

# Commissioning Guide

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## 1. Commissioning 12 Step Process

1	Design Manager Designates CxA
2	Owner develops Owner's Project Requirements (OPR) Consultant develops Basis of Design (BOD/CDR & DDR)
3	CxA Reviews OPR and BOD, reports issues to Design Manager
4	CxA develops and presents commissioning manual based on OPR and BOD – Design Manager Approves
5	CxA conducts commissioning design review at 66% and 99% Reports issues to Design Manager
6	Consultant incorporates commissioning requirements into construction documents, CxA reviews
7	CxA reviews Contractor submittals
8	Consultants & CxA verify contractors Installation, start-up & functional performance of installed systems
9	Consultant Provides Updated Systems Description for Commissioned systems to be incorporated in O&M Document
10	CxA verifies training requirements completed
11	CxA develops summary Commissioning Report
12	CxA reviews building Operation within 10 months of Substantial Completion



### Purpose of the Guide

Transportation and Infrastructure, Building Design and Construction Division has developed and implemented a Commissioning Process which is intended to be used on all building projects. This Guide will detail the process and provide clarification to all users as to their roles and responsibilities. The process is to be used consistently on projects province wide, providing a measure that the Owner has received a final product that meets or exceeds their expectations.

### 3. Intent of Commissioning

To verify that the project's systems and components are installed, calibrated and perform according to the Owner's Project Requirements (OPRs), Basis of Design (BOD) and construction documents.

### 4. Definition of Commissioning

An intensive quality assurance process, that begins at the beginning of the project and continues through to the first year of occupancy. The process focuses upon verifying and documenting that the facility and all of its systems and assemblies are planned, designed, installed, tested, operated, and maintained to meet the Owner's Project Requirements.

#### 5. Reference Codes and Standards

- 1. ASHRAE GUIDELINE 0-2005 The Commissioning Process
- 2. LEED ® Canada for New Construction and Major Renovations 2009
- 3. Canada Standards Association Z320-11 Building Commissioning
- 4. Natural Resources Canada 1st Edition Commissioning Guide for New Buildings

## 6. Commissioning Process Overview

The concept design phase is critical for the success of the whole commissioning process as it defines the "Owner's Project Requirements" that will guide the design, construction and operation of the facility.

In the design phase, the project evolves from the concept to plan, drawings and specifications. The commissioning activities ensure that as the building becomes reality, its systems and operations reflect the OPR.

During the construction phase, numerous aspects of the project are monitored and implemented to ensure the building systems and equipment are installed and tested according to the OPRs.

The initial occupancy and operations phase is essential to close successfully the Commissioning process and to ensure that the expected benefits will persist beyond the typical on-year warranty period.

## 7. Commissioning Team

The commissioning team shall be comprised of:





- 1. Commissioning Authority (CxA)
- 2. Design Manager (DM)
- 3. Construction Manager (CM)
- 4. Design Consultant (DC)
- 5. General Contractor (GC)
- 6. Project Coordinator (PC)
- 7. Technical Services Inspector (TSI)
- 8. Sub-Contractors
- 9. Building Manager (BM)
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#### 8. Abbreviations

BM - Building Manager

BOD - Basis of Design

CDR - Concept Design Report

CM - Construction Manager

CxA - Commissioning Authority

DC - Design Consultant

DDR - Design Development Report

DM - Design Manager

GC - General Contractor

IFC - Issued for Construction

IFT - Issued for Tender

LEED - Leadership Energy Environmental Design

PC - Project Coordinator

TSI - Technical Services Inspector

**OPR - Owner Project Requirements** 

PMDA - Project Management Design and Administration Manual

#### 9. Definitions

Basis of Design – documentation of the primary thought processes and assumptions behind design decision that were made to meet the Owner's Project Requirements. The Basis of Design describes the systems, components, conditions, and methods chosen to meet the OPR.

**Commissioning** – a systematic verification, documentation, and training process applies to all activities during the design, construction, static verification, start-up and functional performance testing of equipment and systems in a facility to ensure that the facility operates in conformity with the Owner's Project Requirements and the Basis of Design in accordance with the contract documents.

**Commissioning Authority** – and individual identified by an owner to lead the commissioning team in the implementation of the commissioning process.

**Commissioning Checklists** – the forms used to document the inspections, test, etc., performed during the commissioning process

**Commissioning Manual** – manual that documents the commissioning process and contains all relevant information required to re-commission the facility.

Consultant - individual who provides specialized resources and skills

**Contract Documents** – the documents that form the basis of a contract between and owner and primary contractor. These include specifications, drawings, tender forms, change orders, addenda and site instructions.

**Contractor** – and individual or company that enterers into a contract with an owner to undertake a project

**Control System** – a local system that controls the operation or a stand-alone mechanical system or mechanical equipment. A control system comprises controlled devices, controlling devises, control wiring, power supply and a control air system.

**Construction Manager** – the individual responsible for coordinating the construction of the project.

**Deferred Testing** – the postponement of functional performance testing of equipment or systems due to the absence of required conditions (e.g. seasonal heating/cooling).

**Designer** – any special consultant who is involved in the planning and design process.

**Design Manager** – the individual responsible for coordinating the design of the project.

**Design Intent** – the performance that a design is intended to achieve in order to meet the OPR and BOD. This master plan for the system is sometimes referred to as the "design concept".

**Inspection** – a service provided as part of the normal scope of a designer's work.

**Installation verification** – inspections and checks completed prior to performance testing, ensuring that the facility is ready for performance testing.

**Issues Log** – A formal and ongoing record of problems or concerns, and their resolution that have been raised by the CxA or any member of the commissioning team. There are usually three different issues logs created: design review, construction observation and Performance Verification.

Maintenance and Data Manual – detailed document that provides the operating and maintenance requirements and associated data for the safe and efficient operation of specific pieces of equipment and systems

Owner - the entity that represents the interests of the facility



Owner's Project Requirements (OPR) – a dynamic document that provides the explanation of the ideas, concepts, and criteria that are considered to be very important to the owner. The OPR should cite specific measurable goals for the owner's objective to the greatest extent possible.

**Performance Testing** – a full range of tests under actual load, conducted to verify that specific systems, components and interfaces between systems conform to a given criteria.

**Seasonal Testing** – testing of equipment and systems that have been functionally tested during winter or summer conditions and require retesting during the opposite conditions.

**Systems Operation Manual** – a document that describes the operation of all the systems and equipment in a facility. Detail modes of operation and includes associated diagrams that illustrate the sequence of operation for each system and interaction between individual systems.



### 10. STEP 1 – Assign Commissioning Authority

Designate an individual as the Commissioning Authority (CxA) to lead, review, and oversee the completion of the commissioning process activities. This is requested by the Design Manager to the Manager of the Building Design and Construction Division, who will then assign staff appropriately.

Ideally, the project team should designate an individual as the CxA as early as possible in the project timeline, preferably during pre-design. The qualified individual designated as the CxA serves as an objective advocate for the Owner and is responsible for the following:

- 1. Directing the Commissioning Team and process in the completion of the commissioning requirements.
- 2. Coordinating, overseeing, and/or performing the commissioning testing.
- 3. Reviewing the results of the systems performance verification.

The CxA may be a qualified staff member of the Owner, an Owner's consultant to the project, or an employee of a firm providing design and/or construction management services. The CxA may not, however, have responsibility for design (e.g. be the engineer of record) or for construction. The CxA must report results, findings, and recommendations directly to the Design Manager.



#### 11. STEP 2 - Owner Project Requirements and Basis of Design

The Owner must document the project requirements, in a document referred to as "Owner Project Requirements" (OPR).

The Design Team must develop the Basis of Design, in a document referred to as "Basis of Design" (BOD).

The Owner and Design Team are responsible for updates to their respective documents.

Clear and concise documentation of the OPR and the BOD is a valuable part of successful project delivery and commissioning process. These documents are used throughout the commissioning process to provide a baseline and focus for validating systems' energy and environmental performance.

This document will become part of the final Commissioning Report.

#### 11.1 OWNER'S PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

The OPR must be developed by the Owner, and submitted to the TI Design Manager prior to the start of design. The purpose of this document is to clearly document the functional requirements and expectations of the Owner for the project and serves as a touchstone for all subsequent commissioning activities. Updates during the design and construction process are the responsibility of the Owner.

The OPR document should address the following issues, as applicable to the project:

- 1. Owner and user requirements
- 2. Environmental and sustainability goals
- 3. Energy efficiency goals
- 4. Indoor environmental quality requirements
- 5. Equipment and system expectations
- 6. Building occupant and operations/maintenance personnel requirements

The level of detail in the OPR can vary depending on the size and function of the facility, the owner's preferences, and the design team experience. A template table of contents for the OPR can be found in Appendix A.

