ARCA Acronyms

APEGA	The Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Alberta
ARCA	Alberta Roofing Contractors Association
ASET	The Association of Science & Engineering Technology Professionals of Alberta
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers Inc.
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
BUR	Built-up Roofing
CAN	National Standard of Canada
CCMC	Canadian Construction Materials Centre
CGSB	Canadian General Standards Board
CEC	Canadian Electrical Code
CRCA	Canadian Roofing Contractors Association
CSA	Canadian Standards Association
CSC	Construction Specifications Canada
EPDM	Ethylene-propylene-diene monomer
EVT	Equiviscous temperature
HVAC	Heating, Ventilating and Air-Conditioning
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
LEED	Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design
MBM	Modified Bituminous Membrane
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheets
NBC - AE	National Building Code – Alberta Edition
NBRCA	New Brunswick Roofing Contractors Association
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NRCA	National Roofing Contractors Association
NRCC	National Research Council of Canada
OH&S	Occupational Health & Safety
PIF	Project Information Form
PIMA	Polyisocyanurate Insulation Manufacturers Association
PMA	Protected Membrane Assemblies
PMR	Protected Membrane Roofs
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PV	Photovoltaic
PVC	Polyvinyl Chloride
PVRA	Photovoltaic Roofing Assembly
RCABC	Roofing Contractors Association of British Columbia
RSI	Thermal resistance is SI units
SBS	Styrene-butadiene-styrene
SI	Systeme Internationale (metric system)
SMACNA	Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors National Association
SPRI	Single Ply Roofing Industry
SRCA	Saskatchewan Roofing Contractors Association
TPO	Thermoplastic Polyolefin
ULC	Underwriters Laboratories of Canada
UV	Ultraviolet
WHMIS	Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System