

Department of Labour and Advanced Education

Non-Adjudicative Board Selection Criteria

NON-ADJUDICATIVE		Technical Safety Advisory Board
1	Statute	Technical Safety Act s. 11 The <i>Technical Safety General Regulations</i> will govern this Board.
2	Purpose	The Technical Safety Advisory Board advises the Minister regarding the administration or reform of the Act, the regulations and the standards.
3	Functions	The Board advises the Minister on such matters as determined by the Minister; the promotion and support of technical safety, certification and training of persons involved in regulated work and incident prevention; matters arising from the functioning of non-profit organizations with mandates that relate to the purpose of the Act; and the issuance, expiry, suspension and revocation of licenses, registrations, permits or certifications or other matters as specified by the Minister.
4	Composition	The Board may have up to 17 members appointed by the Minister including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) the Administrator or 1 member as the Administrator's representative to be a non-voting member and to hold the position of secretary to the Advisory Board; (b) the Chair of the Apprenticeship Board, or a member of the Apprenticeship Board as selected by the Apprenticeship Board Chair to be a non-voting member; (c) the Director of Apprenticeship Training Division or 1 member as the Director's representative to be a non-voting member; (d) 1 representative from the Construction Association of Nova Scotia, as selected by that organization; (e) 1 representative from the Canadian Manufacturers and Exporters, as selected by that organization; (f) 1 representative from the Building Owners and Managers Association Nova Scotia, as selected by that organization. (g) 1 member with a Provincial or inter-provincial first class power engineer licence and who is working in a first class boiler plant; (h) 1 member with experience working for a public utility performing inspections of electrical installations; (i) 1 member with a crane operator 1 licence with a lattice boom crane endorsement and experience in crane operation; (j) 1 member with experience in the manufacturing of boiler or pressure equipment; (k) 1 member with experience in a business installing or maintaining amusement devices; (l) 1 member with experience in a business installing or maintaining

		<p>elevating devices;</p> <p>(m) 1 member with experience in the oil appliance installation or service industry;</p> <p>(n) 1 member with experience in the propane or natural gas appliance, container or equipment installation or service industry;</p> <p>(o) 1 member with experience as an individual who holds a certificate of competency or certificate of qualification in a trade within the scope of the Act or regulations under the Act;</p> <p>(p) up to 3 other members as the Minister considers necessary for the efficient and effective operation of the Advisory Board.</p>
5	Formal Qualifications	None
6	Work & Experience Requirements	Members require a depth and breadth of knowledge and experience on technical safety matters, and knowledge of the Technical Safety Act, its' regulations and their application.
7	Skills Required	All members should possess general skill requirements including: ability to exercise fair judgement; good communication skills; a high degree of integrity and a good reputation amongst their peers.
8	Statutory/Traditional Nomination Requirements	There are none.
9	Term of Appointment	Members of the Board are appointed for a term of up to 3 years, and may be reappointed.
10	Remuneration	Members of the Board must serve without remuneration, but are reimbursed for the expenses necessarily and reasonably incurred.
11	Anticipated Time Commitments	New board, time commitments to be established.
12	Other Notes	The Advisory Board may, with the approval of the Minister, create and appoint members to subcommittees; seek advise from experts or specialists in technical safety and determine the mandate of a subcommittee. A member of the Advisory Board shall serve as the Chair of any Subcommittee that is established.