Throughout the design process this document may be revised, a log of review comments and revision must be kept by the Design Manager.

#### 11.1.1 Owner and User Requirements

Describe the primary purpose, program, and use of the proposed project and any pertinent project history. Provide any overarching goals relative to program needs, future expansion, flexibility of function, quality of materials, and construction and operational costs.



#### 11.1.2 Environmental and sustainability goals

Describe any specific environmental or sustainability goals (e.g. LEED certification).

#### 11.1.3 Energy efficiency goals

Describe overall project energy efficiency goals relative to the local energy code, ASHRAE standard, MNECB, or LEED. Describe any goals or requirements for building orientation, landscaping, facade, fenestration, envelope and roof features that will affect energy use.

#### 11.1.4 Indoor environmental quality requirements

For each program or area, describe the intended use, anticipated occupancy schedules, space environmental requirements (including lighting, temperature, humidity, acoustics, air quality, and ventilation), desired adjustability of system controls, and accommodations for after-hours use. This can be accomplished most efficiently using typical room data sheets. A sample room data sheet can be found Appendix B.

#### 11.1.5 Equipment and system expectations

Describe the desired level of quality, reliability, type, automation, flexibility and maintenance requirements for each of the systems to be commissioned. When known, provide specific efficiency targets, desired technologies, or preferred manufacturers for building systems

#### 11.1.6 Building occupant and O&M personnel requirements

Describe how the facility will be operated and by whom. Describe the desired level of training and orientation required for the building occupants to understand and use the building systems.

#### 11.2 BASIS OF DESIGN

The Design Consultant must document the Basis of Design (BOD) for each discipline. During the process the Commissioning Authority, Design Manager, TI Technical review team, and Owner will have an opportunity to review and comment on the BOD. A log recording the comments and responses must be kept.

The BOD is the document that the designers prepare to identify the decisions, systems, and selections made to satisfy each of the Owner's Project Requirements and satisfy applicable regulatory requirements, standards, and guidelines. This document should be updated by the Design Consultant with each subsequent design submission, with increasing specificity as applicable.

The BOD should include the following, as applicable:

- 1. Major owner's requirement
- 2. Primary design assumptions
- 3. Design decisions

- 4. Codes
- 5. Standards
- 6. Regulatory requirements
- 7. Narrative descriptions

A table of contents for the BOD can be found in Appendix C. This format should be carried throughout the entire design process in order to facilitate the review process.

The BOD is the preliminary document showing an understanding of the design requirements of the Owner. Often this can be the same document as the Concept report. Clarification from the CxA should be sought for each project.

Subsequently, the Concept Design Report (CDR) gets further developed into the Design Development Report (DDR). The TI Project Management Design and Administration Manual (PMDA) should be referenced for the level of detail required. From the DDR the CxA will extract the System Descriptions and equipment lists required for the Cx Manual. The Consultant shall insure that this information is readily available.

#### Primary design assumptions 11.2.1

Include space use, redundancy, diversity, climatic design conditions, space zoning, occupancy, operations, and space environmental requirements.

#### 11.2.2 **Standards**

Include applicable codes, guidelines, regulations, and other references that will be put into practice.

#### 11.2.3 Narrative descriptions

Include performance criteria for the HVAC&R systems, lighting systems, hot water systems, onsite power systems, and other systems to be commissioned. All disciplines shall be addressed.

#### 12. STEP 3 - OPR and BOD Review

The CxA must review the Owner's Project Requirements and the Basis of Design for clarity and completeness. The Owner and Design Team are responsible for updates to their respective documents.

The CxA must ensure that the Basis of Design reflects the Owner's Project Requirements. Both documents must be reviewed by the CxA for completeness prior to the approval of contractor submittals of any commissioned equipment or systems.



### 13. STEP 4 - Commissioning Manual

The CxA develops and issues a project specific Commissioning Manual. Input is required from the commissioning team. The Commissioning Manual is the reference document that identifies the strategies, aspects, and responsibilities within the commissioning process for each phase of a project for all project team members. This document outlines the overall process, schedule, organization, responsibilities, and documentation requirements of the commissioning process.

The Commissioning Manual is developed at the start of the commissioning process, preferably during design development, and is updated during the course of a project to reflect any changes in planning, schedule, or other aspects. As this document is reviewed and revised, a log of comments and responses must be kept. The following list outlines required components of the Commissioning Manual.

- 1. Commissioning Program Overview
  - a. Goals and objectives
  - b. General project information
  - c. Systems to be commissioned
  - d. Schedule
- 2. Commissioning Team
  - a. Team members, roles, and responsibilities.
  - b. Communication protocol, coordination, meetings, and management.
- 3. Commissioning Process Activities
  - a. Documenting the Owner's Project Requirements
  - b. Preparing the Basis of Design
  - c. Reviewing the design phase documentation
  - d. Reviewing the construction phase documentation
  - e. Developing systems functional test procedures
  - f. Verifying systems installation and functional performance
  - g. Reporting deficiencies and the resolution process
  - h. Accepting the building systems
  - Documenting the commissioning review process
  - j. Reviewing contractor submittals
  - k. Developing the Systems Manual
  - I. Verifying the training of operations personnel
  - m. Reviewing building operation after final acceptance
  - n. 10 month warranty review and occupant survey
  - o. Listing the commissioning process milestones

Template table of contents for the Commissioning Manual can be found Appendix D.



## 14. STEP 5 - CxA Design Document Review

The CxA should review the OPR, BOD, and design documents (concept and design development reports, drawings and specifications) to give the Owner and Design Team an independent assessment of the state of the design for the commissioned systems. Typically, a design review performed by the CxA focuses on the following issues:

- 1. Ensuring clarity, completeness, and compliance with the OPR.
- 2. Verifying that all issues discussed in the OPR are addressed adequately in the BOD.
- 3. Reviewing design documents for achieving the OPR and BOD and coordination of commissioned systems.

Specific review items will vary from project to project, however, generally will include:

- 1. During the design process:
  - a. The CxA does a general review to ensure that the basic level of quality is present in the design, checking for items such as legibility, labeling, and continuation of items from sheet to sheet.
  - b. The CxA examines the implication of system choices to ensure that the design will meet the specifications in the OPR.
  - c. The CxA reviews system schematics to verify that the general arrangement of systems and equipment is in alignment with the OPR and BOD.
  - d. The CxA will review the design decisions for:
    - i. Sizing and selection of building systems and equipment
    - ii. Accessibility of equipment for operations and maintenance
    - iii. Energy impact of design decisions
    - iv. Details of the controls design relative to equipment being controlled
    - v. Ability of controls interface to facilitate trending and identify equipment faults during Performance Verification
    - vi. Identification and access of test ports, sensors and in-situ measurements devices for use in Performance Verification
    - vii. Identification of any potential barriers to good Operations and Maintenance of the facility design and suggest alternative approaches
- 2. Construction Document Review will generally consist of:
  - a. Details on energy efficiency, maintenance requirements and other detailed required to ensure compliance with the OPR
  - b. Equipment and sensor selection and testing tolerances
  - c. Manufacturer's recommended start-up tests
  - d. Warranty data
  - e. Controls submittals for inclusion of required control points
  - f. Controls submittals for functional capabilities in trending points
  - g. Operation and Maintenance Manual content

Review comments from the CxA will follow through the normal TI review process.

Additional reviews by the CxA throughout the design and construction process may be advisable and appropriate depending on the project duration, phasing, and complexity.



The Commissioning Manual shall be completed and issued as part of the tender package.



#### 15. STEP 6 - Construction Documents

Develop and incorporate commissioning requirements into the construction documents. The designer is responsible for the specification, although the CxA will draft and review final revision of the specification.

The project specifications are used to inform contractors of their responsibilities in the commissioning process.

Commissioning requirements are outlined in the construction specifications. The specification defines the contractors' commissioning related responsibilities, including equipment installation, start-up, documentation, Installation Verification, and Performance Verification.

The Commissioning Manual will be part of the Construction Document package.

The following items should be included in the construction documents:

- 1. Commissioning team involvement
- 2. Contractors' responsibilities (e.g. schedule, supply of manpower, tools, equipment, etc)
- 3. Submittal review procedures for commissioned systems
- 4. Operations and maintenance documentation, system manuals
- 5. Meeting requirements, frequency, attendance
- 6. Inspection verification procedures
- 7. Startup plan development and implementation
- 8. Performance Verification
- 9. Acceptance and closeout
- 10. Training requirements
- 11. Warranty review site visit



#### 16. STEP 7 - Contractor Submittal Review

The CxA should review contractor submittals applicable to the systems being commissioned for compliance with the OPRs and BOD. This review must be concurrent with the architect's or engineer's reviews and submitted to the Design Team and the Owner.

