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In force date of regulations: As of March 4, 2005*, the date a regulation comes into force is determined by subsection 3(6) of the *Regulations Act*. The date a regulation is made, the date a regulation is approved, the date a regulation is filed and any date specified in a regulation are important to determine when the regulation is in force.

*Date that subsections 3(6) and (7) and Sections 11 and 13 of the *Regulations Act* and amendments to the *Regulations Act* made by Chapter 46 of the Acts of 2004 were proclaimed in force.

N.S. Reg. 198/2016

Made: October 4, 2016

Filed: October 5, 2016

Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area Regulations—amendment

Order dated October 4, 2016

Amendment to regulations made by the Minister of Environment
pursuant to Section 106 of the *Environment Act***In the matter of the Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area Regulations
made under Section 106 of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1994-95,
the *Environment Act***

and

**In the matter of an amendment to the regulations respecting
the Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area
made by the Minister of Environment pursuant to
subsection 106(6) of the *Environment Act*****Order**

I, Margaret Miller, Minister of Environment for the Province of Nova Scotia, pursuant to Section 106 of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1994-95, the *Environment Act*, hereby amend the regulations respecting the Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area, N.S. Reg 154/92, made by the Minister of the Environment by order dated July 10, 1992, in the manner set forth in Schedule “A”.

Dated and made in Halifax, Nova Scotia, October 4, 2016.

sgd: *M. Miller*
Honourable Margaret Miller
Minister of Environment**Schedule “A”****Amendment to the regulations respecting the
Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area
made by the Minister of Environment pursuant to subsection 106(6)
of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1994-95, the *Environment Act***

- 1 Clause 1(m) of the regulations respecting the Lake Major Watershed Protected Water Area, N.S. Reg. 154/92, made by the Minister of the Environment by order dated July 10, 1992, is amended by striking out “Water Utility of the City of Dartmouth” and substituting “Halifax Regional Water Commission”.
- 2 Subsection 4(4) of the regulations is amended by adding “, other than a vessel authorized by the Water Utility for the purpose of maintenance of the Lake Major Dam for a term ending no later than December 31, 2016” immediately after “gasoline”.

N.S. Reg. 199/2016

Made: June 16, 2015

Filed: October 6, 2016

Cape Chignecto Provincial Park Designation of Additional Lands

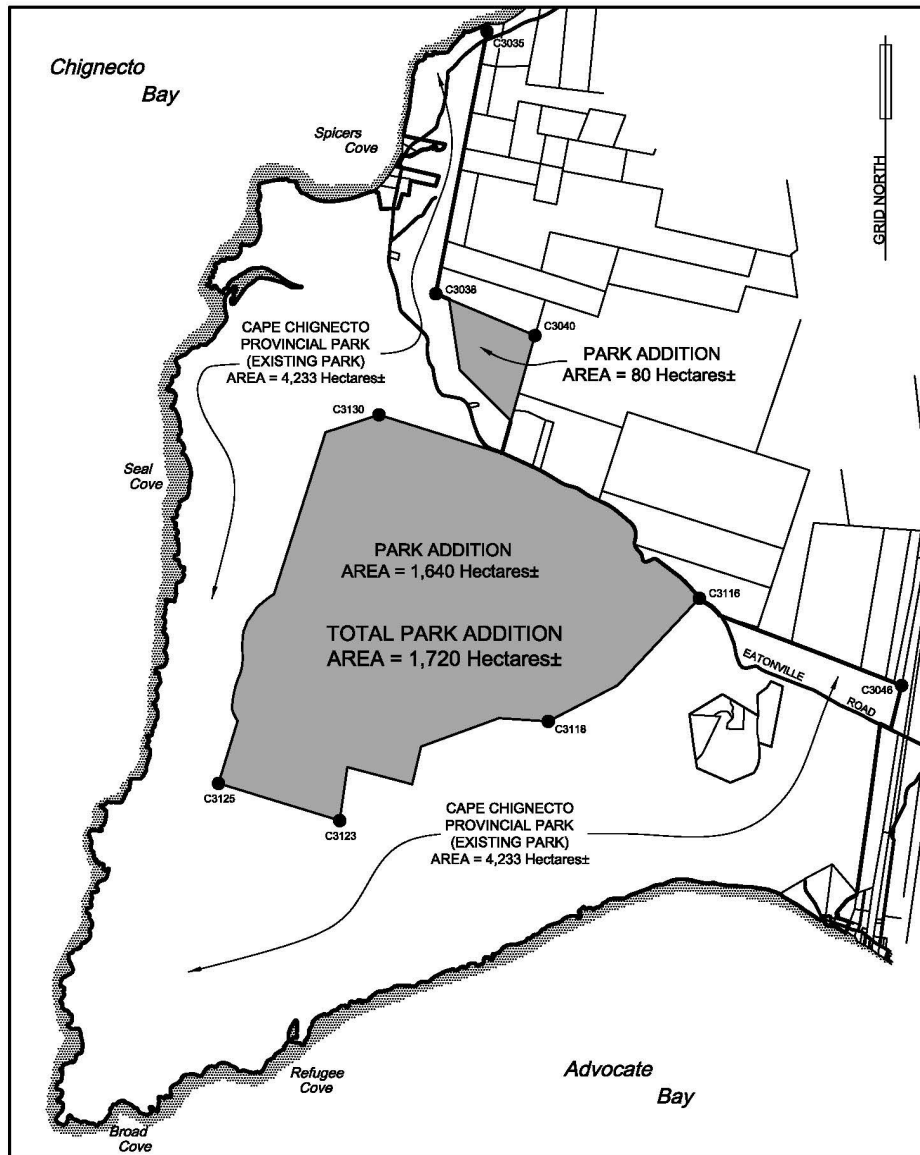
Order in Council 2015-178 dated June 16, 2015

Designation made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to Section 8 of the *Provincial Parks Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Natural Resources dated January 15, 2015, and pursuant to Section 8 of Chapter 367 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Provincial Parks Act*, is pleased, effective on and after June 16, 2015, to

- (a) increase the size of Cape Chignecto Provincial Park, originally designated by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 1998-350 dated July 23, 1998, by adding to it the lands shown outlined in bold on the plan marked Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation; and
- (b) authorize the Minister of Natural Resources to execute such documents as may be necessary to achieve the purposes of this order.

