

## APPLICATION FOR ONSITE ASSESSMENT FOR THE PURPOSES OF 2020 CALIFORNIA ELAP ACCREDITATION

**1. Name of Applicant Laboratory or Accredited Organization (Company Name):**

*Exactly as it should appear on IAS listing. Each main or satellite lab must have a separate application.*

**2. Laboratory Street Address:**

*Street Address (exactly as it should appear in listing)*

**City/State/Zip/Country (if other than USA):**

**3. Laboratory Mailing Address:**

*If different than address listed in #3*

**City/State/Zip/Country (if other than USA):**

**4. Phone No.:**

**Fax No.:**

**5. Email Address:**

**Web Address:**

**6. Name and title of applicant's technical representative (if any):**

**Address** *(if different from address above):*

**Phone No.:**

**Email:**

**7. Within the past five years have any of your accreditations been revoked, withdrawn, placed on suspension, and/or removed from listing by ELAP/TNI?    No    Yes**

If "yes" please explain

**8. If this is a renewal, please answer the three questions below. If you answer "yes" to any of the questions, please explain on a separate sheet and/or include appropriate supporting documentation.**

- a. Since the last time your company applied for ELAP/TNI accreditation, has there been any changes in ownership or in key management, technical, or quality assurance personnel?    No    Yes
- b. Since the last time your company applied for ELAP/TNI accreditation, have there been any major changes in the documented management system?    No    Yes
- c. Since the last time your company applied for ELAP/TNI accreditation, has your organization or any of your associated organizations been suspended, received complaints, or had any other action taken by ELAP/TNI about the services covered by your scope of accreditation?    No    Yes
- d. Please attach your current ELAP/TNI certificate of accreditation. If you have additional methods outside your current scope of accreditation, please submit the FOTs in accordance with the listed ELAP methods on the [waterboards.ca.gov website](http://waterboards.ca.gov)

**By signing, the applicant agrees that all the information presented in the above application is true and correct, and to abide by the CONDITIONS FOR APPLICATION listed on page 2.**

**Authorized Signature for Applicant**

**Name of Signer (type or print)**

**Title**

## CONDITIONS FOR APPLICATION

- a. As a condition of the accreditation, the applicant acknowledges that the International Accreditation Service, Inc. (IAS), staff or authorized representative(s) may conduct unannounced assessments of the facilities of the applicant, or other facilities where the applying or accredited laboratory conducts tests under this application, to verify compliance with the listing and applicable rules of procedure.
- b. Within 30 days of mailing of written demand by IAS, applicant shall reimburse IAS for all expenses related to accreditation. Reimbursable expenses include, but are not limited to, travel expenses and staff time.
- c. An IAS laboratory accreditation does not imply any guarantee or warranty, express or implied and including but not limited to any warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purpose, of any product tested by the applicant or accredited organization, or any guarantee or warranty of any nature by IAS concerning any tests conducted by the applicant or accredited organization. Applicant or accredited organization agrees that it shall have no cause of action or claim against IAS, International Code Council (ICC), or any of their affiliates, parent, or brother or sister corporations or their Successors-in-Interest or assigns, or the officers, directors, members and employees thereof (collectively, the “Indemnitees”), arising in any manner from any denial of this application or from any accreditation given pursuant to this application, whether or not such accreditation is or is not subject to any conditions. Applicant or accredited organization agrees to hold the Indemnitees harmless, and to protect, defend and indemnify them, with respect to any claim, liability, demand, action, judgment, proceeding, costs, damages and expenses (including attorneys’ fees) whether for personal injury, wrongful death, property damage, or any type of injury or damage whatsoever, arising from: (i) the application and accreditation; (ii) any certification or approval services of any nature provided by the applicant or accredited organization; (iii) the use of any service of any nature offered by the applicant or accredited organization, or the use or operation by any person of any product tested by the applicant or accredited organization, whether related to the matters set forth in the first sentence of this paragraph or otherwise; or (iv) the reference to or reliance upon, actual or asserted, any certification or approval given by the applicant or any testing services rendered by the applicant or accredited organization including but not limited to the results of any testing conducted by the applicant or accredited organization. California law shall apply to the interpretation hereof. If any part or portion of this paragraph, or any application thereof to particular facts, should be determined invalid, the provisions hereof shall be severable so as to achieve for the Indemnitees the maximum legal application. If this application relates to a (branch/satellite) laboratory listing or a renewal of an existing accreditation, the provisions of this paragraph shall apply from the date of the first granting of the branch/satellite laboratory listing, whether upon application or without application by applicant or a predecessor and regardless of: (i) intervening modifications of said listing or modifications pursuant to any application for renewal; (ii) any prior change in the number assigned to the listing; (iii) any prior change in ownership rights in or rights to said listing, or any branch or satellite laboratory listing, whether one or more, since the granting of said first branch/satellite laboratory listing.
- d. In consideration of the processing of this application, the applicant or accredited organization agrees to abide and be bound by any conditions attached to any listing or renewal thereof issued pursuant to this application, or any later amendment of said listing or renewal, the Rules of Procedure for Laboratory Accreditation, which by this reference are made a part hereof, the Accreditation Criteria for Testing Laboratories, which by this reference is made a part hereof, and the Accreditation Criteria for Calibration Laboratories, which by this reference is made a part hereof, and any additions, deletions, or changes to such Rules or Accreditation Criteria hereafter adopted. In agreeing to abide and be bound by the Rules of Procedure and the Accreditation Criteria, the applicant or accredited organization understands that the failure to do so may result in the revocation, suspension or modification of accreditation issued pursuant thereto in accordance with the terms of the Rules of Procedure.

**Authorized Signature for Applicant**

**Date**

*Forms may also be submitted directly via email to [iasinfo@iasonline.org](mailto:iasinfo@iasonline.org)*