsible for the implementation of agency-wide initiatives and recent legislation regarding asbestos removal in buildings. Supervised the set-up of Department of Buildings (DOB) operations in remote LeFrak City DEP office; office operations include drawing intake, review, approval, entry into BIS and DEP ARTS systems, coordination with DEP inspection, DOB inspection and related DOB applications. DOB Direct reports include Chief Plan Examiner. ATRU unit consists of a technical and administrative staff of about 20 DEP and DOB persons.

Previously served as **Chairman in the Loft Board**, working with Loft Board members including persons from the Buildings Department and the Fire Department, and non-government persons, to determine when non-residential occupancies may be legally converted to dwelling units, as allowed by the requirements of the Multiple Dwelling Law, Zoning and Code.

Previously as **Borough Commissioner for the Bronx & Staten Island Borough Offices**, responsible for management of daily operations, long term planning and implementation of agency-wide initiatives for a technical and administrative staff of up to 70 people. Direct reports included Chief Inspectors, Borough Operations (administrative) Manager, Deputy Borough Commissioner, Code and Zoning Specialist, Auditor,

and Chief Plan Examiner. Ensured efficient office operations, adherence to budget, conformance to Department standards, quality customer service for Industry and the public, and the conformance of all submitted projects to local laws, building code and zoning. Office operations included project plan examination, permit and certificates of occupancy issuance, records' management, administrative support functions, inspections of ongoing construction work and emergency response to situations required for public safety.

**CARLSON, DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION – 1999 TO 2002**

As on-site **Program Manager / Owner's Representative**, managed all design and construction for several JP Morgan Chase Retail Bank Branch consolidations and upgrades throughout the New York metropolitan tri-state area. Duties included determining user needs through interviews with bank branch operations staff, development and approval of scope and budget, coordination with Landlords' requirements and Lease negotiations, award of contracts for design and construction, and preparation/monitoring of project schedule, scope, budget and costs from start until completion.

As **A/E Project Manager**, managed project team including architects, consultants, engineers, and facilities personnel for design of mission critical data facilities including telecommunications facilities, data centers, and rollouts of retail financial service locations. Managed projects from user interviews and schematic design through construction administration. Prepared and supervised the preparation of estimates of project budgets, scope of work, staffing, and schedule. Managed schedule and budget during course of projects to ensure on-time completion and efficient use of funds.

**STONE & WEBSTER ENGINEERING CORPORATION, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS - 1990 TO 1999**

**Pennsylvania Station Life Safety Improvements (Jan 1995 to Feb 1997 and April 1998 to present)  
Capital Programs Management Department, New York, New York  
Long Island Rail Road, Metropolitan Transportation Authority**

As on-site **Senior Field Engineer** for the Long Island Rail Road (LIRR) Capital Programs Management department, provided a variety of construction management services for life safety projects relevant to Pennsylvania Station, New York City. Projects include the design and installation of a new telecommunications system in the East River Tunnel, tunnel structural rehabilitation, design and installation of new tunnel lighting, and the rehabilitation of ventilation systems. Responsible for interface between the client (LIRR), design consultants, contractors, and Amtrak management and labor provided under an existing Force Account Agreement. Duties included the supervision and inspection of construction activities to ensure proper compliance with contract documents, applicable codes, and standards; holding of biweekly construction progress meetings; evaluation & payment of invoices; review of equipment test-out and maintenance procedures and witnessing actual equipment and system test-outs; preparation of budget look-ahead reports; preparation of work progress, track outage and schedule updates; constructability and design evaluations; some design.

**Queens Midtown Tunnel Rehabilitation Project (February 1997 to April 1998)  
Tri-borough Bridge and Tunnel Authority  
Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Bridges and Tunnels Division**

As **Assistant Resident Engineer**, assisted in office set-up and in daily/ long-range administration, which included the set-up and maintenance of several computer based tracking logs for correspondence, shop drawing submissions, change orders, requests for information, etc. Assisted in the review of project critical path schedule baselines and updates, prepared and administered contracts with sub-consultants, and supervised a staff of technical assistants and field inspection engineers. Performed construction engineering in all mechanical areas of the project.