The CxA should review the contractor submittals and identify any issues that might otherwise result in rework or change orders. The CxA should specifically evaluate the submittals for the following:

- 1. Conformance with the OPRs and BOD
- 2. Fulfilling operation and maintenance requirements
- 3. Facilitating performance testing

The CxA review of contractor submittals does not typically replace or alter the scope or responsibility of the Design Team's role in approving submittals.



#### 17. STEP 8 - Construction Phase Commissioning Activities

Commissioning is conducted to verify the performance of commissioned systems as installed to meet the OPR, BOD, and contract documents.

Verification of the installation and performance of commissioned systems typically includes 3 steps for each commissioned system:

- 1. Installation Verification
- 2. Performance testing
- 3. Comparison of the results with OPR and BOD

Sample checklists can be found Appendix E.

#### 17.1 COMMISSIONING MEETINGS

During the design and construction process commissioning meetings are held on a regular basis. The schedule of meetings should be documented as early as possible during the construction phase. As the schedule changes a minimum of two weeks notice will be given for change in time and location, allowing all team members to adjust their schedules accordingly.

#### 17.1.1 Kickoff Meeting

The kickoff meeting brings together all members of the design, construction, and operations team that will be involved in the Commissioning Process. Each building system to be commissioned is addressed, including commissioning requirements, and completion and start-up schedules.

Meetings will be chaired by the CxA or CM; meeting minutes will be prepared and issued by the CxA or CM. Clarifications to the minutes must be submitted within 5 days of issue, after which, the issued set becomes the official project record.

#### Required attendance:

- 1. Owner
- 2. Construction Manager
- 3. Design team
- 4. General Contractor
- 5. Representative from each sub-contractor

#### Typical Agenda items:

- 1. Scope of work
- 2. Tasks
- 3. Schedules
- 4. Deliverables
- 5. Documentation process
- 6. Communications process
- 7. Roles and responsibilities



Sample agenda and minutes can be found in Appendix I. The same agenda will be used for all Commissioning meetings, with additions or deletions as necessary.

#### 17.1.2 Monthly Cx Meeting

Convene Cx meetings following project meetings to resolve issues, monitor progress and identify deficiencies relating to Cx.

The CxA may attend in person if schedules match, otherwise teleconference will be initiated.

During these meetings general status updates are provided by the contractor, clarifications of requirements are discusses and questions regarding general Commissioning Process will be answered.

Meetings will be chaired by the CxA or CM; meeting minutes will be prepared and issued by the CxA or CM. Clarifications to the minutes must be submitted within 5 days of issue, after which, the issued set becomes the official project record.

#### 17.1.3 60% Construction Completion

At 60% construction completion stage CxA to call a separate Cx meeting to review progress, discuss schedule of equipment start-up activities and prepare for Cx. Issues at meeting to include:

- 1. Review duties and responsibilities of Contractor and subcontractors, addressing delays and potential problems.
- 2. Determine the degree of involvement of trades and manufacturer's representatives in the commissioning process.

The CxA will typically visit the site at this time to determine if progress is meeting the schedule and to identify any issues that may affect the Commissioning Process.

Meetings will be chaired by the CxA or CM; meeting minutes will be prepared and issued by the CxA or CM. Clarifications to the minutes must be submitted within 5 days of issue, after which, the issued set becomes the official project record.

#### 17.2 Installation Verification

Installation Verifications are a systematic set of procedures intended to identify whether individual system components have been installed properly. This process occurs prior to startup of individual units of equipment and involves using "Installation Verification Check Lists" to ensure consistency in the inspections and document the process.

Installation Verifications are performed by the installing contractor. Installation Verifications provide quality control to ensure that relatively minor issues (e.g., an improperly wired sensor, a control valve installed backward) are discovered and corrected prior to systems performance testing.



The Installation Verification process is typically witnessed and verified by the TSI, however, in some cases Transportation and Infrastructure may opt to have the CxA or other representative observe and verify.

#### 17.3 Performance Verification

Systems Performance Verification will occur once all system components are installed, energized, programmed, balanced, and otherwise ready for operation under part- and full-load conditions. The Installation Verification Checklists, Testing-Adjusting-Balancing report will be reviewed and accepted by the Design Consultant and CxA prior to start of Performance Verification.

Testing should include each process in the sequence of operations under central and packaged equipment control, including startup, shutdown, capacity modulation, emergency and failure modes, alarms, and interlocks to other equipment.

Systems Performance Verification typically relies on testing procedures developed by the CxA specifically for the system to be tested. A wide variety of methods may be used to simulate and evaluate that the system being tested performs as expected (per the OPRs, BOD, and contract documents) in all modes of operation.

Systems Performance Verification will be performed by the installing contractor, and others, depending on the procedures outlined in the commissioning specifications and the Commissioning Manual. The Performance verifications will be witnessed by the CxA, TSIs, CM, DC, or any combination of as required. It may reveal problems with the performance of the commissioned systems and may require significant follow-up and coordination among members of the project team.

If any verification sequence cannot be completed because of seasonal limitations, lack of occupancy, or other reasons, this is recorded along with an indication of when the test will be rescheduled.

#### 17.4 COMMISSIONING LOG

The CxA should maintain a formal and ongoing record of problems or concerns and their resolution that have been raised by any member of the project team.

This is not a substitute for the consultant's deficiency list. The consultants' list verifies that equipment has been delivered and installed as required by the specification, while the Commissioning issues log documents findings that affect the way equipment operates and systems interact.

A template for the Commissioning Log can be found in Appendix K



#### 17.5 COMMISSIONING ACTIVITY EVALUATION

Evaluation of results is the final step. At each point in the process of Installation Verification and Performance Verification, the CxA should evaluate whether the installed systems meet the criteria for the project as set forth by in the Owner's Project Requirements and the Basis of Design documents.

Any discrepancies or deficiencies should be reported to the Owner, and the team should work collaboratively to find an appropriate resolution.



#### 18. STEP 9 - Systems Manual

The Design Consultant shall provide a Systems Manual in addition to the O&M manuals submitted by the contractor. The Systems Manual generally focuses on operating rather than maintaining the equipment, particularly the interactions. The Systems Manual gives future operating staff the information needed to understand and optimally operate the commissioned systems.

The Systems Manual should include the following for each commissioned system:

- 1. Final version of the Basis of Design
- 2. Detailed Design Report
- 3. System single-line diagrams
- 4. As-built sequences of operations, control drawings, and original set-points
- 5. Operating instructions for integrated building systems
- 6. Recommended schedule of maintenance requirements and frequency, if not already included in the project O&M manuals
- 7. Recommended schedule for retesting of commissioned systems with blank test forms from the original Commissioning Manual
- 8. Recommended schedule for calibrating sensors and actuators
- 9. Contact information for design team, contractors, suppliers, etc



### 19. STEP 10 - Training Verification

The CxA establishes and documents training expectations and needs with the Owner. Ensure that operations staff and occupants receive this training and orientation. Pay particular attention to new or uncommon sustainable design features that could be overridden or removed because of a lack of understanding. Document that the training was completed according to the contract documents.

Have a contract in place to review operation with O&M staff and occupants, including a plan for resolution of outstanding commissioning-related issues 10 months after substantial completion. The training shall ensure:

- 1. Safe, reliable, cost-effective, energy-efficient operation of systems in normal and emergency modes under all conditions.
- 2. Effective on-going inspection, measurements of system performance.
- 3. Proper preventive maintenance, diagnosis, trouble-shooting and maintenance.
- 4. Ability to update documentation.
- 5. Ability to operate equipment and systems under emergency conditions until appropriate qualified assistance arrives.

The Contractor is responsible for supplying the following training materials to all trainees:

- 1. "As-Built" Contract Documents.
- 2. Operating Manual.
- 3. Maintenance Manual.
- 4. Testing, adjusting and balancing and performance verification reports where applicable.

Training materials to be in a format that permits future training procedures to the same degree of detail with or without the instructor.

