

THE STATE of ALASKA

Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing

Mechanical Administrators Program

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Mechanical Administrator by Examination License Application Instructions

In accordance with AS 08.40.260(a), a person may not act as a mechanical administrator in the state without a license issued by the Department; (b) a person licensed under this chapter may perform work only in a category for which the person is licensed.

A mechanical administrator may be licensed in the following categories:

- Heating, Cooling and Process Piping (HCPP)
- Unlimited HVAC/Sheet Metal (UHVCS)
- Residential HVAC (RHVC)
- Mechanical Systems Temperature Control (CNTL)
- Unlimited Refrigeration (UR)
- Unlimited Commercial and Industrial Plumbing (UCIP)
- Residential Plumbing and Hydronic Heating (RPHH)

Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.

The following must be received by the division before your application for Mechanical Administrator License by Examination can be reviewed:

1. APPLICATION

A signed, completed application (#08-4903, pages 1-7).

2. FEES

Fees made payable to "State of Alaska."

Nonrefundable Application Fee: \$150.00
License Fee: \$200.00

Total Fees Due: \$350.00

3. EXAMINATION SCORE

Verification that the applicant has obtained, within the 12 months immediately preceding the date of application, a score of at least 70 percent on the electrical administrator examination administered by PSI Services, LLC.

4. OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPTS (IF USING EDUCATION TO QUALIFY)

Official transcripts from a college, university, or trade school sent directly to the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing by the school.

Examination results are valid for one year. Mechanical administrator license examinations are currently being conducted by PSI Exams. Contact PSI Exams for examination scheduling information. A list of reference materials for the examination is available in the Candidate Information Bulletin which can be obtained by contacting PSI Exams.

PSI Exams:

Website: https://candidate.psiexams.com/index.jsp

MEC Information

A mechanical administrator must be assigned to one of the entities referenced in AS 08.40.280 in order to practice. Assignment is limited to one licensed contractor except as referenced in AS 08.40.280. A licensee not practicing as a mechanical administrator may be issued a license in an "unassigned" status.

Sec. 08.40.280. Administrator limited to one licensed contractor. A person may not qualify or operate as a mechanical administrator for more than one registered contractor, corporation, joint venture, or other business entity, unless the municipality or community where the person qualifies or operates as a mechanical administrator is the principal place of business of fewer than three mechanical administrators.

Change of employer or company affiliation. A licensed mechanical administrator shall notify the department in writing within 15 days after a change in mechanical administration employment or company affiliation by submitting the Change of Employer/Affiliation form.

General Information

APPLICATION PROCESSING:

The average time to process a paper application varies by program but can take several weeks from the date it is received in this office complete with all correct forms, supporting documents and appropriate fees paid. When the application is complete and correct, and all supporting documents have been received and all fees have been paid, the license will be issued. Start the process far enough in advance to allow for processing time. Applications are reviewed in order of receipt in our office, and walk-in customers should not expect immediate review.

LICENSE TERM:

There is no "inactive" status. If you choose not to renew your license, it will lapse. Licenses are issued for a two-year period and expire on December 31 of odd-numbered years, regardless of the date of issuance, except licenses issued within 90 days of the expiration date are issued to the next biennial expiration date. One renewal notice will be sent via email or mail at least 30 days before license expiration to the last known email or mailing address of record. Failure to receive a renewal notice does not relieve a licensee from the responsibility of renewing a license on time.

PROFESSIONAL FITNESS QUESTIONS:

A "yes" response in the application does not mean your application will be denied. If you have responded "yes" to any professional fitness questions in the application, be sure to submit a signed and dated explanation, and the charging document and judgement.

DENIAL OF APPLICATION:

Please be aware that the denial of an application of licensure may be reported to any person, professional licensing board, federal, state, or local governmental agency, or other entity making a relevant inquiry or as may be required by law.

RANDOM AUDIT:

If your program requires continuing education, the Division will audit a percentage of the license renewals. If your license is randomly selected for audit, a letter will be sent with instructions to submit documentation as proof you satisfied the continuing competency requirements as stated on this renewal form. Licensees are randomly selected by computer and may be randomly selected as often as the computer program chooses. You must save your documents for at least four years so you can respond to audits.

ADDRESS OR NAME CHANGE:

In accordance with 12 AAC 02.900, it is the applicant's/licensee's responsibility to notify the Division, in writing, of changes of address or name. Name and address change notification forms are available on the Division's website. The address of record with the division will be used to send renewals and all other official notifications and correspondence. The name appearing on the license must be your current legal name.

