
Session **8B - Change Orders and Productivity**
Date Friday, May 24, 2013
Time 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.
Speaker Stephen Revay, FCSC, CFCC, CCC

The presentation will deal with why Changes are the source of friction for all concerned and how this can be mitigated. This will include the consequences of not following contractual procedures which is common practice on many projects. Explanation will be provided as to what is the cumulative impact of change orders and how can it be addressed including commentary on the debate over qualifying Change Orders. The presentation will also address how the mark-ups on changes can lead to problems and how they can be avoided.

Stephen Revay, FCSC, CCC, CFCC has been active for the past 35 years in the analysis of progress, productivity and cost on numerous construction projects. He has prepared or evaluated productivity and/or schedule analyses, including quantification of claims on construction projects throughout Canada, in the United States, the Middle East, Asia and South America. He has been qualified as an expert witness in both litigation and arbitration. He has been appointed as the Project Neutral on a \$2 billion industrial project. He has acted as both a mediator and as arbitrator on different disputes. Mr. Revay has authored articles for various construction periodicals and conducted numerous seminars on construction disputes to owners and contractors alike. He frequently presents at in-house seminars and is a guest lecturer at the University of Calgary. He is a Past President of Construction Specifications Canada. Steve was also President of AACE® (Association for the Advancement of Cost Engineers International) an association of over 7,500 project control professionals from June 2010 to June 2011.



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