#### 19.1 COMMON TRAINING TOPICS

- 1. General purpose of system (design intent)
- 2. Use of and review of O&M manuals
- 3. Review of control drawings and schematics
- 4. Review of system layout, equipment, components and controls.
- 5. Startup, normal operation, monitoring, shutdown, unoccupied operation, seasonal changeover, manual operation, maintenance
- 6. Operation, control setup and programming troubleshooting, and alarms
- 7. Interactions with other systems
- 8. Adjustments and optimizing methods for energy conservation
- 9. Health and safety issues
- 10. Special maintenance and replacement sources
- 11. Occupant interaction issues
- 12. System response to different operating conditions
- 13. Emergency protocols
- 14. Trouble-shooting diagnosis.



### 20. STEP 11 - Summary Commissioning Report

After Installation Verifications and performance verification has been completed, the completed forms shall be submitted to the CxA who will then assemble a commissioning report. Supporting information can be compiled as a Cx record but is not required in the summary.

The commissioning report should include the following:

- Executive summary of the process and the results of the commissioning program, including
  - a. Observations
  - b. Conclusions
  - c. Any major outstanding items
- 2. Description of commissioning process benefits
- 3. Owner's Project Requirements
- 4. Basis of Design report
- 5. Commissioning Plan
- 6. Project commissioning specifications
- 7. Summary of the design review process
- 8. Summary of the submittal review process
- 9. Installation Verification checklists (construction checklist)
- 10. Performance Verification checklists (test results forms and evaluation)
- 11. Summary of the O&M documentation
- 12. Summary of the training process
- 13. History of any system deficiencies identified and how they were resolved, including any outstanding issues or seasonal testing scheduled for a later date
- 14. Confirmation from the CxA indicating whether individual systems meet the Owner's Project Requirements, Basis of Design, and contract documents
- 15. Outstanding issues
- 16. Contractor plan for resolution within 10 months of substantial completion
- 17. Occupancy and operation evaluation reports
- 18.An evaluation of the operating condition of the systems at the time of functional test completion
- 19. Deficiencies that were discovered and the measures taken to correct them
- 20. Performance Verification test procedures and results
- 21. Reports documenting all Commissioning field activities as they progressed
- 22. A description and estimated schedule of required deferred testing

Template table of contents for the Commissioning Manual can be found Appendix D.

#### 21. STEP 12 - 10 Month Building Review

The CxA should coordinate with the Owner and the O&M staff to review the facility and its performance within 10 months of substantial completion. All unresolved construction



deficiencies as well as any deficiencies identified in this post-occupancy review should be documented and corrected under manufacturer or contractor warranties.

The CxA review of the building operation with operations staff and occupants should identify any problems in operating the building as originally intended. Any significant issues identified by the CxA that will not be corrected should be recorded in the Systems Manual.

A sample Occupant Survey can be found in Appendix H.



### 22. Roles and Responsibilities

#### 22.1 COMMISSIONING AUTHORITY ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Reviews Owner's Project Requirements, Basis of Design and design documents at all stages of submittal and provides comments to the DM
- 2. Records all comments as history for the project commissioning
- 3. Produces the Commissioning Manual for review by the DM and DC, and modifies based on their comments as necessary
- 4. Provides "Issued for Construction" Commissioning Manual to the DM
- Provides guidance on the Commissioning Process, and responsibilities of Commissioning Team members
- 6. Reviews contractor shop drawings for related commissioning information
- 7. Coordinates and chairs (in person or via teleconference) the commissioning kick-off meeting and progress meetings
- 8. Prepares and distributed the meeting agenda and minutes
- 9. Attends when necessary Installation Verification
- 10. Reviews completed Installation Verification checklists and signs off
- 11. Attends Performance Verification and signs off on check lists
- 12. Attends owner training sessions
- 13. Verifies that training is complete
- 14. Reviews completed Cx manual as submitted by the contractor
- 15. Prepares Summary Commissioning Report and submits to the CM for the Owner
- 16. Prepares letter for CM indicating acceptance of the completed commissioning activities
- 17. Verifies that seasonal or deferred Commissioning is completed
- 18. Coordinates 10 month building review and issues occupant survey

#### 22.2 DESIGN MANAGER ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Reviews Owner's Project Requirements, Basis of Design and design documents at all stages of submittal. Compiles all comments from all reviewers and submits to document originator
- 2. Submits all documentation required by the CxA in a timely manner
- 3. Identifies Cx team members
- 4. Provides a list of equipment and systems included in the design to the CxA for inclusion in preliminary manual
- 5. Reviews Cx manual in draft and final revisions. Provides comments to the CxA as necessary on the Commissioning Manual
- Forwards the Cx Manual for review by the DC, receives comments and issues them to the CxA
- 7. Ensures that the Cx Manual is issued with the tender documents
- 8. Issues IFC Cx Manual to the CM
- 9. Reviews contractor shop drawings and provide comments to the CM
- 10. Attends Cx kick-off meeting during the design phase
- 11. Attends commissioning progress meetings as required

- 12. Attends Installation Verification as required
- 13. Attends Cx Performance Verification or provides representative
- 14. Attends training sessions or sends representative knowledgeable in the design
- 15. Assists with 10 month building review

#### 22.3 OWNER / BUILDING MANAGER ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Produces the Owner Project Requirements and submits to the Design Manager
- 2. Reviews the Basis of Design developed by the Design Consultant and provides comments to the Design Manager
- 3. Reviews all design documents and provides comments to the Design Manager
- 4. Coordinates maintenance staff participation in Cx activities
- 5. Reviews O&M documentation and attends training
- 6. Attends all training sessions
- 7. Receives and retains a copy of the Commissioning Summary Report
- 8. Provides maintenance representatives to facilitate the 10 month building review as necessary
- 9. Attends commissioning meetings as necessary

#### 22.4 CONSTRUCTION MANAGER ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Main contact for CxA during construction phase
- 2. Distributes "Issued for Construction" Cx Manual to GC
- 3. Notifies CxA of any Cx related issues raised during construction (i.e. change Orders)
- 4. Provides times during any project meetings to discuss Cx with the entire team
- 5. Attends Cx meetings (construction phase)
- 6. Coordinates Cx schedule for Installation Verification and Performance Verification with GC and ensures all TI representatives are available to witness testing as required for Installation Verification and Performance Verification
- 7. Attend Performance Verification
- 8. Ensures Cx Team is following/completing Cx Manual
- 9. Ensures a copy of the Systems manual received from the Design Consultant is distributed as necessary, particularly to the CxA for inclusion in the Summary Commissioning Report.
- 10. Coordinates training schedules, and arranges for video recording of sessions if required
- 11. Reviews project record documents
- 12. Ensures that O&M manuals, maintenance materials, as-built drawings and warranties have been submitted and reviewed
- 13. Provides CxA with reviewed As Built documents, O&M Manuals, and Warranties for inclusion in the Summary Commissioning Report
- 14. Receives the completed Commissioning Manual from the GC and submits to the CxA for review
- 15. Receives the Summary Commissioning Report from the CxA and submits to the Owner
- 16. Coordinates 10 month building review and issues occupant survey
- 17. Verifies that all maintenance materials, spare parts and tools are received from the GC as per specifications

#### 22.5 GENERAL CONTRACTOR ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Maintains as-built drawings on site during construction
- 2. Submits shop drawing in accordance with the specifications
- 3. Ensures the Commissioning Manual is on site and being completed and kept up to date by all sub-trades
- 4. Executes the Cx process ensuring that sub-trades perform their responsibilities and integrate Cx into the construction process
- 5. Ensures equipment manufacturers and vendors provide documentation to facilitate the Commissioning work and perform startups
- Coordinates and schedules Cx activities, submits schedule for review and comment by TI staff
- 7. Conducts Installation Verification and signs off checklists
- 8. Provides written confirmation all systems are operational prior to start of Performance Verification
- 9. Conducts Performance Verification with all required Commissioning Team members present
- 10. Ensures that all required personal are available for the verification
- 11. Maintains an up to date version of the Cx manual on site with checklists completed on installed/operational systems
- 12. Provides all required training,
  - a. Coordinates location, schedule
  - b. Provides facilities (location, materials)
  - c. Ensure qualified factory trained technicians are available to facilitate training
  - d. Provides copies of all training material
- 13. Obtains occupancy approvals/permits
- 14. Submits completed manual to Construction Manager
- 15. Provides the following information for inclusion in the Commissioning Summary Report
  - a. Training Records
    - b. Operation and Maintenance Manuals
    - c. Warranties
    - d. Completed commissioning Checklists
    - e. List of spare parts turned over
- 16. Supplies maintenance materials and tools as per specification
- 17. Attends all commissioning meetings
- 18. Provides services for corrective actions for issued uncovered in the 10 Month Building Review.