CERTIFIED TRUE COPIES:

If any of the required documents will be issued under a former name, indicate on the application and submit marriage license and/or court documents that are notarized as a "certified true copy of the original document". To obtain a certified true copy, you must present the notary with the original document along with the photocopy. You must write, "I certify this is a true copy of the original document" and sign your name. The notary will compare the original document with the copy and then notarize your signature.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS:

AS 08.01.060 and 08.01.100 require that a U.S. Social Security Number be on file with the division before a professional license is issued or renewed for an individual. If you do not have a U.S. Social Security Number, please complete the Request for Exemption from Social Security Number Requirement form (#08-4372) located at *ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov* or contact the division for a copy of the form. This form is required with every application if you do not have a U.S. Social Security Number.

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PUBLIC INFORMATION:

Please be aware that all information on the application form will be available as a public record, unless required to be kept confidential by state or federal law.

ABANDONED APPLICATIONS:

Under 12 AAC 02.910, an application is considered abandoned when 12 months have elapsed since correspondence was last received from or on behalf of the applicant. An abandoned application is denied without prejudice. At the time of abandonment, the division will send notification to the last known address of the applicant, who has 30 days to submit a written request for a refund of biennial license and other fees paid. The application fee will not be refunded. If no request for refund is received within that timeframe, no refund will be issued, and all fees will be forfeited.

BUSINESS LICENSES:

The status of a professional license will directly impact the status of an associated business license. Renewal applications for business licenses are mailed separately. For more information about business licenses, (907) 465-2550 or *BusinessLicense.Alaska.Gov*

STALE DOCUMENTS:

Application forms, authorizations and verifications older than 12 months from the date the document was received by the division will be considered stale; the document must be resubmitted as appropriate before the application will be considered by the division or a licensing board. Application documents include the application documents and verifications of licensure from other licensing jurisdictions. (12 AAC 02.915)

PAYMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT:

If the Alaska Child Support Enforcement Division has determined that you are in arrears on child support, you may be issued a nonrenewable temporary license valid for 150 days. Contact Child Support Services at (907) 269-6900 to resolve payment issues.

STATUTES AND REGULATIONS:

The complete set of statutes and regulations for this program are available by written request or online at the division's website: ProfessionalLicense.Alaska.Gov

If you would like to receive notice of all proposed regulation changes for your program, please send a request in writing with your name, preferred contact method (mail or email), and the specific program you want to be updated on to the address below.

Regulations Specialist

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Mechanical Administrator by	/ Examination	License	Application

PART I Lice	ense Category			
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	Residential HVAC (RHVC)		Unlimited Refrigeration (UR)	
Category:	☐ Mechanical Systems Temperature Cor	itrol (CNTL)	Residential Plumbing and Hyd	dronic
	Unlimited Commercial and Industrial F	Plumbing (UCIP)	Heating (RPHH)	
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PART III Pe	rsonal Information			
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not be publicly disclosed;	it may be used to verify inter-state licensure.	i		!

PART IV Cer	tificate of Fit	iness						
Do you hold a Certifi	icate of Fitness iss	ued by the Alaska Departn	nent of Labor	?		Yes		No
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PART V Journeyman Certificate								
Do you hold a certific temperature control		nan in plumbing, HVAC or l	mechanical			Yes		No
License Type:			License Nur	mber:				
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PART VI Cor	ntractor Assig	gnment						
Do you wish to assig	n your license to a	a contractor licensed in Ala	ska?			Yes		No
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PART IX Examination History List any state(s) and date(s) in which you passed or failed a mechanical administrator's exam. All exam verifications must come from the state. **Date Administered** State **Administered By** Result Pass □ Fail Pass □ Fail **Recent Employment PART X** Describe, in detail, job related experiences (daily responsibilities, notable projects, relevant skills, etc.) obtained in the category (or categories) for which you are applying. Note that a year of experience means that within a 12-consecutive-month period you worked in a required field or position for at least 1,500 hours (12 AAC 32.930). List your most recent experience first. Include additional pages, if needed. A resume may be submitted in lieu of Part X as long is contains all the requested information stated below. **Contractor License Number: Employer Name:** (If Alaska Contractor) P.O. Box or Street **Mailing Address: Employment Employment Hours Worked Per End Date:** Week: **Start Date: Position Held:** ☐ Journeyman Foreman Supervisor Contractor Other: **Description of Duties: Contractor License Number: Employer Name:** (If Alaska Contractor) P.O. Box or Street **Mailing Address: Employment Employment Hours Worked Per Start Date: End Date:** Week: □ Journeyman **Position Held:** Foreman Supervisor Contractor Other: **Description of Duties:**

