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# ABOUT AAWCO

## HISTORY

The Association of American Warehouse Control Officials (AAWCO) was organized in 1939 as the National Association of State Licensed Warehouse Departments.

Scott S. Bateman, Kansas, and Turner B. Morton, Missouri, were the two men who had the vision to see the need for an organized group of warehouse control officials who could study the mutual problems involving the industry served.

## MISSION

The purpose of the Association is to promote and attain more uniformity between regulatory agencies. Annual conferences are held for the exchange of information among members and affected industries.

The Association acts as a clearing house for the collection and dissemination of information regarding present and proposed legislation affecting the Agricultural Warehouse and Commodities Dealer laws and their administration.

## MEMBERSHIP

Membership is open to the Warehouse Regulatory Department or comparable agency of any state, territory or the federal government of the U.S., and any comparable agencies of Canada and Mexico. The head of the appropriate agency, or their designee, serves as the representative in functions of the Association.

AAWCO offers affiliate membership to any person having a mutual interest in the purchase and storage of agricultural commodities. Affiliate members may participate in all discussions and business of the Association, but carry no vote on business matters.

The Association is also an affiliate member of the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture (NASDA).

## THE NETWORK REACHES OUT

AAWCO members operate under one or more regulatory laws including: agricultural warehouse, agricultural commodities dealer, moisture meter testing and / or a grain inspection and weighing law. Upon request,

the Association will send member representatives to offer technical advice and assistance in the drafting of proposals for new laws and in the promotion of appropriate legislation.

Through the efforts of the Association, members are constantly updating their laws, regulations and auditing procedures. This is to ensure that depositors, producers, lending institutions and bonding companies have the best protection and service available.

AAWCO has worked extensively to adopt uniform grain accounting standards. The AAWCO electronic data interchange (EDI) standards for grain accounting have been adopted by nearly all grain industry software providers.

AAWCO continues to work toward a uniform electronic audit information standard offering a streamlined regulatory process for licensees and cost-efficient sharing amongst its members while maintaining each state's regulatory authority.