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FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT CONTRACTOR

Certification Requirements

Note: at least one person must be certified to obtain a business permit

N.J.A.C. 5:73-2.3(d) The following certification requirements are hereby established for the fire protection contractor classifications:

1. An **All Fire Protection Equipment Contractor** shall have a valid Level II certification issued by NICET in the following areas: Fire Alarm Systems, Inspection and testing of Water-based Systems, and Special Hazards Suppression Systems, and successfully pass the following Sprinkler Layout work elements: **11003, 11004, 11005, 13001, 13005, 13008, 13010, 13011, 13012, 13013, 13018, 13020, 13021, 13023, 13026, 14013, 14015, 16001 and 16009**. Additionally, an All Fire Protection Equipment Contractor shall successfully pass the “Portable Fire Extinguisher Technician” and “Restaurant Fire Suppression System” examinations administered by **NAFED**.
2. A **Fire Sprinkler System Contractor** shall have a valid Level II certification issued by NICET in the following areas: Inspection and Testing of Water-based Systems, and successfully pass the following Sprinkler Layout work elements: **11003, 11004, 11005, 13001, 13005, 13008, 13010, 13011, 13012, 13013, 13018, 13020, 13021, 13023, 13026, 14013, 14015, 16001 and 16009**.
3. A **Special Hazard Fire Suppression System Contractor** shall hold a valid Level II certification issued by NICET in the following area: Special Hazards Suppression Systems.
4. A **Fire Alarm Systems Contractor** shall have a valid Level II certification issued by **NICET** in the following area: Fire Alarm Systems.
5. A **Portable Fire Extinguisher Contractor** shall successfully pass the “Portable Fire Extinguisher Technician Examination” administered by **NAFED**.
6. A **Kitchen Fire Suppression System Contractor** shall successfully pass the “Restaurant Fire Suppression Systems Examination” administered by **NAFED**.

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