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2. Resid	ential HVAC (RHVC) – 12 AA	AC 39.322					
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Applicant Experience and Qualifications (continued) 3. Unlimited Refrigeration (UR) - 12 AAC 39.262 I certify that I'm qualified to be licensed as a mechanical administrator in this category based on (mark one or more of the following, as applicable): **a.** Practical experience as a journeyman in refrigeration. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: **b.** Being a graduate of a college, university, or trade school in refrigeration that is accredited regionally or nationally or approved by the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education. 4. Unlimited HVAC/Sheet Metal (UHVCS) - 12 AAC 39.242 I certify that I'm qualified to be licensed as a mechanical administrator in this category based on (mark one or more of the following, as applicable): **a.** Practical experience as a journeyman in HVAC and sheet metal work. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: **b.** Management experience in HVAC and sheet metal work as a field superintendent or similar position. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: c. A degree in mechanical engineering from a nationally or regionally accredited college or university plus practical experience as a journeyman or field engineer in HVAC and sheet metal work. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: d. A registration in the State of Alaska as a professional mechanical engineer plus management experience in the mechanical contracting industry as a field engineer or similar engineering position. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: 5. Mechanical Systems Temperature Control (CNTL) - 12 AAC 39.282 I certify that I'm qualified to be licensed as a mechanical administrator in this category based on (mark one or more of the following, as applicable): a. Practical experience as a journeyman in mechanical systems temperature control work. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: b. Management experience in mechanical systems temperature control work as a field superintendent or similar position. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: c. A degree in mechanical engineering or mechanical systems temperature control from a nationally or regionally accredited college or university. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months: 6. Residential Plumbing and Hydronic Heating (RPHH) - 12 AAC 39.302 I certify that I'm qualified to be licensed as a mechanical administrator in this category based on: a. Practical experience as a journeyman in residential plumbing and hydronic heating work. **Total Number** From Date: To Date: of Months:

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2. Have you ever been found guilty of misconduct, dishonesty, fraud, incompetence, and/or gross negligence in the practice for which you are applying?									
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Signature Page							
Applicant Name:							
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PART XIV Agre	ement	·					
	m the person herein named and subscribing to this application and ontent thereof. I declare that all of the information contained here true and correct.						
I understand that any falsification or misrepresentation of any item or response in this application, or any attachment hereto, or falsification or misrepresentation of documents to support this application, is sufficient grounds for denying, revoking, or otherwise disciplining a license, certificate, or permit to practice in the state of Alaska.							
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MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE CATEGORIES, QUALIFICATIONS, AND SCOPE.

12 AAC 39.202. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL PLUMBING CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited commercial and industrial plumbing category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has

- (1) practical experience as a journeyman plumber for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of the application;
- (2) management experience in plumbing work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of application;
- (3) a combination of experience as a journeyman plumber and management experience in plumbing work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of application;
- (4) a degree in mechanical engineering from a nationally or regionally accredited college or university plus practical experience as a journeyman plumber or field engineer for at least one of the three years immediately preceding the date of application; or
- (5) a registration in the state as a professional mechanical engineer plus management experience in the mechanical contracting industry as a field engineer or similar engineering position for at least one of the three years immediately preceding the date of application.

Authority: AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.270

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.212. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL PLUMBING CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited commercial and industrial plumbing category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400,
 - (1) all plumbing work described in (b) of this section;
 - (2) the work defined under the heating, cooling, and process piping category in 12 AAC 39.232(b);
 - (3) the work defined under the mechanical systems temperature control category in 12 AAC 39.292; and
 - (4) the work defined under the residential plumbing and hydronic heating category in 12 AAC 39.312(b).
- (b) Plumbing work includes the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of
- (1) plumbing, fixtures, fixture traps, and domestic water, waste, storm, and vent pipes, including all of their devices, appurtenances, and connections, that extend no more than five feet horizontally outside the building or structure that they serve, and through which domestic water, waste, sewage, oil, drainage, and air are carried;
- (2) piping, fixtures, or equipment that is an integral part of a swimming pool, spa, or hot tub filter or heating system, or solar energy system;
- (3) fuel oil and gas piping and appliances, and their appurtenances either within the property lines of the building or structure to be served by the fuel oil and gas, or to the point of connection with the utility system; and
- (4) lawn sprinkler systems that are connected to a potable water supply, including excavation and backfilling as necessary for proper installation of the system.
- (c) In this section "fixtures" includes water closets, lavatories, bathtubs, showers, kitchen sinks, laundry trays, hot water tanks, softeners, urinals, bidets, service sinks, shower pans, drink fountains, water pumps, water conditioners, water coolers, and other similar fixtures used in water systems.
- (d) A mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited commercial and industrial plumbing category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all pneumatic or electric controls, and may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less, necessary for the operation of plumbing or water conditioning equipment so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