Schedule "A"



SCHEDULE "A"

**CAPE CHIGNECTO
PROVINCIAL PARK
PARK ADDITION**

WEST ADVOCATE
CUMBERLAND COUNTY
PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

SCALE 1 : 60,000

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES,
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

Boundaries shown on this plan are a graphic representation only and do not necessarily represent the true shape or position of lot boundaries. The true location of the boundaries shown are subject to a field survey.
Area shown on this plan is approximate only and is subject to a boundary survey.

RESOURCE INFORMATION:

Index Sheet No. 41
C.L.F.S. No. G-13, F-13, F-14, G-14
Resource Map: 21H/7-U4, 21H/7-U2, 21H/7-U1

Compiled from Field Plot P-161/94-1, dated June 9, 1998
and Department of Natural Resources GIS mapping.

LEGEND:

- Area Dealt With By This Plan.....
- Existing Park Boundary.....
- Survey Marker..... C3119

FIELD PLOT NO.
P-077/14

N.S. Reg. 200/2016

Made: June 16, 2015

Filed: October 6, 2016

Blomidon Provincial Park Designation of Additional Lands

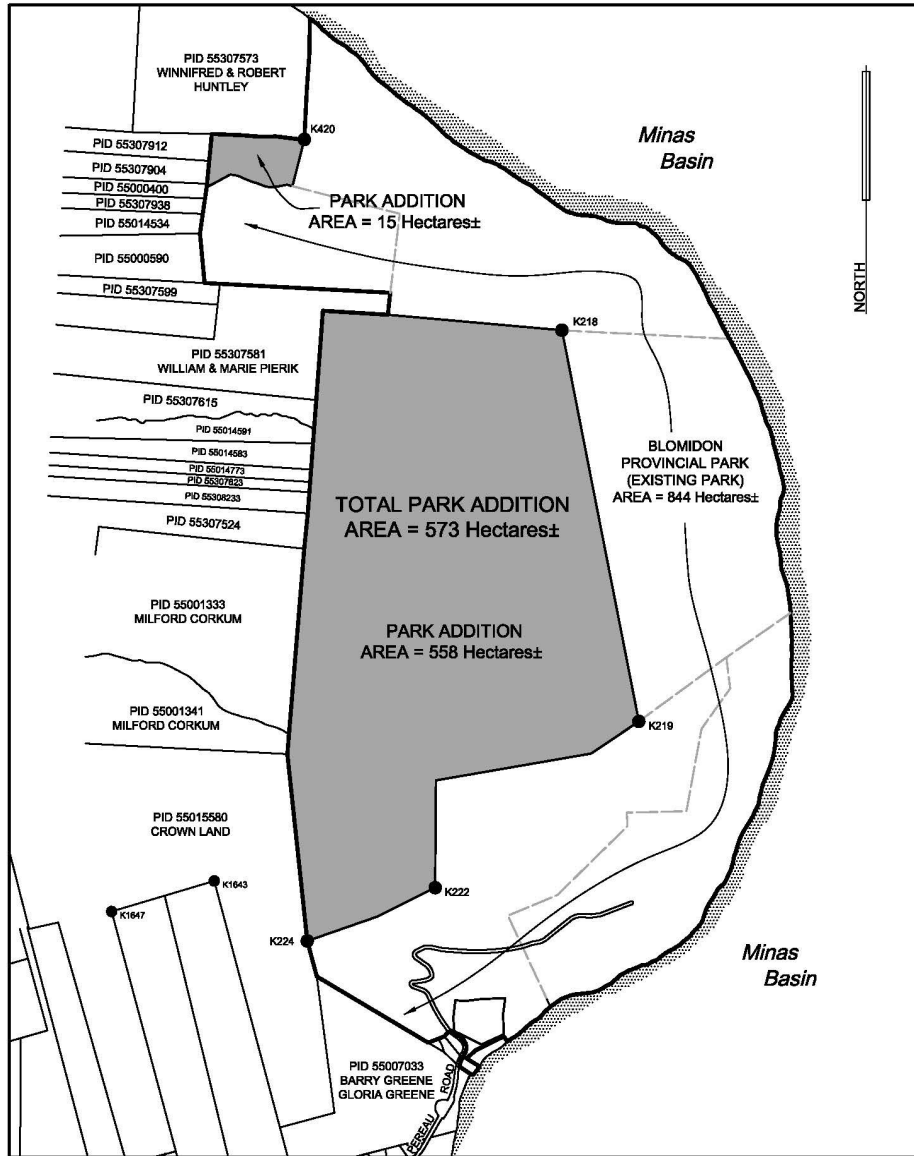
Order in Council 2015-179 dated June 16, 2015

Designation made by the Governor in Council
pursuant to Section 8 of the *Provincial Parks Act*

The Governor in Council on the report and recommendation of the Minister of Natural Resources dated January 14, 2015, and pursuant to Section 8 of Chapter 367 of the Revised Statutes of Nova Scotia, 1989, the *Provincial Parks Act*, is pleased, effective on and after June 16, to

- (a) increase the size of Blomidon Provincial Park, originally designated by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 74-1381 dated December 19, 1974, by adding to it the lands shown outlined in bold on the plan marked Schedule "A" attached to and forming part of the report and recommendation; and
- (b) authorize the Minister of Natural Resources to execute such documents as may be necessary to achieve the purposes of this order.

Schedule "A"



SCHEDULE "A"

**BLOMIDON PROVINCIAL PARK
PARK ADDITION**

BLOMIDON
KINGS COUNTY
PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

SCALE 1 : 30,000

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES,
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

RESOURCE INFORMATION

Index Sheet No. 51 and 52
C.L.F.S. No. G-18
Resource Map: 21H/8-R2

Compiled from Field Plot P-010/02 signed by
Bruce E. Turner, dated March 11, 2002 and
Department of Natural Resources GIS mapping.