#### 22.6 PROJECT COORDINATOR ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

If there is no Project Coordinator assigned to the project, then these duties are completed by the Construction Manager.

- 1. Attends Installation Verification and Performance Verification demonstrations
- 2. Ensures Cx manual is on site and kept up to date by the GC
- 3. Verifies maintenance materials are provided by the GC as per the contract documents
- 4. Ensures GC is maintaining as-built drawings on site during construction
- 5. Attends training sessions as necessary and directed by the Construction Manager



6. Attends all commissioning meetings

#### 22.7 TECHNICAL SERVICES INSPECTOR ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attends Installation Verification and Performance Verification for equipment within their discipline
- 2. Signs off on commissioning checklists within their discipline
- 3. Attends training sessions as necessary and directed by the Construction Manager
- 4. Attends all commissioning meetings

#### 22.8 DESIGN CONSULTANT ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. Reviews the Owner Project Requirements and provides comment to the Design Manager
- Produces the Basis of Design and submits to the Design Manager for review and comment. Revise as necessary based on comments and changes in Owner Project Requirements
- 3. Develops system descriptions and forwards to the CxA, for inclusion in the Commissioning Manual
- 4. Reviews drafts of the Commissioning Manual, including the installation and Performance Verification checklists, and provides comments to the Design Manager,
- 5. Provides project narrative for inclusion in the Commissioning Manual
- 6. The Consultant shall provide to the Commissioning Authority a complete list of ALL equipment and information required to populate the commissioning checklists with the following information:
  - a. identification number
  - b. location
  - c. type, proposed manufacture, make, model
  - d. operating parameter (max, normal, min)
  - e. electrical requirements
  - f. control comments
  - q. other pertinent information
- 7. Incorporates commissioning specification into the project documents
- 8. Reviews contractor shop drawing submittals
- 9. Attends periodic site visits to ensure systems meet the design intent and operate as outline in the specifications
- 10. Attends and signs off checklist for Installation Verification
- 11. Attends Performance Verification and signs off on checklists for the appropriate discipline
- 12. Develops and submits Systems Manuals to the Construction Manager (these will be included in the Commissioning Summary Report)
- 13. Provides system overview during training
- 14. Attends training as required
- 15. Attends commissioning meetings
- 16. Attends 10 month building review activities



## 23. Communications Plan / Deliverables

The following table lists all communications and deliverables with respect to Commissioning for the project. The purpose of this list is to summarize expected communications and deliverables for a typical project. This may be modified to be project specific as required.

Communication  O = Owner R = Recipient P = Participant C = Recipient & Commenter  Planning / Programming P	When  Daily Weekly Monthly Bi-Monthly Yearly	How  Email PDF Conf. Call Tech Doc FTP etc	Commissioning Authority	Design Manager	TI Technical Reviewers	Owner	Prime Consultant	Construction Manager	Contractor	Sub-Contractors	Contractor Cx Coordinator	Project Coordinator	Technical Service Inspectors
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Concept Design and Design	<u>gn Developm</u>	ent Phase											
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Requirements			Ļ										
Owner Project													
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Comment Log				0									
Systems Descriptions			R				0						
Equipment Lists			R	Р			0						
Commissioning Manual			0	С	С	С							
Commissioning Manual													
Comment Log			0										
Concept Report			С	C, R	С	С	0						
Concept Report				0									
Comment Log				Ů									
Design Development			С	C, R	С	С	0						
Report Design Development													
Report, Drawings and Specifications Comment Log				0									
Drawings			С	C, R	С	С	0						
Specifications			С	C, R	С	С	0						
Detailed Design Phase													
Owner Project Requirements			C, R	C, R	R	0	R						
Basis of Design			C, R	C, R	R	C, R	0						
Commissioning Manual			0, 10	C	C	C, K	С						
Concept Report			С	C, R	С	С	0						



Communication  o = Owner	When  Daily  Weekly	How Email PDF Conf. Call	Commissioning Authority	Design Manager	TI Technical Reviewers		Prime Consultant	Construction Manager	or	Sub-Contractors	Contractor Cx Coordinator	Project Coordinator	Technical Service Inspectors
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Specifications			С	C, R	О	С	0						
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Tender Documents													
Drawings			R	R		R	0	R	R	R	R	R	R
Specifications			R	R		R	0	R	R	R	R	R	R
Commissioning Manual			0	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Addendums			R			R	0	R	R	R	R	R	R
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During Construction													
Shop Drawings			С	С	С		С	С	0			С	С
Commissioning Manual			0					R	R				
Commissioning Meeting			_	_			_	_	_	_	_		_
Agenda			0	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
Commissioning Meeting			0	R		R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R
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Project Schedule)									_				
Commissioning Log			0	Р	Р	R	R		R				
Systems Manual			R	R			0	R					
0&M Manuals			R	R		R		R	0		_		
Training Agenda			C, R	R		P	R	Р	0	R	R	R	R
Training Schedule			R	R		Р	R	Р	0		R	R	R
Training Records			R			R		R	0				
Summary Commissioning Report			0	R		R	R	R					
Site Inspection Reports			R	R		R		R	R				0
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Deficiency Lists			P	P	P	P	P	0 P	- R О	Р	P	<u>Р</u>	P
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Value of Commissioning													
Forms			0					R	R				
Release for Use Forms			0					R	R				
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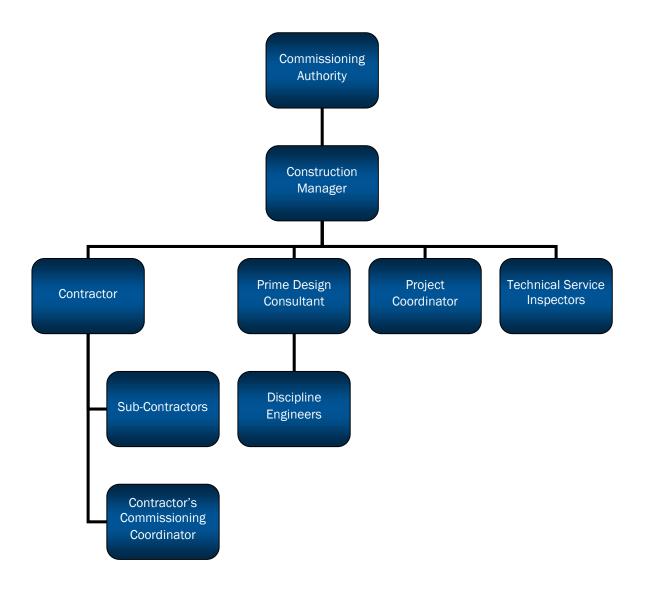


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Issues Log			0					R	R				
<u>Occupancy</u>													
10 Month Building Review			0			Р	Р	Р					
Occupant Survey			0			Р	Р	Р					
Maintenance Program			Р			0	Р	Р					
Commissioning Summary Report			0			R		R					
Re-Commissioning Plan			0			R		R					



### 24. Commissioning Reporting Structure

For the purposes of Commissioning the following structure shall be used





### 25. Typical Schedule of Commissioning Activities

The Contractor is responsible for developing a detailed schedule of commissioning activities and submitting it to the Construction Manager shortly after start of construction. Information to be included on the schedule is:

- 1. Project name, location and number
- 2. Detailed Task
- 3. Resources (all those required for the verification)
- 4. Duration
- 5. Start and end times
- 6. Installation Verifications
- 7. Performance Verifications

A sample contractor schedule can be found Appendix I, this can be used as a level of expectation of the amount of detail required on the submitted schedule.

#### 26. Maintenance Program

With assistance of the manufacturer the Contractor shall develop a written maintenance program and submit to CxA for approval before implementation.