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12 AAC 39.222. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE HEATING, COOLING, AND PROCESS PIPING CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the heating, cooling, and process piping category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has

- (1) practical experience as a journeyman in heating, cooling, and process piping work for at least four of the six years immediately before the date of application;
- (2) construction management experience in heating, cooling, and process piping work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately before the date of application;

- (3) a degree in mechanical engineering from a nationally or regionally accredited college or university plus practical experience as a journeyman pipefitter or field engineer in heating, cooling, and process piping work for at least one of the three years immediately before the date of application; or
- (4) a registration in the state as a professional mechanical engineer plus management experience in the mechanical contracting industry as a field engineer or similar engineering position for at least one of the three years immediately before the date of application.

Authority: AS 08.40.230 AS 08.40.260 AS 08.40.270 AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.232. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE HEATING, COOLING, AND PROCESS PIPING CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the heating, cooling, and process piping category may supervise all work described in (b) of this section in accordance with AS 08.40.400.
 - (b) Heating, cooling, and process piping work includes the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of
 - (1) hydronic heating, cooling, and process piping systems, including steam and hot water systems of any temperature-pressure range, chilled water systems, condensing water systems, pressure vessels, heat exchangers, boilers, refrigeration water chillers, cooling towers, fuel oil tanks and piping, and fuel gas piping; and
 - (2) steam and hot water boilers, including chimney connections, flues, refractories, burners, fittings, valves, thermal insulation, controls, accessories, and incidental piping.
- (c) A mechanical administrator licensed in the heating, cooling, and process piping category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all pneumatic or electric controls and the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less necessary for the operation of heating, cooling, and process piping equipment and systems so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.

Authority: AS 08.40.230 AS 08.40.260 AS 08.40.400 AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.242. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED HVAC/SHEET METAL CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited HVAC/sheet metal category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has

- (1) practical experience as a journeyman in HVAC and sheet metal work for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of the application;
- (2) management experience in HVAC and sheet metal work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of application;
- (3) a combination of experience as a journeyman in HVAC and sheet metal work and management experience in HVAC and sheet metal work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of application;
- (4) a degree in mechanical engineering from a nationally or regionally accredited college or university plus practical experience as a journeyman or field engineer in HVAC and sheet metal work for at least one of the three years immediately preceding the date of application; or
- (5) a registration in the state as a professional mechanical engineer plus management experience in the mechanical contracting industry as a field engineer or similar engineering position for at least one of the three years immediately preceding the date of application.

Authority: AS 08.40.230 AS 08.40.260 AS 08.40.270 AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.252. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED HVAC/SHEET METAL CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited HVAC/sheet metal category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400,
 - (1) all HVAC/sheet metal work described in (b) of this section;
- (2) the work defined under the heating, cooling, and process piping category in 12 AAC 39.232(b) that is integral to work on an HVAC system;
- (3) the work defined under the mechanical systems temperature control category in 12 AAC 39.292 that is integral to work on an HVAC system; and
 - (4) the work defined under the residential HVAC category in 12 AAC 39.332(b).
- (b) HVAC/sheet metal work includes the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of the following as they apply to HVAC systems only:
 - (1) all components of the air handling and refrigeration cycle, including fans, coils, evaporative cooling units, self-contained packaged air conditioning and heating units, air handling units, condensing units, furnaces, flues, chimneys, duct work, cooled mechanical air handling and ventilation applications, and related accessories;

- (2) fuel oil tanks and piping and fuel gas piping.
- (c) A mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited HVAC/sheet metal category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all pneumatic or electric controls and the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less necessary for the operation of HVAC equipment or systems so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.
- (d) A mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited HVAC/sheet metal category is not authorized to install or supervise the installation of piping other than fuel oil and fuel gas piping, refrigerant piping, chilled water piping, and condensing water piping that is integral to work on an HVAC system.
- (e) Only sheet metal work directly related to heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems, and any work covered by the Uniform Mechanical Code, is required to be supervised by a mechanical administrator licensed in the HVAC/sheet metal category defined in this section.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.400

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.262. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED REFRIGERATION CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited refrigeration category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant

- (1) has practical experience as a journeyman in refrigeration for at least two of the four years immediately before the date of application; or
- (2) is a graduate of a college, university, or trade school in refrigeration that is accredited regionally or nationally or approved by the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.270

