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**AMERICAN GALVANIZERS ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES  
NEW HOT-DIP GALVANIZED STEEL INSPECTION COURSE**

CENTENNIAL, CO – The American Galvanizers Association (AGA) is pleased to announce a new course on the inspection of hot-dip galvanized steel.

The new inspection course is intended to train inspectors on the proper inspection techniques and requirements for hot-dip galvanized steel products per ASTM standards. The course will train inspectors to fully understand ASTM specification requirements and perform inspection to ensure compliance with these requirements.

To obtain the course on CD, interested inspectors are asked to contact their local AGA member galvanizer. A complete list of AGA members is located on the AGA website at <http://www.galvanizeit.org/galvanizers>.

Certificates of completion will be sent to inspectors who take the course and successfully complete the online summary test. The certificate is not an endorsement by the AGA of an inspector's qualifications, but rather an acknowledgement the inspector has successfully completed the course. A list of inspectors that have completed the course will be posted on the AGA website at <http://www.galvanizeit.org/inspectors>.

Topics include:

- Hot-Dip Galvanizing Process
- Galvanizing Standards
- Inspection Techniques
- Repair Methods

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Serving the needs of specifiers, architects, engineers, contractors, and fabricators throughout North America since 1935, the American Galvanizers Association (AGA) provides information on the most innovative applications and state-of-the-art technological developments in hot-dip galvanizing for corrosion protection. Created to educate and train in the specification and use of hot-dip galvanized steel, the AGA maintains a large technical library, distributes numerous industry publications, offers free educational seminars, and provides toll-free technical support to the specifying community.

*With years of technical experience and expertise, the AGA staff is able to provide informative, custom articles for your publication, upon request. Please contact the AGA for more information.*