# INSTRUCTIONS FOR STATE OF ALASKA **CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS**

### ASBESTOS ABATEMENT CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS

**LICENSE FEE:** \$100.00 Initial/Renewal 1 year license

Asbestos Abatement requires forty (40) hours initial course by an approved Asbestos Abatement training provider. Contact a state approved provider for dates and times of classes. Once you have completed the training you may obtain a license by completing, signing, and dating an application and paying the required license fee at the Anchorage Mechanical Inspection office: 1251 Muldoon Road Suite 113, Anchorage, Alaska 99504. If an application is mailed **you must enclose a head and shoulders photo of yourself (photo must** be no smaller than 2" x 2" in size.) Polaroid photos are acceptable. Photo must have applicant's name on it. All applications are approved in the Anchorage office.

### WORK MAY NOT BE PERFORMED WITH AN EXPIRED LICENSE

**Renewal:** Card holders must take the 8 hour renewal course within one year after the expiration of the previously issued certificate. If not taken within one year of expiration, then the applicant must retake the initial forty (40) hour course. Renewal license may be obtained by the same means as stated above.

### \*\*ASBESTOS LICENSE WILL EXPIRE ONE YEAR FROM THE LAST DAY OF TRAINING\*\*

### HAZARDOUS PAINT HANDLERS CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS LICENSE FEE: \$100.00 Initial/Renewal 3 year license

Hazardous Paint Handlers requires sixteen (16) hours of initial training conducted by an approved Hazardous Paint training provider. Contact a state approved provider for dates and times of classes. Once you have completed the training, you must apply and pay the required license fee within 90 days at the Anchorage Mechanical Inspection office: 1251 Muldoon Rd. Suite 113, Anchorage, Alaska 99504. If you do not apply and obtain the license within 90 days, you will have to retake the initial sixteen (16) hour course. If application is mailed, you must enclose a head and shoulders photo of yourself (photo must be no smaller than 2" x 2" in size). Polaroid photos are acceptable. Photo must have applicant's name on it. All applications are approved in the Anchorage office.

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Renewal: requires an 8-hour refresher course conducted by an approved training provider. Contact an approved provider for dates and times of classes. Once you have completed the training, you must apply and pay the required license fee within 90 days. If paperwork is not received within the 90 day timeframe, applicants are required to retake the eight (8) hours of refresher training.

## EXPLOSIVES HANDLERS CERTIFICATE OF FITNESS

**LICENSE FEE:** \$150.00 Initial/Renewal 3 year license

Explosive Handlers (Initial) – requires an application to be completed, an initial 32 hour training course, provide (1) fingerprint card and a \$47.00 fee to be paid at the time of application for the State required background check; a notarized employment verification form showing a minimum of six (6) months experience in the State of Alaska as a driller, chucktender, or powderman's helper (DO NOT **INCLUDE MILITARY ORDINANCE WORK).** An application by mail will require a photo, head and shoulders, approximately 2" x 2". Contact the Anchorage Mechanical Inspection office at (907) 269-4963 to schedule an exam. You must be approved prior to setting a testing date. Exams may also be taken in other selected Alaska communities. The exam may only be taken twice within a six-month period. A passing score requires 75 percent or greater. After successful completion of the exam, a completed background check, and 32 hour course completion a license will be issued after the \$150.00 fee is paid.

Renewal: You must complete your renewal application, submit the \$47.00 fee, and provide (1) one fingerprint card for the state required background check and submit a certificate for the state approved eight (8) hour training course, taken within the last 18 months. These may be presented by mail or in person, to the Anchorage Mechanical Inspection office.

## PLEASE BEGIN THE RENEWAL PROCESS 90 DAYS PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF YOUR CURRENT CARD

\*\*All mail in applications must include a head and shoulders photo of yourself (photo must be no smaller than 2" x 2" in size.) Polaroid photos are acceptable. Photo must have applicant's name on it.

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