LEGEND:

- Area Dealt With By This Plan.....
- Existing Park Boundary.....
- Survey Marker..... C3119

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FIELD PLOT NO.
P-076/14

N.S. Reg. 201/2016

Made: October 6, 2016

Filed: October 7, 2016

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated October 6, 2016
made by the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

Order**M07688****In the matter of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*****- and -****In the matter of prescribing prices for petroleum products
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and
Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*****Before:** Richard J. Melanson, Member

Whereas the purpose of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations* is to ensure just and reasonable prices for specified petroleum products taking into consideration the objectives of preserving the availability of such products in rural areas, stabilizing prices of such products and minimizing the variances in prices of such products across the Province;

And whereas the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board (“Board”) considered the manner in which it would proceed to set petroleum product prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

And whereas the Board revised the retail margin and transportation allowance effective January 6, 2012, in its decision, 2011 NSUARB 181, issued on November 23, 2011;

And whereas the Board revised the wholesale margin effective January 4, 2013, in its decision, 2012 NSUARB 213, issued on December 12, 2012;

And whereas the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended October 5, 2016, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	53.5¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	53.4¢ per litre

Now therefore the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for petroleum products to be:

Gasoline:	
Grade 1	53.5¢ per litre
Grade 2	56.5¢ per litre
Grade 3	59.5¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	53.4¢ per litre

And now therefore the Board has determined, based on historical data regarding price changes and to achieve revenue neutrality, it is appropriate to apply, and the Board so orders, forward averaging corrections of:

Gasoline:	plus 0.7¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	plus 1.1¢ per litre

And whereas a winter blending adjustment of plus 3.6¢ per litre is required for ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil;

And now therefore the Board prescribes the prices for petroleum products as set forth in Schedule “A” effective on and after 12:01 a.m., October 7, 2016.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 6th day of October, 2016.

sgd: Elaine Wagner
Clerk of the Board

Schedule "A"

**Prices Prescribed for Petroleum Products
under the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and the
Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations
effective on and after 12:01 a.m. on October 6, 2016**

Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule								
Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre					Self-Service Pump Prices		Full-Service Pump Prices	
					(Pump Prices includes 15% HST)			
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
Zone 1								
Regular Unleaded	61.3	10.0	15.5	86.8	105.3	107.4	105.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	64.3	10.0	15.5	89.8	108.8	110.9	108.8	999.9
Premium Unleaded	67.3	10.0	15.5	92.8	112.2	114.3	112.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	65.2	4.0	15.4	84.6	102.8	104.9	102.8	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	61.8	10.0	15.5	87.3	105.9	108.0	105.9	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	64.8	10.0	15.5	90.3	109.4	111.4	109.4	999.9
Premium Unleaded	67.8	10.0	15.5	93.3	112.8	114.9	112.8	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	65.7	4.0	15.4	85.1	103.4	105.5	103.4	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	62.2	10.0	15.5	87.7	106.4	108.4	106.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	65.2	10.0	15.5	90.7	109.8	111.9	109.8	999.9
Premium Unleaded	68.2	10.0	15.5	93.7	113.3	115.3	113.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	66.1	4.0	15.4	85.5	103.8	105.9	103.8	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	106.5	108.6	106.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	109.9	112.0	109.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	68.3	10.0	15.5	93.8	113.4	115.5	113.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	66.2	4.0	15.4	85.6	104.0	106.0	104.0	999.9
Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	106.5	108.6	106.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	109.9	112.0	109.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	68.3	10.0	15.5	93.8	113.4	115.5	113.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	66.2	4.0	15.4	85.6	104.0	106.0	104.0	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	63.0	10.0	15.5	88.5	107.3	109.4	107.3	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	66.0	10.0	15.5	91.5	110.7	112.8	110.7	999.9
Premium Unleaded	69.0	10.0	15.5	94.5	114.2	116.3	114.2	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	66.9	4.0	15.4	86.3	104.8	106.8	104.8	999.9

N.S. Reg. 202/2016 to 231/2016

Made: October 5, 2016

Filed: October 11, 2016

Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act Regulations

Order dated October 5, 2016

Regulations made by the Apprenticeship Board
pursuant to Section 17A of the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***Apprenticeship Board****Regulations under Section 17A of the
*Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

I, Carol MacCulloch, Chair of the Apprenticeship Board for the Province of Nova Scotia, certify that at a meeting on October 5, 2016, the Apprenticeship Board, pursuant to Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*, carried a motion, effective on and after October 5, 2016, to rescind the motion carried by the Apprenticeship Board at its regular meeting held June 15, 2016, to repeal the trade regulations respecting the non-compulsory trades and replace them with new trade regulations as set out in Schedules "A" to "AA" attached to Schedule "C" to the report and recommendation sent to Apprenticeship Board members in advance of the June 15, 2016, meeting and reviewed by the Apprenticeship Board on June 15, 2016.

I further certify that at the meeting on October 5, 2016, the Apprenticeship Board carried a motion to do all of the following, effective on and after April 1, 2017:

- (a) repeal the *Agricultural Equipment Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 299/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-430 dated October 6, 2009;
- (b) make new trade regulations respecting the agricultural equipment technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule "A";
- (c) repeal the *Alarm and Security Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 186/2012, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2012-320 dated October 2, 2012;
- (d) make new trade regulations respecting the alarm and security technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule "B";
- (e) repeal the *Automotive Glass Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 56/2012, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2012-54 dated February 29, 2012;
- (f) make new trade regulations respecting the automotive glass technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule "C";
- (g) repeal the *Blaster Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 90/2008, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2008-66 dated February 26, 2008;
- (h) make new trade regulations respecting the blaster trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule "D";
- (i) repeal the *Boat Builder Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 228/2013, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2013-204 dated June 25, 2013;

- (j) make new trade regulations respecting the boat builder trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “E”;
- (k) repeal the trade regulations respecting the carpenter trade, N.S. Reg. 85/1982, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 82-517 dated April 20, 1982;
- (l) make new trade regulations respecting the carpenter trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “F”;
- (m) repeal the *Cook Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 298/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-429 dated October 6, 2009;
- (n) make new trade regulations respecting the cook trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “G”;
- (o) repeal the *Floorcovering Installer Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 297/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-428 dated October 6, 2009;
- (p) make new trade regulations respecting the floorcovering installer trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “H”;
- (q) repeal the *Gas Fitter Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 3/1999, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 1999-29 dated February 3, 1999;
- (r) make new trade regulations respecting the gas fitter trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “I”;
- (s) repeal the trade regulations respecting the heavy duty equipment technician trade, N.S. Reg. 4/1970, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 70-735 dated August 4, 1970;
- (t) make new trade regulations respecting the heavy duty equipment technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “J”;
- (u) repeal the *Industrial Electrician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 296/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-427 dated October 6, 2009;
- (v) make new trade regulations respecting the industrial electrician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “K”;
- (w) repeal the *Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 295/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-426 dated October 6, 2009;
- (x) make new trade regulations respecting the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “L”;
- (y) repeal the *Instrumentation and Control Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 293/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-424 dated October 6, 2009;
- (z) make new trade regulations respecting the instrumentation and control technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “M”;
- (aa) repeal the *Insulator (Heat and Frost) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 105/2000, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2000-294 dated June 1, 2000;