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# **Appendix B - Room Data Sheet Template**

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Room	data	SI	neet

Project Name:	Project Number:	
Revision:	Date:	
Room Name	Room Number	

## General Information

Space Name:	Net area (m2)	
Number of Spaces:	Ceiling Height (m)	
Periods of Use:	Number of Occupant	

## **Functional Requirements**

Function / Activity:	
Important Adjacent Spaces:	
Important Access / Security Points	

### Separations

Ratings	Walls	Floors	Ceilings	
Fire				
Sound				

### Architectural

Materials and Finishes	Walls	Floors	Ceilings
Construction			
Finish	S &		
Flame Spread			11/11/11
Door Construction	Material / F	inish Fire Rating	Sound Rating
Door	30 S		
Door Frame	20 (20		
Door Hardware	Style	Finish	
Lockset	2 0.0	1	7
Hinges			
Gasketing			
Other			7

### Fenestration

Orientation	Glazing
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Orientation	Glazing

Equipment:
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Built Ins: Furnishings:

Singe:

# Structural

Vibration Control	





### Room data Sheet

Project Name:	Project Number:	0	
Revision:	Date:	U	
Room Name	Room Number		
Special Pads	•		
Floor Loading			

# Mechanical

Room Control	Level of Control		
Heating		Fresh air	
Cooling		Humidity Control	
Air Filtration		Room Pressure	

Plumbing Fixtures	Type	Number	Hot Water	Cold Water
Lavatories				
Water Closets			5	Δ.
7807			0	0.00
Other			V 0	0.00

Sprinklers:		
Sprinkler Type:	Head:	

# Electrical

Power Outlets	Housekeeping	Computer	Equipment	
Voltage 120/240				
Isolated Ground				
Surge Protection				
Lighting	Ambient	Task	Fire Alarm	Emergency
Lighting Level				
Fixture Type				
Special Requirements				
Level of Control				
Communications		٥	X.	
Telephone		Public Address		1
Computers		Other		1
Special		•	•	5.6
Sound masking		Intrusion Alarm		1
Surveillance Cameras		Doors		1
Fire Safety	Туре	Class		
Fire Alarm			7	
Heat Detectors			1	
Smoke Detectors			]	



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		ical Vacuum System
		ical Oxygen System
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		Water Heating System
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		und Loop Heat Exchanger
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		Source Heat Pump
	2.14.10	Chilled Water System-Chillers
	2.14.11	Chilled Water System
	2.14.12	Humidification
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- 2.15.4 Existing Systems
- 2.15.5 Control Sequences
- 2.15.6 Zone Control
- 2.15.7 Heater Control
- 2.15.8 Field Control Devices
- 2.16 Electrical-Distribution
  - 2.16.1 Pad mount Switchgear
  - 2.16.2 Exterior Load Break Switches
  - 2.16.3 Interior Switchgear
  - 2.16.4 Air Circuit Breakers
  - 2.16.5 Conductors
  - 2.16.6 Interior Feeders
  - 2.16.7 Pad mount Distribution Transformers
  - 2.16.8 Dry-Type Transformers
  - 2.16.9 Lightning Arrestor
  - 2.16.10 Overhead Service
  - 2.16.11 Underground Service
  - 2.16.12 Electric Load Bank
  - 2.16.13 Cable Tray Systems
  - 2.16.14 Power Factor Capacitors
  - 2.16.15 Service Entrance Equipment
  - 2.16.16 Motor Control Centres
  - 2.16.17 Disconnect/Safety Switches
  - 2.16.18 Equipment Enclosure
  - 2.16.19 Splitters
  - 2.16.20 Junction Boxes
  - 2.16.21 Wiring Devices
  - 2.16.22 Circuit Breakers
  - 2.16.23 Conduits
  - 2.16.24 Motor Starters
  - 2.16.25 Grounding
  - 2.16.26 Contactors
  - 2.16.27 Electrical Outlets
  - 2.16.28 Electric Heating
  - 2.16.29 Snow Melt Cables
  - 2.16.30 Metering
  - 2.16.31 Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Stations
  - 2.16.32 Variable Frequency Drives
  - 2.16.33 De-Stratification Fans
  - 2.16.34 Power Generation Diesel
  - 2.16.35 Automatic Transfer Switches
  - 2.16.36 Ground Fault Circuit Interrupters Class "A"
  - 2.16.37 Conduits
- 2.17 Electrical-Lighting
  - 2.17.1 Lighting
  - 2.17.2 Exterior Transformers





2.17.3 Lighting Panel B	oar	ds
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- 2.17.4 Interior Lighting
- 2.17.5 Exterior Lighting
- 2.17.6 Addressable Lighting Control System
- 2.17.7 Exit Signs
- 2.17.8 Roadway Lighting
- 2.17.9 Lighting Control Devices Occupancy Sensors
- 2.17.10 Lighting Control Devices LED Dimming
- 2.17.11

# 2.18 Electrical-Emergency Power

- 2.18.1 Emergency Power Generation
- 2.18.2 Transfer Switches
- 2.18.3 Generator Switch Board
- 2.18.4 Ventilation
- 2.18.5 Fuel System
- 2.18.6 Emergency Power Distribution

# 2.19 Communications, Data and Security

- 2.19.1 Intercom System
- 2.19.2 Public Address System
- 2.19.3 Nurse Call System
- 2.19.4 Central Clock System
- 2.19.5 Central Dictation
- 2.19.6 Television System
- 2.19.7 Security System Card Access
- 2.19.8 Security System- CCTV
- 2.19.9 Intrusion Detection
- 2.19.10 Telephone Systems
- 2.19.11 Assistive Listening Systems
- 2.19.12 Data Cable Systems
- 2.19.13 Uninterruptible Power Supply
- 2.19.14 Multi-purpose Room Sound System
- 2.19.15 Emergency Pull Cord System
- 2.19.16 Sustainability Management System Public Interface
- 2.19.17 Sustainability Management System Sensors & Meters
- 2.19.18 Door Hardware Wiring

## 3. LEED

## 3.1LEED Scorecard

### 3.2 Sustainable Sites

- 3.2.1 Perquisite 1 Erosion & Sedimentation Control
- 3.2.2 Credit 1 Site Selection
- 3.2.3 Credit 2 Development Density
- 3.2.4 Credit 3 Redevelopment of Contaminated Sites
- 3.2.5 Credit 4 Alternative Transportation
- 3.2.6 Credit 5 Reduced Site Disturbance
- 3.2.7 Credit 6 Storm water Management
- 3.2.8 Credit 7 Heat Island Effect
- 3.2.9 Credit 8 Light Pollution Reduction





# 3.3 Water Efficiency

- 3.3.1 Credit 1 Water Efficient Landscaping
- 3.3.2 Credit 2 Innovative Wastewater Technologies
- 3.3.3 Credit 3 Water Use Reduction

# 3.4 Energy & Atmosphere

- 3.4.1 Prerequisite 1 Fundamental Building Systems Commissioning
- 3.4.2 Prerequisite 2 Minimum Energy Performance
- 3.4.3 Prerequisite 3 CFC Reduction in HVAC&R Equipment and Elimination of Halons
- 3.4.4 Credit 1 Optimize Energy Performance
- 3.4.5 Credit 2 Renewable Energy Performance
- 3.4.6 Credit 3 Best Practice Commissioning
- 3.4.7 Credit 4 Ozone Protection
- 3.4.8 Credit 5 Measurement and Verification
- 3.4.9 Credit 6 Green Power

## 3.5 Materials & Resources

- 3.5.1 Prerequisite 1 Storage & Collection of Recyclables
- 3.5.2 Credit 1 Building Reuse
- 3.5.3 Credit 2 Construction Waste Management
- 3.5.4 Credit 3 Resource Reuse
- 3.5.5 Credit 4 Recycled Content
- 3.5.6 Credit 5 Regional Materials
- 3.5.7 Credit 6 Rapidly Renewable Materials
- 3.5.8 Credit 7 Certified Wood

# 3.6 Credit 8 Durable Building

- 3.6.1 Indoor Environmental Quality
- 3.6.2 Prerequisite 1 Minimum IAQ Performance
- 3.6.3 Prerequisite 2 Environmental Tobacco Smoke (ETS) Control
- 3.6.4 Credit 1 Carbon Dioxide (CO2) Monitoring
- 3.6.5 Credit 2 Ventilation Effectiveness
- 3.6.6 Credit 3 Construction IAQ Management Plan
- 3.6.7 Credit 4 Low-Emitting Materials
- 3.6.8 Credit 5 Indoor Chemical & Pollutant Source Control
- 3.6.9 Credit 6 Controllability of Systems
- 3.6.10 Credit 7 Thermal Comfort
- 3.6.11 Credit 8 Daylight & Views

## 3.7 Innovation & Design Process

- 3.7.1 Credit 1 Innovation in Design
- 3.7.2 Credit 2 LEED Accredited Professional

## 4. Furniture & Equipment

- 4.10wner Supplied and Installed (include Product Literature)
- 4.20wner Supplied, Contractor Installed (include Product Literature)
- 4.3 Contractor Supplied and Installed (include Product Literature)

### 5. Annexes

- 5.1 Room Data Sheets
- 5.2 Geotechnical Report
- 5.3 Energy Simulation Report



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- 5.4 Ground Source Heat Exchanger Sizing
- 5.5 MNECB Checklist
- 5.6 Commissioning Plan
- 5.7 Specification Index
- 5.8 List of Drawings
- 5.9 Drawings (separate cover)
- 5.10 Costing Studies (separate cover)



