



# CSA Group Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) Program

## VERIFIER APPLICATION FORM

### 1 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROGRAM OPERATOR

As per CAN/CSA-ISO 14025, Clause 8.2, CSA Group (as a Program Operator) has a responsibility to ensure that the minimum requirements for the competence of Verifiers are met. CSA Group accepts two types of Verifiers: organizations accredited by a body that has an Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) Verification accreditation program, and recognized Verification firms or individuals who have demonstrated that they meet the requirements as outlined in CAN/CSA-ISO 14025, Clause 8.2.2.

Organizations submitting EPDs to CSA Group shall ensure that the Verification of the EPD and data was performed by an approved Verifier. A list of approved Verifiers can be found at CSA Group's website. Non-approved Verifiers can apply to CSA Group to become a recognized Verifier by completing this application form.

### 2 DOCUMENTATION AND APPROVAL CRITERIA

CSA Group requires proof of the following competency requirements to assess and approve new individual Verification applicants, as per the requirements of CAN/CSA-ISO 14025, Clause 8.2.2:

- a) knowledge of relevant sector, product and product-related environmental aspects;
- b) process and product knowledge of the product category;
- c) expertise in life cycle assessment (LCA) and methodology for LCA work;
- d) knowledge of relevant standards in the fields of environmental labelling and declarations and LCA;
- e) knowledge of the regulatory framework within which requirements for EPDs have been prepared, if applicable; and
- f) knowledge of CSA Group's EPD program.

The applicant shall provide CSA Group with documentation to illustrate that the above competency requirements have been met. This documentation shall include a CV and two (2) professional references. CSA Group reserves the right to determine if the information as provided is acceptable.

Please submit completed application forms and CVs to: [epdregistry@csagroup.org](mailto:epdregistry@csagroup.org)

### 3 APPLICATION

<b>Application submission date:</b> (yyyy-mm-dd)	
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#### 3.1 Applicant Information

<b>Name of applicant:</b>	
<b>Position or title:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City:</b>	
<b>Province / state:</b>	
<b>Postal code / zip code:</b>	
<b>Country:</b>	
<b>Telephone no.:</b>	
<b>Fax no.:</b>	
<b>E-mail address:</b>	
<b>Applicant website:</b>	

#### 3.2 Sector Recognition

As per requirement 2 (a) and 2 (b), please indicate, in the table below, the sectors for which you possess process and product knowledge.

*Note: This shall be supported by the submitted documentation.*


### 3.3 Professional References

Provide contact details for two (2) professional references, preferably those who can attest to your experience with EPD and/or LCA Verification.

<b>Name of reference #1:</b>	
<b>Position or title:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City:</b>	
<b>Province / state:</b>	
<b>Postal code / zip code:</b>	
<b>Country:</b>	
<b>Telephone no.:</b>	
<b>E-mail address:</b>	
<b>Brief description of how you know the reference:</b>	

<b>Name of reference #2:</b>	
<b>Position or title:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City:</b>	
<b>Province / state:</b>	
<b>Postal code / zip code:</b>	
<b>Country:</b>	
<b>Telephone no.:</b>	
<b>E-mail address:</b>	
<b>Brief description of how you know the reference:</b>	

#### 4 DECLARATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_, confirm that the information provided in the Verifier application form, the attached CV and any other documentation is true and accurate. By signing this form, I attest that I understand the requirements of ISO 14025 Clause 8.2.2 and that I meet these requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

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Date (yyyy-mm-dd)