- (ab) make new trade regulations respecting the insulator (heat and frost) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “N”;
- (ac) repeal the *Ironworker (Generalist) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 223/2013, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2013-200 dated June 18, 2013;
- (ad) make new trade regulations respecting the ironworker (generalist) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “O”;
- (ae) repeal the *Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 224/2013, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2013-200 dated June 18, 2013;
- (af) make new trade regulations respecting the ironworker (reinforcing) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “P”;
- (ag) repeal the *Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 225/2013, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2013-200 dated June 18, 2013;
- (ah) make new trade regulations respecting the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “Q”;
- (ai) repeal the *Landscape Horticulturist Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 57/2012, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2012-55 dated February 29, 2012;
- (aj) make new trade regulations respecting the landscape horticulturist trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “R”;
- (ak) repeal the *Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 104/2000, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2000-293 dated June 1, 2000;
- (al) make new trade regulations respecting the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “S”;
- (am) repeal the *Machinist Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 294/2009, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2009-425 dated October 6, 2009;
- (an) make new trade regulations respecting the machinist trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “T”;
- (ao) repeal the trade regulations respecting the marine fitter trade, N.S. Reg. 170/1991, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 91-851 dated July 16, 1991;
- (ap) make new trade regulations respecting the marine fitter trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “U”;
- (aq) repeal the *Marine Service Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 28/2016, made by the Apprenticeship Board on February 10, 2016;
- (ar) make new trade regulations respecting the marine service technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “V”;
- (as) repeal the *Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 9/2014, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 2014-17 dated January 21, 2014;

- (at) make new trade regulations respecting the metal fabricator (fitter) trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “W”;
- (au) repeal the trade regulations respecting the mine electrician trade, N.S. Reg. 191/1985, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 85-1223 dated November 5, 1985;
- (av) make new trade regulations respecting the mine electrician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “X”;
- (aw) repeal the trade regulations respecting the mine mechanic trade, N.S. Reg. 192/1985, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 85-1224 dated November 5, 1985;
- (ax) make new trade regulations respecting the mine mechanic trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “Y”;
- (ay) repeal the trade regulations respecting the painter and decorator trade, N.S. Reg. 6/1970, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 70-735 dated August 4, 1970;
- (az) make new trade regulations respecting the painter and decorator trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “Z”;
- (ba) repeal the trade regulations respecting the powerline technician trade, N.S. Reg. 11/1967, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 67-162 dated February 21, 1967;
- (bb) make new trade regulations respecting the powerline technician trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “AA”;
- (bc) repeal the trade regulations respecting the restoration stone mason trade, N.S. Reg. 171/1991, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 91-852 dated July 16, 1991;
- (bd) make new trade regulations respecting the restoration stone mason trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “AB”;
- (be) repeal the trade regulations respecting the roofer trade, N.S. Reg. 7/1994, made by the Governor in Council by Order in Council 94-41 dated January 18, 1994;
- (bf) make new trade regulations respecting the roofer trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “AC”;
- (bg) repeal the *Welder Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 24/2015, made by the Apprenticeship Board on February 11, 2015;
- (bh) make new trade regulations respecting the welder trade in the form set forth in the attached Schedule “AD”.

Dated and signed October 6, 2016, at Halifax Regional Municipality, Province of Nova Scotia.

sgd: *Carol MacCulloch*
Carol MacCulloch
Chair, Apprenticeship Board

N.S. Reg. 202/2016

Agricultural Equipment Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule "A"

**Regulations Respecting the Agricultural Equipment Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Agricultural Equipment Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“agricultural equipment technician trade” means the occupation of an agricultural equipment technician, consisting of setting up, performing pre-delivery work on, servicing and repairing agricultural equipment, including tractors, machinery and attachments used in farm, nursery and landscape enterprises;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for agricultural equipment technician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the agricultural equipment technician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of the practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the agricultural equipment technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for agricultural equipment technician trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the agricultural equipment technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in agricultural equipment technician trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an agricultural equipment technician apprentice in each portion of a level in

their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an agricultural equipment technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Agricultural Equipment Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	50%
	901–1800	55%
2	1801–2700	60%
	2701–3600	65%
3	3601–4500	75%
	4501–5400	80%
4	5401–6300	85%
	6301–7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an agricultural equipment technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in agricultural equipment technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the agricultural equipment technician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the agricultural equipment technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Agricultural Equipment Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 299/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 203/2016

Alarm and Security Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule “B”**Regulations Respecting the Alarm and Security Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*****Citation**

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Alarm and Security Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“alarm and security technician trade” means the occupation of an alarm and security technician, consisting of installing, adjusting, altering, inspecting, testing, activating, repairing and servicing security systems with voltages of 50 V or less, but not fire alarm systems, and including all of the following:

- (i) analyzing security requirements and risks,
- (ii) conducting a physical survey of the areas to be secured and their functions, and a survey of client behaviours and lifestyles,
- (iii) designing the security system, including selecting input and output devices, any necessary control, monitoring, viewing or signal[ing] equipment and any accessories essential to the operation of the equipment,
- (iv) preparing for the system installation by reading the work order and checking the site drawings to confirm locations for the security equipment,
- (v) confirming the availability of all third-party services such as telephone lines and power,
- (vi) obtaining the tools, equipment and supplies required for installing a security system,
- (vii) locating all shut-offs and conducting safety hazard assessments,
- (viii) installing cable and wire terminations to all devices, equipment and system accessories as part of the installation of a security system,
- (ix) programming on-site control equipment and conducting off-site programming, including downloading software,
- (x) establishing the necessary records for off-site monitoring,
- (xi) conducting post-installation follow-up, including system performance tests,
- (xii) providing the customer with a system demonstration and operational training,

- (xiii) performing both on-site and off-site tests and maintenance and maintaining a repair history;

“fire alarm system” means a control panel combined with detection devices, pull stations and alarm devices, all of which are separate from a security system and are required to meet the standards set out in the *Nova Scotia Building Code Regulations* made under the *Building Code Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“security system” includes all of the following:

- (i) an intrusion alarm system,
- (ii) an access control system,
- (iii) a closed-circuit video system,
- (iv) a remote signal[1]ing system connected to an alarm output from a fire alarm system or sprinkler system and any equipment or accessories essential to the operation of the remote signal[1]ing system.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for alarm and security technician trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the alarm and security technician trade consists of all of the following:
- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the alarm and security technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for alarm and security technician trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the alarm and security technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in alarm and security technician trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an alarm and security technician apprentice in each portion of levels 1 and 2 and in level 3 in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an alarm and security technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Alarm and Security Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level or Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	55%
	901–1800	65%
2	1801–2700	75%
	2701–3600	85%
3	3601–5400	95%

- (2) An employer must not employ an alarm and security technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in alarm and security technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the alarm and security technician trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the alarm and security technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Alarm and Security Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 186/2012, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 204/2016

Automotive Glass Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule "C"

**Regulations Respecting the Automotive Glass Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Automotive Glass Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“automotive glass technician trade” means the occupation of an automotive glass technician, consisting of fabricating, removing, installing, repairing and generally servicing all types of stationary and movable glass and associated equipment in motor vehicles;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for automotive glass technician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the automotive glass technician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 3600 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the automotive glass technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for automotive glass technician trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the automotive glass technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 2 apprentices.

