



Transfer Endorsement... ASTTBC

- Effective April 1, 2009, and consistent with the terms of the Agreement on Internal Trade (AIT) and the BC/AB Trade, Investment and Labour Mobility Agreement (TILMA), the Applied Science Technologists & Technicians of British Columbia (ASTTBC) will certify and register Applied Science Technologists (AScT) and Certified Technicians (CTech) applicants who are currently certified in another jurisdiction in Canada, in accordance with the provisions of these Agreements.
- Certified members wishing to transfer may obtain the transfer form from the province they are moving to or from ASTTBC.
- Complete the transfer form and forward to the association/society they are transferring from.
- Please submit a complete and detailed work history with the application.

Inter-provincial Transfer out of British Columbia

Current certified members (Technicians or Technologists) in BC wishing to transfer to other provinces must:

- 1) Complete sections A to C of the Transfer Application in full. **The onus is on the applicant to complete the form and to provide any additional documentation that is requested.**
- 2) Mail the completed application to ASTTBC. Incomplete applications will be returned.
- 3) Be a certified member in good standing to qualify for a transfer.
- 4) Understand that the transfer form applies only to registered Technicians and Technologists in the recognized disciplines of registration.
- 5) Enclose a complete, detailed work history with your application.

Transfer into British Columbia

Applicants currently certified in a recognized discipline in other provinces wishing to transfer into BC must:

- 1) Obtain a transfer form from their current association/society or ASTTBC.
- 2) Complete Section A to C of the Transfer Application and forward to their current association/society. **The onus is on the applicant to complete the form and to provide any additional documentation that is requested.**
- 3) Submit a complete, detailed work history with your application.
- 4) Enclose a transfer fee of \$50.00 plus \$6.00 HST, payable to ASTTBC, to accompany the application.
- 5) Only transfers maintaining dual membership will be required to pay pro-rated dues. This is unless they have not paid for the current year to the Association/Society they are transferring from.
- 6) Know that if you maintain membership in two associations, you may be eligible for reduced dues in the province of non-residency.

Transferability is not absolutely guaranteed without exception - the level of certification can be amended if a certification was granted in error, or if insufficient evidence of academic and experience qualifications is provided. Particularly, if you are not a graduate of an accredited program your transfer may be subject to review.

Specific questions regarding transferability can be directed to the appropriate society/association or the ASTTBC Registration Department.

Recognized Disciplines of Registration

- Bio-science
- Building
- Chemical
- Civil
- Electrical
- Electronics
- Forestry
- Geomatics
- Industrial
- Information Technology
- Instrumentation
- Mechanical
- Mining
- Petroleum

ASTTBC Disciplines of Registration also include

- Bio-medical
- Environmental
- Forest Engineering