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BACKFLOW TESTER CERTIFICATION APPLICATION

- A. All statements in this application are subject to investigation by the Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Industrial Compliance, Backflow Section.
B. The completed application shall be returned to: Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Industrial Compliance-Backflow Section, 6606 Tussing Road, PO Box 4009, Reynoldsburg, OH 43068-9009.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number (____) _____ E Mail _____

Union Affiliation: Journeyman (__) Local _____ Apprentice (__) _____

TRADE: Plumbing () Hydronics () Fire Sprinkler ()

OCILB LICENSE # _____

OEPA- License Class I distribution or water treatment operator license # _____

List 5 years minimum experience and employed with a LICENSED Plumbing, Hydronics, Fire Sprinkler Contractor or Water Purveyor.

Current Employer: _____ Years _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone Number: _____

Job Classification/ Duties: _____

OCILB LICENSE # _____ FIRE SPRINKLER # _____

Previous Employment:

If any of your previous employers are "Out of Business" please add copies W'2s (black out social security number) to verify your employment.

Company Name _____ Years _____ Phone Number _____
1. _____

ADDRESS: _____

Company Name _____ Years _____ Phone Number _____
2. _____

ADDRESS: _____

More information can be added to back of this page.

The applicant shall submit payment of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) NON-REFUNDABLE for the application and examination fee payable to: Treasurer State of Ohio.

In Pursuant to ORC 4101:16-3-03: the approval to take the examination shall be effective or ONE YEAR. An applicant who fails to take the examination within ONE YEAR from the date approved shall submit a NEW application in accordance with this rule.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Use Only

Application & Examination Fee paid Check # _____ Date: _____

Date Received: _____

APPROVED () ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUESTED () DENIED ()

ADVISORY BOARD DECISION: _____

COMMENTS: _____

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS INDUSTRIAL COMPLIANCE LABOR & WORKER SAFETY LIQUOR CONTROL
REAL ESTATE & PROFESSIONAL LICENSING SECURITIES STATE FIRE MARSHAL UNCLAIMED FUNDS

"An Equal Opportunity Employer and Service Provider"

BACKFLOW APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicant mails application to the State with a **One Hundred Dollar (\$100) NON-REFUNDABLE** fee.

State reviews application:

1. Approved -> mail copy of application, acceptance letter and list of training agencies to applicant.
2. **More Information Requested** -> letter sent to applicant stating the burden of proof to verify his length of employment in the plumbing or lawn irrigation trade.
3. Deny -> Application has gone to the Backflow Advisory Board and they determined that applicant was denied and will receive a denial letter stating the reasons and the application will be kept on file.

BACKFLOW TRAINING

Upon receiving an approved backflow application, the applicant attends one of the authorized backflow training agency schools.

COMPLETION OF THE COURSE

Upon successful completion of the course the applicant should receive a certificate of proficiency.

THE STATE TEST

The written State test will be given on the 3rd Monday of the month with the exceptions of Holidays falling on Monday. When this occurs the exam will be given on the following day at

6606 Tussing Road, Reynoldsburg Ohio 43068-9009

The doors will open at 9:30 A.M. with the test beginning at 10 A.M. and ending at 12 noon.

The student **MUST** bring to the test:

- Copy of application
- Certificate of proficiency
- Photo identification

PASSING / FAILING THE TEST

A score of 70% or higher on the state test is considered passing.

Passing applicants will receive a pass letter with invoice for \$75.00 certification fee.

When the \$75 is received, a 3 year Certificate is processed and sent by mail and will also be processed into the Backflow Data Base (available on line).