Wage schedule for apprentices in automotive glass technician trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an automotive glass technician apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an automotive glass technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Automotive Glass Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	60%
	901–1800	70%
2	1801–2700	80%
	2701–3600	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an automotive glass technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in automotive glass technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the automotive glass technician trade is 7200 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the automotive glass technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Automotive Glass Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 56/2012, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 205/2016

Blaster Trade Regulations

Schedule “D”

**Regulations Respecting the Blaster Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

- 1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Blaster Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“blaster apprentice” means a person who has entered into an apprenticeship agreement with an employer in the blaster trade;

“blaster journeyman” means a person who holds a certificate of qualification in the blaster trade;

“blaster trade” means the occupation of a blaster, consisting of conducting and supervising blasting activity as defined in the *Blasting Safety Regulations*;

“*Blasting Safety Regulations*” means the *Blasting Safety Regulations* made under the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*;

“former blasting regulations” means the *General Blasting Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 77/1990, made under the *Occupational Health and Safety Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

(3) A term defined in the *Blasting Safety Regulations* has the same meaning when used in these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires.

Classes of certification in blaster trade

3 (1) The following are the classes of certification in the blaster trade:

(a) Blaster (3rd Class);

(b) Blaster (2nd Class);

(c) Blaster (1st Class).

(2) A person who holds a blaster certificate is authorized to conduct and supervise blasting activity specified in the *Blasting Safety Regulations* for the class of blaster certificate held.

Terms of apprenticeship for blaster trade

4 (1) The term of apprenticeship for a Blaster (3rd Class) consists of all of the following:

(a) a single level consisting of 900 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director, and including at least 4 supervised blasts;

(b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(c) a certification examination.

- (2) The term of apprenticeship for a Blaster (2nd Class) consists of all of the following:
- a single level consisting of 2250 hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director, 1350 hours of which must be obtained after obtaining a Blaster (3rd Class) certificate, and including at least 12 supervised blasts, 8 of which must be performed after obtaining a Blaster (3rd Class) certificate;
 - related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - a certification examination.
- (3) The term of apprenticeship for a Blaster (1st Class) consists of all of the following:
- a single level consisting of 3600 hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director, 1350 hours of which must be obtained after obtaining a Blaster (2nd Class) certificate, and including at least 12 supervised blasts within 50 m of a structure that is normally occupied in whole or in part by people, such as a house, residence, shop, church or school;
 - related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - a certification examination.
- (4) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the blaster trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeymen to apprentices for blaster trade

- 5 The minimum ratio of journeymen to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the blaster trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyman to every 2 apprentices.

Wage schedules for apprentices in blaster trade

- 6 (1) Subject to subsection (2), the minimum wage rate for each hour worked by a blaster trade apprentice in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a blaster journeyman in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Blaster Apprentice		
Class of Certification	Hours in Term of Apprenticeship (term consists of single level)	Minimum Wage (% of journeyman's wage)
Blaster (3rd Class)	900	60% of Blaster (1st Class)
Blaster (2nd Class)	2250	70% of Blaster (1st Class)
Blaster (1st Class)	3600	80% of Blaster (1st Class)

- (2) An employer must not employ a blaster apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order*.

(General) made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Blaster certificate through trade qualification

- 7 (1) The requirements of paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A) and clause 30(1)(b) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the blaster trade must be met as set out in the following table:

Class of Certification	Hours of Practical Experience Required (General Regulations, paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A))	Tasks Required to Demonstrate Competency (General Regulations, clause 30(1)(b))
Blaster (3rd Class)	1350 hours	at least 4 blasts
Blaster (2nd Class)	3375 hours	at least 12 blasts
Blaster (1st Class)	5400 hours	at least 24 blasts, 12 of which must be within 50 m of a structure that is normally occupied in whole or in part by people, such as a house, residence, shop, church or school

- (2) The practical experience referred to in the table in subsection (1) must be as approved by the Director.

Blaster certificate term and renewal

- 8 (1) A certificate of qualification in the blaster trade is valid for 5 years from the date it is issued and may be renewed.
- (2) A certificate of qualification in the blaster trade that is renewed in accordance with subsection 35B(2) of the General Regulations is valid for a further term of 5 years from its most recent expiry date.
- (3) An applicant for renewal of a certificate of qualification in the blaster trade must, in addition to paying the prescribed fee within the specified time in accordance with subsection 35B(2) of the General Regulations, complete to the Director's satisfaction any training or examination, or combination of training and examination, relevant to the blaster trade that the Director requires.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 9 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the blaster trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

10 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Blaster Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 90/2008, continues as an apprentice in that program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 206/2016

Boat Builder Trade Regulations

Schedule “E”

**Regulations Respecting the Boat Builder Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Boat Builder Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“boat” means a recreational or small commercial vessel that is used solely or partly to navigate in, on, through or immediately above water using any method of propulsion, including wind or muscular power, and includes such a vessel that is under construction;

“boat builder trade” means the occupation of a boat builder, consisting of constructing and repairing boats and including all of the following:

- (i) selecting, using and maintaining hand tools,
- (ii) selecting, using and maintaining portable power tools,
- (iii) operating stationary power tools,
- (iv) dismantling, inspecting, replacing and assembling boat equipment and boat parts,
- (v) installing internal and external boat hardware fittings,
- (vi) building boat frameworks,
- (vii) building interior support structures for boats,
- (viii) installing insulation in boats;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for boat builder trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the boat builder trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the boat builder trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for boat builder trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the boat builder trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 4 apprentices.