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.272. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE UNLIMITED REFRIGERATION CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the unlimited refrigeration category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of refrigeration and air conditioning equipment and systems, unlimited as to thermal capacity or type of refrigerant, including the installation of domestic water piping from an existing valved connection to the system, tower and condensing water piping, and chilled water piping. Work under this category is limited to the refrigerant cycle, controls, and related appurtenances.
- (b) A mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited refrigeration category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all pneumatic or electric controls and the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less necessary for the operation of refrigeration systems so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.400

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.282. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE MECHANICAL SYSTEMS TEMPERATURE CONTROL CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the mechanical systems temperature control category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has

- (1) practical experience as a journeyman in mechanical systems temperature control work for at least two of the four years immediately before the date of application;
- (2) management experience in mechanical systems temperature control work as a field superintendent or similar position for at least four of the six years immediately preceding the date of the application; or
- (3) a degree in mechanical engineering from a regionally or nationally accredited college or university, or is a graduate of a college, university, or trade school in mechanical systems temperature control that is regionally or nationally accredited or approved by the Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.270

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.292. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE MECHANICAL SYSTEMS TEMPERATURE CONTROL CATEGORY.

The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the mechanical systems temperature control category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all pneumatic or electric controls and the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less necessary for all mechanical systems described in this chapter so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical

administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.

Authority: AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.400

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.302. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE RESIDENTIAL PLUMBING AND HYDRONIC HEATING CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the residential plumbing and hydronic heating category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has practical experience as a journeyman in residential plumbing and hydronic heating work for at least two of the four years immediately preceding the date of the application.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.270

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.312. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE RESIDENTIAL PLUMBING AND HYDRONIC HEATING CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the residential plumbing and hydronic heating category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, all work described in (b) of this section for a single-family dwelling, or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories.
 - (b) Residential plumbing and hydronic heating work includes the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of
- (1) plumbing, fixtures, and water conditioners for a single-family dwelling or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories;
- (2) hot water heating systems not exceeding 50 P.S.I. working pressure for a single family dwelling, or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories;
 - (3) existing plumbing systems, including fixtures, softener installation, and accessories;
- (4) fuel gas piping downstream of the gas meter, or fuel tank and fuel oil piping for a single-family dwelling, or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories; and
- (5) lawn sprinkler systems that are connected to a potable water supply, including excavation and backfilling as necessary for proper installation of the system.
- (c) A mechanical administrator licensed in the residential plumbing and hydronic heating category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all plug-in type electrical control panels and apparatus and the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less, in a residential single-family dwelling or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.
- (d) Nothing in this section prohibits a mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited commercial and industrial plumbing category, as described in 12 AAC 39.212, or in the heating, cooling, and process piping category, as described in 12 AAC 39.232, from performing or supervising mechanical work on a residential dwelling.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.400

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.322. QUALIFICATIONS FOR A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE RESIDENTIAL HVAC CATEGORY.

An applicant for a mechanical administrator license in the residential HVAC category shall furnish proof satisfactory to the department that the applicant has practical experience as a journeyman in residential HVAC work for at least two of the four years immediately preceding the date of the application.

Authority:

AS 08.40.230

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.270

AS 08.40.240

12 AAC 39.332. SCOPE OF A MECHANICAL ADMINISTRATOR LICENSE IN THE RESIDENTIAL HVAC CATEGORY.

- (a) The holder of a mechanical administrator license in the residential HVAC category may supervise all work described in (b) of this section in accordance with AS 08.40.400.
 - (b) Residential HVAC work includes the installation, alteration, or retrofitting of
- (1) fuel gas piping downstream of the gas meter, or fuel tank and fuel oil piping that is integral to work on an HVAC system for a single-family dwelling or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories; and
 - (2) warm air heating systems not exceeding 240,000 B.T.U./hour input.
- (c) A mechanical administrator licensed in the residential HVAC category may supervise, in accordance with AS 08.40.400, the installation or retrofitting of all plug-in type electrical control panels and apparatus, and may supervise the retrofitting of all control wiring of 48 volts or less, in a residential single-family dwelling or a duplex dwelling not exceeding three stories so long as those modifications do not alter the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system or controls. The original installation of control wiring, or the alteration or retrofitting of controls and control wiring that alters the electrical characteristics of the mechanical system, must be supervised by an electrical administrator licensed in the appropriate category under 12 AAC 32.
- (d) Nothing in this section prohibits a mechanical administrator licensed in the unlimited HVAC/sheet metal category, as described in 12 AAC 39.252, from performing or supervising mechanical work on a residential dwelling.

Authority: AS 08.40.230 08-4903 (NEW 08/30/2024)

AS 08.40.260

AS 08.40.400

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