## **Accreditation/Certification Agreement**

The organization listed on the front of this Application for Accreditation/Certification (the "Applicant") performs or subcontracts the design, fabrication, production, testing, assembly, construction and/or installation of items, or provides a service to the aforementioned activities, at the address given, and makes this application to The American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) for the appropriate Certificate of Accreditation, Certificate of Acceptance, or Certificate of Authorization permitting use of the associated Certification Mark. The Applicant:

- (1) Agrees to use the Certificate and/or Stamp in accordance with the applicable ASME Code or Standard and supplemental conformity assessment requirements governing this application.
- (2) Agrees to return the stamp and/or Certificate anytime ASME may so request, at the time the Applicant discontinues the work covered, or at the time of expiration, if not renewed.
- (3) Accepts the conduct of announced or unannounced audits as required by the appropriate ASME accreditation/certification body. Access to the inspection site to conduct audits, reviews or surveys, including travel to and from the site, is the responsibility of the Applicant. If access is blocked or impeded, ASME is not responsible for the Applicant failing to receive, or continue to have accreditation/certification.
- (4) Agrees to indemnify and hold harmless ASME and its agents from and against any costs (including legal fees and expenses) and any direct, indirect, incidental or consequential damages (including loss of profits or business opportunity) arising out of any claim or cause of action in any way related to this Agreement or the subject matter hereof, including but not limited to claims based on contract, tort (including negligence), strict liability or breach of warranty (express or implied).
- (5) Understands that the Applicant's use of the ASME mark may be allowed provisionally by ASME in its discretion until a decision is made on an appeal of an action of an ASME subcommittee, committee or board and accepts the obligation to pay all legal fees and expenses and ASME's cost for recovering the Certificate and stamp if not returned.
- (6) Agrees to pay ASME for all fees, expenses and expenditures associated with the Review/ Survey/Audit conducted by ASME.

Legal Company Name:		
Signed:		
U	Signature must be by a Company Officer or Designee	
Title:		
Date:		
Application#:	Company ID#:	