Wage schedule for apprentices in boat builder trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a boat builder apprentice in each level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a boat builder journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Boat Builder Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	60%
2	1801–3600	75%
3	3601–5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a boat builder apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in boat builder trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the boat builder trade is 9450 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the boat builder trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship

training;

- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Boat Builder Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 228/2013, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 207/2016

Carpenter Trade Regulations

Schedule "F"

**Regulations Respecting the Carpenter Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Carpenter Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“carpenter trade” means the occupation of a carpenter, consisting of constructing, repairing or altering buildings;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for carpenter trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the carpenter trade consists of all of the following:

(a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the carpenter trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for carpenter trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General

Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the carpenter trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in carpenter trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a carpenter apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a carpenter journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Carpenter Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	55%
	901-1800	60%
2	1801-2700	65%
	2701-3600	70%
3	3601-4500	75%
	4501-5400	80%
4	5401-6300	85%
	6301-7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a carpenter apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in carpenter trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the carpenter trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the carpenter trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the carpenter trade, N.S. Reg. 85/1982,

continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 208/2016

Cook Trade Regulations

Schedule “G”

Regulations Respecting the Cook Trade made by the Apprenticeship Board under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Cook Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“cook trade” means the occupation of a cook, consisting of implementing the knowledge and skills necessary to do the following:

- (i) prepare, cook and serve food for public consumption using appropriate methods in accordance with industry standards, safety requirements, safe work practices and health regulations,
- (ii) determine the cost of providing menu items and food services;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for cook trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the cook trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the cook trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for cook trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the cook trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 2 apprentices.

Wage schedule for apprentices in cook trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a cook apprentice in each level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a cook journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Cook Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	70%
2	1801–3600	80%
3	3601–5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a cook apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in cook trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the cook trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the cook trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Cook Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 298/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 209/2016

Floorcovering Installer Trade Regulations

Schedule "H"

**Regulations Respecting the Floorcovering Installer Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Floorcovering Installer Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“floorcovering installer trade” means the occupation of a floorcovering installer, consisting of installing, applying, altering, repairing and servicing all types of cushion flooring, carpets, rugs, artificial turf, sheet goods, resilient tiles, specialty flooring, stair coverings, top-set base and other floorcovering or flooring products;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for floorcovering installer trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the floorcovering installer trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the floorcovering installer trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for floorcovering installer trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the floorcovering installer trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 2 apprentices.

Wage schedule for apprentices in floorcovering installer trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a floorcovering installer apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a floorcovering installer journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Floorcovering Installer Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	40%
	901-1800	45%
2	1801-2700	50%
	2701-3600	60%
3	3601-4500	70%
	4501-5400	80%

- (2) An employer must not employ a floorcovering installer apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in floorcovering installer trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the floorcovering installer trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the floorcovering installer trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, is an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Floorcovering Installer Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 297/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 210/2016

Gas Fitter Trade Regulations

Schedule "I"

**Regulations Respecting the Gas Fitter Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Gas Fitter Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“approved appliance” means any equipment or appliance that bears a nameplate or label indicating that it has been approved or certified by a certification agency accredited by the Standards Council of Canada;

“Btu/h” means British Thermal Units per hour;

“gas fitter” includes a gas technician as defined in the *Fuel Safety Regulations* made under the *Technical Safety Act*;

“Gas Fitter A trade” means the occupation of a Gas Fitter A, consisting of installing, servicing and maintaining any size of gas-utilizing appliances, piping and equipment;

“Gas Fitter B trade” means the occupation of a Gas Fitter B, consisting of

- (i) installing, servicing and maintaining gas-utilizing appliances and equipment with an input rate of 400 000 Btu/h or less, and
- (ii) under the continuous and direct supervision of a Gas Fitter A journeyman, servicing and maintaining gas-utilizing appliances and equipment with an input rate greater than 400 000 Btu/h;

“gas fitter trade” means the occupation of a gas fitter, consisting of the work performed by a Gas Fitter A or a Gas Fitter B;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“supervision” of an apprentice means supervision that allows the apprentice to get into immediate contact with the Gas Fitter A journeyman.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Terms of apprenticeship for gas fitter trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for [the] Gas Fitter B trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 1800 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) The term of apprenticeship for the Gas Fitter A trade consists of all of the following:
- (a) 3600 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director, including at least 450 hours of supervised practical experience on systems with an input rate greater than 400 000 Btu/h;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director, including technical training related to the practical experience on systems with an input rate greater than 400 000 Btu/h referred to in clause (a);
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (3) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the gas fitter trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Additional requirement for examination for Gas Fitter A certificate of qualification

- 4 In addition to the requirement in subsection 28(1) of the General Regulations for successful completion of the practical experience and technical training components of their apprenticeship program, to be eligible to be examined for a certificate of qualification in the Gas Fitter A trade an apprentice must hold a certificate of qualification in the Gas Fitter B trade.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for gas fitter trade

- 5 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the gas fitter trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wages for apprentices in gas fitter trade

- 6 An employer must not employ a gas fitter apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Gas fitter certificate through trade qualification

- 7 The practical experience in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the gas fitter trade is
- (a) for a Gas Fitter B certificate of qualification, at least 2700 hours of practical experience approved by the Director;
 - (b) for a Gas Fitter A certificate of qualification, at least 5400 hours of practical experience approved by the Director.

Permitted activities for Gas Fitter B

- 8** (1) A Gas Fitter B may install, purge, activate, repair, service or remove a natural gas or propane appliance with an input rate of 400 000 Btu/h or less and equipment and accessories essential to the operation of the appliance.
- (2) A Gas Fitter B may perform all of the following activities on a natural gas or propane appliance with an input rate of 400 000 Btu/h or less and equipment essential to the operation of the appliance:
- (a) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system with a nominal pipe size of no larger than 2 in. to a pressure of 5 psi to an appliance downstream of a natural gas meter;
 - (b) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system with a nominal pipe size of no larger than 2 in. to an appliance of a propane vapour system, including installing and removing the propane supply container;
 - (c) install, inspect, service, remove, repair or replace any vent, vent connector, draft control device or other component in a gas-fired appliance venting system;
 - (d) disconnect and reconnect water piping as necessary to exchange, service or install an approved appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but may not alter, remove, repair or replace any cross-connection control devices or perform any additional plumbing work unless the Gas Fitter B holds a valid certificate of qualification in the plumber trade;
 - (e) perform maintenance on, service or replace a mechanical or electrical component or accessory;
 - (f) perform the tasks that are necessary to replace controls and components forming part of an appliance other than replacing a low water cut-off on a boiler with an operating pressure above 15 psi, but may not perform any additional steamfitting/pipefitting work unless the Gas Fitter B holds a valid certificate of qualification in the steamfitter/pipefitter trade;
 - (g) install, service, remove or replace components and accessories forming part of the gas-side of a refrigerating or air conditioning unit, but may not perform any additional work beyond the gas-side of the appliance unless the Gas Fitter B holds a valid certificate of qualification in the refrigeration and air conditioning mechanic trade;
 - (h) disconnect and reconnect electrical supply wiring in order to exchange, service or repair an approved appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but may not run wiring back to the panel or perform any additional electrical work related to the wiring of the appliance unless the Gas Fitter B holds a valid certificate of qualification in the construction electrician trade;
 - (i) install, repair, service, remove or replace the plenum connection or components forming part of the plenum connection in order to complete the installation of a natural gas or propane appliance, but may not perform any additional sheet metal work beyond the plenum connection unless the Gas Fitter B holds a valid certificate of qualification in the sheet metal worker trade.