**111 Eighth Avenue (June 1994 to Sept 1995)  
High-rise Office Building,  
Sylvan Lawrence Company, Inc.**

As **Resident Engineer**, responsible for contractor interface and construction inspection of two emergency generators, including an associated fuel oil delivery system. Duties included monitoring compliance with contract documents, applicable codes, and standards; monitoring construction progress and associated payments; reviewing equipment test-out and maintenance procedures; witnessing actual test-outs; and reviewing accumulated data.

**Electrical Systems Modernization Project (Oct 1993 to June 1994)  
Hunt's Point Water Pollution Control Plant, Bronx, New York  
New York City Department of Environmental Protection**

As **Lead Mechanical Engineer**, responsible to the Resident Engineer for the primary interface with the contractors and for supervising and directing the activities of the associated Field Engineers and Inspectors. Specific duties included authorization and maintenance of time and material records for change order work; preparation of Change Order Requests; negotiation of Change Orders with contractors; witnessing of specific tests and inspections; resolution with the Design Engineers for design problems, drawing conflicts, and changes necessary due to the site conditions; coordinating all checkout procedures for the various process systems prior to testing and startup; monitoring and facilitating the processing of contractor submittals; participation in weekly meetings for coordination of all contract work; and the verification of payment requests for the Resident Engineer's signature.

**Land Based Sludge De-watering Facilities, Jamaica, New York (Oct 1990 to Sept 1993)  
New York City Department of Environmental Protection**

As **Lead Mechanical Engineer**, responsible for on-site construction engineering, supervision and direction of Field Engineers and Inspectors needed to provide process piping, HVAC, plumbing, fire protection, and related equipment for De-watering (Centrifuge) Plant. Systems included sludge cake handling, liquid sludge and centrate flow, odor control, polymer feed, and conveyors with related instrumentation and controls. Duties similar to those performed at Hunts Point project.

**BEN GURION UNIVERSITY OF THE NEGEV - 1989 TO 1990**

**The Jacob Blaustein Institute for Desert Research Architecture Unit  
Sde Boker Campus, Israel**

As **Engineer** in the Architecture Unit, assisted in research for energy conservation in architecture. Wrote computer program that was more flexible for research, to determine the economic cutoff point for various passive solar and energy saving installations.

**SYSKA & HENNESSY ENGINEERS, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA - 1984 TO 1988**

As **Project Manager** (Mar 1987 to Nov 1988), responsible for management, coordination, and administration of all stages of design for heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC), plumbing, fire protection, and electrical engineering. Supervised assigned Project Engineers from design development through construction. Involved with Management Information Systems (MIS), scheduling, and determination of design fees. Functioned simultaneously as Project HVAC Engineer and Project Manager.

As **Project Engineer** (Mar 1985 to Mar 1987), responsible for supervising various projects in HVAC building systems for all phases of design, including construction, and final evaluation.

As **Engineer** (Jan 1984 to Mar 1985), responsible for design, layout, coordination, equipment selection, calculations, and shop drawing submittal review for HVAC engineering of assigned projects. Calculations included heat transfer, heat loss and gain, pressure loss for water and air, psychometrics and equipment selection for air handlers, chillers, boilers, diffusers, etc.

**TURNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, NEW YORK, NEW YORK - 1980 TO 1983**

IBM Headquarters  
New York, New York

As Assistant Engineer, supervised all contractual obligations of subcontractors, including their submission of shop drawings and determination of extra services. Trades included HVAC, plumbing, fire protection, and involvement with structure and architectural finishes. Also supervised job closeout schedule relative to electrical trade, including work completion, punch lists, final acceptance by IBM and other governing authorities, and any design changes required by building code or field conditions.

**EDUCATION**

M.S., Engineering, Technology Management -University of Pennsylvania  
School of Engineering and Applied Science / Wharton joint program - 2000

M.S., Applied Science (Energy) - New York University - 1994

B. S. and B.A., Mechanical Engineering and Anthropology  
Rutgers University – 1980

**LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS, AND CERTIFICATIONS**

Professional Engineer - California and New York