



# Heads Up

Issue: 134

Date: 2008/09/19

To: ANAB-Accredited and Applicant CBs and Accreditation Assessors

From: Randy Dougherty, Vice President, ANAB

Re: Expanded OHSMS Program

Since September 2005, ANAB has offered accreditation of CBs to certify the occupation health and safety management systems of organizations to ANSI/AIHA Z10. ANAB has now modified this program to include CSA Z1000 and BS OHSAS 18001 with ANSI/AIHA Z10 as a suite of standards to which CBs may certify.

The expanded program presents a great opportunity, as a CB can apply concurrently for accreditation to offer certification to any of these three standards. A witnessed audit to any one of the three standards will be accepted for accreditation for all three standards. That's three for the price of one!

Requirements for the expanded ANAB accreditation program for OHSMS are detailed in Accreditation Rule 30, which has just been published.