

Safety Policy

A company that experiences a safety-related fatality of a direct employee in the United States within the current program year (**June 30, 2022 through December 22, 2023**) is NOT eligible for an Excellence in Construction Award. If a subsidiary is a direct ABCSD member versus part of a larger holding company member, then the subsidiary with a safety-related fatality is not eligible, but another subsidiary of the same holding company may be. Furthermore, all EIC award winners have a continuing duty to inform ABCSD of a safety-related fatality that occurred after the end of the current program year until the time of the awards program. Such a fatality will nullify the EIC award. After the judging process and prior to the awards program, ABC will request that an award winner confirm that a safety-related fatality did not occur. Failure to respond to the request will also nullify the EIC award.

A company that experienced a safety-related fatality of a direct employee in the United States with two or three years of the current program year* is required to provide additional information regarding action that has been taken following the fatality.

No project that involves prime, multi-prime or sub-trade contractors with a safety-related fatality is eligible to be considered for an award.

If there are questions regarding this policy and application requirement, the applicant may request clarification from the National EIC Committee by emailing **<u>eic@abc.org</u>** prior to submission of the project.