# **Appendix D - Commissioning Manual Template**





# Commissioning Manual

- 1. Purpose of the Commissioning Plan
- 2. Commissioning Overview
  - 2.1 Commissioning Summary Report Intent
- 3. General Building Information
- 4. Abbreviations and Definitions
- 5. Commissioning Team Information
  - 5.1 Reporting structure
  - 5.2 Commissioning Authority Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.3 Design Manager Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.40wner / Building Manager Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.5 Construction Manager Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.6 General Contractor Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.7 Project Coordinator Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.8 Technical Services Inspector Roles and Responsibilities
  - 5.9 Design Consultant Roles and Responsibilities
- 6. Specifications and Commissioning
- 7. Commissioning Process
  - 7.1General Issues
  - 7.20wner's Project Requirements and Basis of Design
  - 7.3 Commissioning Kick off Meeting
  - 7.4 Execution of Functional testing Procedures
  - 7.5 Short-term Diagnostic Monitoring
  - 7.6Training
  - 7.7 Warranty Period
  - 7.8 Sample Commissioning Schedule
  - 7.9 Commissioning Activities
- 8. Submittals / Deliverables
  - 8.1Submittal Review Procedure
  - 8.2Schedule
  - 8.3 Prior to Cx Activities
  - 8.4 Prior to Application for Substantial Completion
  - 8.5 Site Inspections and Observations
  - 8.6 Installation Verification Checklists and Procedures
  - 8.7 Performance Verification Checklists and Procedures
  - 8.80peration and Maintenance Manuals
  - 8.9Training Records
  - 8.10 Commissioning Report
- 9. Project Narrative
- 10. Systems Descriptions
  - 10.1 Site Infrastructure
    - 10.1.1 Site Earth Works
    - 10.1.2 Water Mains
    - 10.1.3 Sanitary Sewer Mains
    - 10.1.4 Site Storm Drainage
    - 10.1.5 Manholes and Catch Basins





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- 10.1.7 Fire Water Supply and Hydrants
- 10.1.8 Site Water Utility Distribution Piping
- 10.1.9 Public Sanitary Utility Sewerage Piping
- 10.1.10 Utility Drainage Field
- 10.1.11 Geothermal Vertical Borehole Heat Exchanger

# 10.2 Building Envelope

- 10.2.1 Foundations
- 10.2.2 Structural Framing
- 10.2.3 Concrete Slabs on Grade/Suspended Slabs
- 10.2.4 Thermal and Moisture Protection
- 10.2.5 Roof Assembly
- 10.2.6 Exterior Wall Assemblies
- 10.2.7 Doors, Windows and Skylights
- 10.2.8 Door Operators
- 10.2.9 Entrances and Exits
- 10.2.10 Overhead Doors
- 10.2.11 Air Leakage Control

### 10.3 Barrier Free

- 10.3.1 Barrier Free Path of Travel (Exterior and Interior)
- 10.3.2 Barrier Free Washrooms
  - 10.3.2.1 Water Closets
  - 10.3.2.2 Lavatories

## 10.3.3 Shower Rooms

- 10.3.3.1 Shower Stalls
- 10.3.3.2 Shower Trim
- 10.3.4 Automatic Door Operators
- 10.3.5 Counter Spaces
- 10.3.6 Parking Spaces and Walkways

# 10.4 Fire and Life Safety

- 10.4.1 Code Reviews (NRCC & NFPA Life Safety)
- 10.4.2 Occupant Load Calculations
- 10.4.3 Fire Commissioner's Form
- 10.4.4 Fire Separations
- 10.4.5 Escape Routes within Facility
- 10.4.6 Emergency Lighting
- 10.4.7 Wet Pipe sprinkler System
- 10.4.8 Dry pipe Sprinkler System
- 10.4.9 Wet Chemical Fire Suppression System
- 10.4.10 Clean Agent Fire Suppression System
- 10.4.11 Standpipes
- 10.4.12 Pre-Action Systems
- 10.4.13 Deluge Systems
- 10.4.14 Pressurization/Smoke Control
- 10.4.15 Fire Alarm
- 10.4.16 Fire Extinguishers
- 10.4.17 Fire Pumps



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	10.8.3 Domestic Water Treatment
	10.8.4 Domestic Water Booster Pumps
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	10.8.6 Plumbing Vents
	10.8.7 Storm Sewer
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	10.9.1 Medical Air System
	10.9.2 Medical Vacuum System
	10.9.3 Medical Oxygen System
	10.9.4 Oxygen Generation
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10.9.7 Carbon Dioxide

10.9.8 Medical Test Gas Mixtures



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	10.10.4	Hot Water Heating System
	10.10.5	HVAC Water Treatment
	10.10.6	Ground Source Heat Pump
	10.10.7	Ground Loop Heat Exchanger
	10.10.8	Water Source Heat Pumps
	10.10.9	Air Source Heat Pump
	10.10.10	Chilled Water System-Chillers
	10.10.11	Chilled Water System
	10.10.12	Humidification
	10.10.13	Air Handling Systems
	10.10.14	Air Handling Units
	10.10.15	Fans
	10.10.16	Reheat Coils
	10.10.17	VAV Boxes
	10.10.18	Space Pressure
	10.10.19	Isolation Room Systems
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	10.10.21	Hydronic Pumps
	10.10.22	Dry Fluid Cooler
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	10.10.25	Radiation Heaters
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	10.11.1	DDC Systems
	10.11.2	Energy Management System
	10.11.3	System Architecture
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	10.12.31	Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Stations
	10.12.32	Variable Frequency Drives
	10.12.33	De-Stratification Fans
	10.12.34	Power Generation Diesel
	10.12.35	Automatic Transfer Switches
	10.12.36	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupters - Class "A"
	10.12.37	Conduits
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	10.13.2	Exterior Transformers
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	10.13.6	Addressable Lighting Control System
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	10.15.6	Television System
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	10.15.12	Data Cable Systems
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- 13. Release for Use Forms
- 14. Training
- 15. Operation and Maintenance Manuals
- 16. Maintenance Material
- 17. Warranties
- 18. Design and Construction Review
- 19. Value of Commissioning
  - 19.1 Value of Commissioning Intent
  - 19.2 Utilities & Exterior Improvements
  - 19.3 Building Envelope, Structural
  - 19.4 Barrier Free
  - 19.5 Fire and Life Safety
  - 19.6 Finishes
  - 19.7 Food Services and Laundry
  - 19.8 Plumbing
  - 19.9 HVAC
  - 19.10 Controls
  - 19.11 Electrical
  - 19.12 Electrical-Lighting
  - 19.13 Communications, Data and Security
  - 19.14 Specialties, Equipment & Furniture

Appendix A: Architectural Equipment and Installation Verification





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Appendix B: Architectural Performance Verification

Appendix C: Civil Equipment and Installation Verification

Appendix D: Civil Performance Verification

Appendix E: Mechanical Equipment and Installation Appendix F: Mechanical Performance Verification Appendix G: Electrical Equipment and Installation Appendix H: Electrical Performance and Installation



# Appendix E - Sample Checklists





APPENDIX C

		CIVIL INSTALLATION	VIL INSTALLATION VERIFICATION				
Pr	oject: PROJECT oject #: NUMBER		Location: LOCAT			Date: DATE  Revision: 0	
	Topics III		Tomm#.	CE 101		Revision.	
F	DUNDATIONS						
	Installation Verification				Comm	nents	
1	Confirm footing and top of wall elevations mee	t contract requirements					
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	Confirm proper placement and construction of						
4	Confirm concrete meets quality requirements a			4			
5	Confirm mix design for concrete	•		41			
6	Confirm bearing capacity of the material under	the footing					
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Ins	stalling Contractor: (Print Name)	Signature:			Date:		
Ge	eneral Contractor: (Print Name)	Signature:			Date:		
De	esign Consultant: (Print Name)	Signature:			Date:		
TV	V Representative: (Print Name)	Signature:	Signature:				
Co	ommissioning Authority: (Print Name)	Signature:	Signature:		Date:		



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	CIVIL INSTALLATION VERIFICATION	APPENDIX C
Project: PROJECT	Location: LOCATION	Date: DATE
Project #: NUMBER	Form #: CE-I01 (DATA)	Revision: 0

FOUNDATIONS								
Location	Description	Footing/Wall Top Elevation [1]	Footing/Piers Reinforcement [2]	Placement [3]	Concrete Quality [4]	Mix Design [5]	Bearing capacity [6]	Comments
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# Appendix F - Systems Manual Template



# **Appendix G - Commissioning Report Template**





# Commissioning Report

- 1. Commissioning Report Intent
- 2. Executive Summary
  - 2.10bservations
  - 2.2 Conclusions
  - 2.30utstanding items
  - 2.4 Recommendations
- 3. Commissioning Overview
  - 3.1 Description of commissioning process benefits
  - 3.2
- 4. Owner's Project Requirements
- 5. Basis of Design report
- 6. Commissioning Plan
  - 6.1 General Building Information
  - 6.2 Abbreviations and Definitions
  - 6.3 Purpose of the Commissioning Plan
  - 6.4 Commissioning team information
  - 6.5 Project Narrative
  - 6.6 Systems to be commissioned
  - 6.7 Systems Descriptions
  - 6.8 Roles and Responsibilities
  - 6.9 Commissioning Process
  - 6.10 Schedule
  - 6.11 Installation Verification checklists (construction checklist)
  - 6.12 Performance Verification checklists (test results forms and evaluation)
  - 6.13
- 7. Project commissioning specifications
- 8. Commissioning checklists
- 9. Release for Use Forms
- 10. Summary of the design review process
- 11. Summary of the training process
- 12. Summary of the submittal review process
- 13. Summary of the O&M documentation
  - 13.1 Operation and Maintenance Manuals
- 14. Maintenance Material
- 15. Warranties
- 16. Design and Construction Review
- 17. Value of Commissioning
- 18. Occupancy and operation evaluation reports
- 19. History of any system deficiencies identified and how they were resolved, including any outstanding issues or seasonal testing scheduled for a later date
- 20. Contractor plan for resolution within 10 months of substantial completion
- 21. Confirmation from the CxA indicating whether individual systems meet the Owner's Project Requirements, Basis of Design, and contract documents



# Appendix H - 10 Month Review Survey and Plan



Building Name:		Date:	
	Point - In - Time Thermal Co	omfort Survey	
Record the approximate outside air temperature and seasonal conditions:	WinterSpring •CSunny	_SummerFall RainingFoggy	Windy
What is your general thermal sensation (check one that is most appropriate)?	HotWarmNeutralSlightly CoolCool	Slightly Warm Cold	
Place an X where you are located:	Insert sketch of facility		
	Room Identification:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
4. On which floor of the building are you located?	Basement12 _	3456	789
5. Are you near an exterior wall (with in 15 ft)?	YesNo		
6. Using the list, please check each item of clothing that you are wearing:	Short-Sleeve shirt Long Sleeve Sweatshirt Jacket Dress	Long Sleeve ShirtSweaterKnee-Length SkirtShorts	Vest
	Trousers	Undershirt	Long Underwear
	Long Sleeve Coveralls	Overalls	Slip
	Nylons	Socks	Boots
	Shoes	Sandals	Other:
7. What is your activity level?	Reclining Standing Relaxed	Seated Light Activi	ty Standing
	Medium Activity Standing	High Activit	у

Newfoundland Labrador



Building Name:		Date:		
-	Satisfaction	Suprov		
	Insert sketch of facility	Survey		
Place and X where you spend most of your time:				
On which floor of the building are you located for normal hours?	Basement12  Yes No	34Other		
3. Are you near an exterior wall (with in 15 ft)?				
4. Are you near a window (with in 15 ft)?	YesNo			
5. Which of the following do you personally adjust or control in your space	Windows blinds or shades Room air conditioning unit Portable heater Permanent heater Adjustable air vent	Portable FanDoor to exteriorAdjustable floorOperable windoDoor to interior	air ventNone of these w Other	
6. How satisfied are you with the temperature in your space?	Very satisfied 1 2 3 4 5 (Circle level of		satisfied	
7. If you are dissatisfied with	In warm/hot weather:			
the temperature in your space, which of the following contribute to your		Always too hotOccasionally too cold	Often too hot	
dissatisfaction? The temperature in my space is:	In cool/cold weather:		01.6.1 100 00.1	
	Occasionally too hot	Always too hot	Often too hot	
	Always too cold	Occasionally too cold	Often too cold	
	When is this most often a prob	lem?		
	Morning (before 11am)	Midday (11am-2pm)	Afternoon (2pm-5pm)	
	Evening (after 5pm)	Monday mornings	Weekends/holidays	
	Other:	No particular time	Always	
How would you best describe the course of this	Humidity too high (damp)		Humidity too low (dry)	
discomfort?	Air movement too high		Air movement too low	
	Incoming sun		Heat from office equipment	
	Drafts from windows		Drafts from vents	
	My area is hotter/colder th	an other areas	Thermostat is inaccessible	
	Thermostat is adjustable by	y other people	Clothing policy is not flexible	
	HVAC system does not resp	oond quickly enough	Hot/cold surrounding surfaces	
	Deficient window			
9. Describe any other issues related to being too hot or cold in your space.				



# Appendix I - Meeting Agenda and Minutes





# COMMISSIONING MEETING AGENDA

{Insert Project Name}

Project Number: {Insert Project Number}



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Date & Time: Start: End:

Invited Attendees:

Item	
Number	ltem
1	Introduction
1.1	Safety
2	The Commissioning Team:
2.1	Identify main members of the commissioning team and their responsibilities.
3	The Commissioning Manual:
3.1	Verification Checklists
3.2	Release For Use Forms
3.3	Training
3.4	Operation & Maintenance
3.5	Maintenance (Extra) Material
3.6	Warranties
4	Documentation:
4.1	Discuss how the commissioning documentation will be collected and stored.
5	Commissioning Process
5.1	Schedule – itemized scheduling of Performance Verification for all systems for all disciplines. The contractor may refer to the Cx checklist index when completing the Cx schedule. Functional performance testing does not begin until Installation Verification, start-up and TAB is completed.
5.2	Meetings
5.3	Substantial Completion
5.4	Seasonal/Deferred commissioning
6	Submittals
6.1	TAB Report
6.2	Start-up Reports
6.3	3 copies of completed Cx manual for review
6.4	Report of seasonal/deferred commissioning





# COMMISSIONING MEETING MINUTES

{Insert Project Name}

Project Number: {Insert Project Number}



# **Meeting Number:**

Location: Date & Time:

Distribution:

Those in attendance:

Name Email

Those not in attendance:

Name Email

Item Number	Item	Responsibility	Completion Date	Status
	Introduction			
1.2	Safety Topic			
2	The Commissioning Team		(1)	
2.1	Member Listing and contact information			





# COMMISSIONING MEETING MINUTES

{Insert Project Name} Project Number: {Insert Project Number}



# **Meeting Number:**

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3	The Commissioning Manual				
3.1	Verification Checklists				
3.2	Release For Use Forms				
3.3	Training				
3.4	Operation & Maintenance				
3.5	Maintenance (Extra) Material				
3.6	Warranties				
4	Documentation			8	
4.1	Documentation Procedure				
5	Commissioning Process				
5.1	Schedule Itemized scheduling of Performance Verification for all systems for all disciplines. The contractor may refer to the Cx checklist index when completing the Cx schedule. Functional performance testing does not begin until Installation Verification, start-up and TAB are completed.				





# COMMISSIONING MEETING MINUTES

(Insert Project Name)

Project Number: {Insert Project Number}



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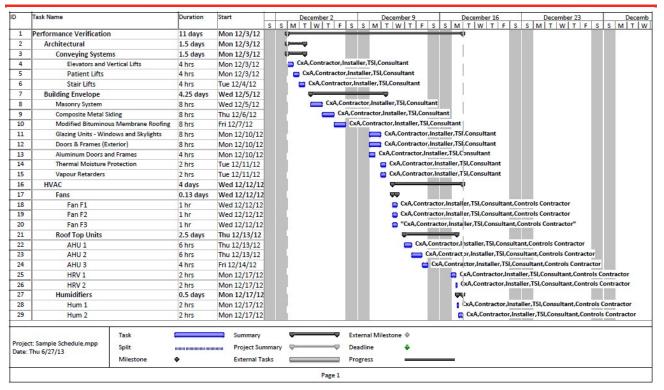
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6	Submittals			
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6.3	3 copies of completed Cx manual for review			
6.4	Report of seasonal/deferred commissioning			6 6
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6.5	Next Meeting Date, Time and Location			0



# Appendix J - Sample Schedule



# **COMMISSIONING GUIDE**



1. For illustration purposes only. Similar or deeper level of detail for all disciplines is required on schedules submitted by the contractor.





# Appendix K - Commissioning Issues Log



Date	Issue	Raised By	Resolution	Close Date	Assigned to	Status