Permitted activities for Gas Fitter A

- 9** A Gas Fitter A may perform all of the following activities on any natural gas or propane appliance:

- (a) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair or remove a natural gas or propane appliance or any equipment or accessories essential to the operation of the appliance;
- (b) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system to an appliance downstream of a natural gas meter;
- (c) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system to an appliance or propane system, including installing or removing the propane supply container;
- (d) install, inspect, service, remove, repair or replace any vent, vent connector, draft control device or other component in a gas-fired appliance venting system;
- (e) disconnect and reconnect water piping as necessary to exchange, service or install an approved appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but may not alter, remove, repair, or replace any cross-connection control devices or perform any additional plumbing work unless the Gas Fitter A holds a valid certificate of qualification in the plumber trade;
- (f) perform maintenance on, service or replace a mechanical or electrical component or accessory that is either part of an appliance or is essential to the operation of the appliance;
- (g) perform the tasks that are necessary to replace controls and components forming part of an appliance other than replacing a low water cut-off on a boiler with an operating pressure above 15 psi, but may not perform any additional steam or pipefitting work unless the Gas Fitter A holds a valid certificate of qualification in the steamfitter/pipefitter trade;
- (h) install, service, remove or replace components and accessories forming part of the gas-side of a refrigerating or air conditioning unit, but may not perform any additional work beyond the gas-side of the appliance unless the Gas Fitter A holds a valid certificate of qualification in the refrigeration and air conditioning mechanic trade;
- (i) disconnect and reconnect electrical supply wiring in order to exchange, service or repair an approved appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but may not run wiring back to the panel or perform any additional electrical work related to the wiring of the appliance unless the Gas Fitter A holds a valid certificate of qualification in the construction electrician trade;
- (j) install, repair, service, remove or replace the plenum connection or components forming part of the plenum connection in order to complete the installation of a natural gas or propane appliance, but may not perform any additional sheet metal work beyond the plenum connection unless the Gas Fitter A holds a valid certificate of qualification in the sheet metal worker trade;
- (k) perform any functions that may be performed by the holder of a certificate of qualification in the Gas Fitter B trade.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

10 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the gas fitter trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

11 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Gas Fitter Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 3/1999, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 211/2016

Heavy Duty Equipment Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule "J"

**Regulations Respecting the Heavy Duty Equipment Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Heavy Duty Equipment Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“heavy duty equipment technician trade” means the occupation of a heavy duty equipment technician, consisting of repairing mechanical components of and maintaining heavy construction and off-highway vehicles, whether wheeled or tracked.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for heavy duty equipment technician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the heavy duty equipment technician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

- (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the heavy duty equipment technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for heavy duty equipment technician trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the heavy duty equipment technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in heavy duty equipment technician trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a heavy duty equipment technician apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a heavy duty equipment technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Heavy Duty Equipment Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	55%
	901–1800	60%
2	1801–2700	65%
	2701–3600	70%
3	3601–4500	75%
	4501–5400	80%
4	5401–6300	85%
	6301–7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a heavy duty equipment technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in heavy duty equipment technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the heavy duty equipment technician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the heavy duty equipment technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or

- (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the heavy duty equipment technician trade, N.S. Reg. 4/1970, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 212/2016

Industrial Electrician Trade Regulations

Schedule “K”

**Regulations Respecting the Industrial Electrician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Industrial Electrician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“electrical equipment” means equipment such as motors, generators, pumps, heavy-duty machines, illumination systems and environmental regulating systems, including associated electrical and electronic controls;

“industrial electrician trade” means the occupation of an industrial electrician, consisting of installing, calibrating, troubleshooting, repairing, servicing and carrying out preventive maintenance on electrical equipment in industrial establishments, including preparing reports.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for industrial electrician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the industrial electrician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the industrial electrician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for industrial electrician trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the industrial electrician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in industrial electrician trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an industrial electrician apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an industrial electrician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Industrial Electrician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	55%
2	1801-2700	60%
	2701-3600	65%
3	3601-4500	75%
	4501-5400	80%
4	5401-6300	85%
	6301-7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an industrial electrician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in industrial electrician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the industrial electrician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the industrial electrician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;

- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Industrial Electrician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 296/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 213/2016

Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Trade Regulations

Schedule “L”

**Regulations Respecting the Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

- 1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

- 2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“industrial mechanic (millwright) trade” means the occupation of an industrial mechanic (millwright), consisting of installing, erecting, adding, altering, testing, troubleshooting, repairing and maintaining mechanical equipment and machinery used in manufacturing processes in industrial and manufacturing settings.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for industrial mechanic (millwright) trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade consists of all of the following:
- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for industrial mechanic (millwright) trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in industrial mechanic (millwright) trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an industrial mechanic (millwright) apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an industrial mechanic (millwright) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	50%
	901–1800	55%
2	1801–2700	60%
	2701–3600	65%
3	3601–4500	75%
	4501–5400	80%
4	5401–6300	85%
	6301–7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an industrial mechanic (millwright) apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in industrial mechanic (millwright) trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the industrial mechanic (millwright) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 295/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 214/2016

Instrumentation and Control Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule "M"

**Instrumentation and Control Technician Trade Regulations
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

- 1 These regulations may be cited as the *Instrumentation and Control Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

- 2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“instrumentation and control technician trade” means the occupation of an instrumentation and control technician, consisting of installing, adding, altering, calibrating, repairing, maintaining, conducting trials on, testing and commissioning measuring and control devices associated with process industries, including digital, analog, mechanical, electrical, electronic, pneumatic, hydraulic and test instruments.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for instrumentation control technician trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the instrumentation and control technician trade consists of all of the following:
- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the instrumentation and control technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for instrumentation and control technician trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General

Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the instrumentation and control technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in instrumentation and control technician trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an instrumentation and control technician apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an instrumentation and control technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Instrumentation and Control Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	50%
	901–1800	55%
2	1801–2700	60%
	2701–3600	65%
3	3601–4500	75%
	4501–5400	80%
4	5401–6300	85%
	6301–7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an instrumentation and control technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in instrumentation and control technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the instrumentation and control technician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the instrumentation and control technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an

apprenticeship program under the *Instrumentation and Control Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 293/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 215/2016

Insulator (Heat and Frost) Trade Regulations

Schedule “N”

**Regulations Respecting the Insulator (Heat and Frost) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Insulator (Heat and Frost) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“insulator (heat and frost) trade” means the occupation of an insulator (heat and frost), consisting of work performed in manufacturing, fabricating, assembling, moulding, handling, erecting, spraying, pouring, mixing, hanging, preparing, applying, adjusting, altering, repairing, dismantling, reconditioning, testing, and maintaining insulating materials, and includes all of the following:

- (i) handling or distributing insulating materials on job premises,
- (ii) operating equipment and tools necessary for the trade,
- (iii) applying pipe and boiler coverings,
- (iv) insulating hot and cold surfaces such as ducts and flues,
- (v) abating and removing asbestos,
- (vi) applying all protective covering required on insulation materials.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for insulator (heat and frost) trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the insulator (heat and frost) trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

- (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the insulator (heat and frost) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for insulator (heat and frost) trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the insulator (heat and frost) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in insulator (heat and frost) trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an insulator (heat and frost) apprentice in each level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an insulator (heat and frost) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Insulator (Heat and Frost) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	45%
2	1801–3600	65%
3	3601–5400	75%
4	5401–7200	85%

- (2) An employer must not employ an insulator (heat and frost) apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in insulator (heat and frost) trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the insulator (heat and frost) trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the insulator (heat and frost) trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
- (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Insulator (Heat and Frost) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 105/2000, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 216/2016

Ironworker (Generalist) Trade Regulations

Schedule “O”

**Regulations Respecting the Ironworker (Generalist) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Ironworker (Generalist) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“ironworker (generalist) trade” means the occupation of an ironworker (generalist), consisting of work in the ironworker (reinforcing) trade and the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade;

“ironworker (reinforcing) trade” means the ironworker (reinforcing) trade as defined in the *Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade Regulations* made under the Act;

“ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade” means the ironworker (structural/ ornamental) trade as defined in the *Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade Regulations* made under the Act.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Certificate in ironworker (generalist) trade through trade qualification—practical experience

3 (1) In this Section, “subtrade” means the ironworker (structural/ornamental) or ironworker (reinforcing) trade.

(2) The practical experience in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the ironworker (generalist) trade is prescribed as completion of the practical experience portion of the term of apprenticeship for either of the subtrades, for a person who

(a) holds a certificate of qualification in the other subtrade;

(b) has been employed in the other subtrade for the number of hours prescribed for the purpose of paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations in the trade regulations for that subtrade; or

(c) has completed the practical experience portion in the other subtrade.

- (3) A person who holds a certificate of qualification in each of the subtrades is deemed to have completed the practical experience required for the purpose of paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A) of the General Regulations for issuance of a certificate of qualification in the ironworker (generalist) trade.

Certificate in ironworker (generalist) trade through trade qualification—hours of employment

4 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the ironworker (generalist) trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

5 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the ironworker (generalist) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

6 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Ironworker (Generalist) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 223/2013, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 217/2016

Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade Regulations

Schedule “P”

**Regulations Respecting the Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“ironworker (reinforcing) trade” means the occupation of an ironworker (reinforcing), consisting of all of the following, but not including fabricating and assembling materials in an industrial manufacturing plant:

- (i) reading and understanding all shop and field drawings, including those taken from original architectural and engineered drawings,
- (ii) cutting, bending, laying out, placing and welding reinforcing steel rods according to design specifications and drawings,
- (iii) rigging, erecting, installing and assembling reinforcing bars, welded wire fabric and pre-stressed and post-tension cables in reinforced concrete structures.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for ironworker (reinforcing) trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the ironworker (reinforcing) trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 3600 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the ironworker (reinforcing) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for ironworker (reinforcing) trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the ironworker (reinforcing) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in ironworker (reinforcing) trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an ironworker (reinforcing) apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an ironworker (reinforcing) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Ironworker (Reinforcing) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	70%
	901–1800	75%
2	1801–2700	80%
	2701–3600	90%

(2) An employer must not employ an ironworker (reinforcing) apprentice at a wage for actual hours

worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in ironworker (reinforcing) trade through trade qualification

6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship in the ironworker (reinforcing) trade and is applying for a certificate of qualification is 5400 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the ironworker (reinforcing) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Ironworker (Reinforcing) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 224/2013, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 218/2016

Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade Regulations

Schedule “Q”

Regulations Respecting the Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade made by the Apprenticeship Board under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003, the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade” means the occupation of an ironworker (structural/ornamental), consisting of all of the following, but not including fabricating and assembling materials in an industrial manufacturing plant:

- (a) reading and understanding all shop and field drawings, including those taken from original architectural and engineered drawings,
- (b) rigging, hoisting and erecting
 - (i) curtain walls,
 - (ii) metal stairways,
 - (iii) catwalks,
 - (iv) railings,
 - (v) metal doors, and
 - (vi) pre-engineered steel buildings,
- (c) installing, assembling and reinforcing
 - (i) structural or ornamental steel components,
 - (ii) precast structural concrete,
 - (iii) ornamental ironwork,
 - (iv) conveyors, and
 - (v) steel pipes for wharves and foundations,
- (d) applying sealants,
- (e) moving and placing machinery and heavy equipment,
- (f) demolishing and salvaging all types of construction.

[Note: Lettering and numbering of subclauses and paragraphs as in original.]

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be

no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by an ironworker (structural/ornamental) apprentice in each portion of a level in their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for an ironworker (structural/ornamental) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	60%
	901-1800	65%
2	1801-2700	70%
	2701-3600	75%
3	3601-4500	80%
	4501-5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ an ironworker (structural/ornamental) apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the ironworker (structural/ornamental) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 225/2013, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 219/2016

Landscape Horticulturist Trade Regulations

Schedule “R”

**Regulations Respecting the Landscape Horticulturist Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Landscape Horticulturist Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“hardscape” means the inanimate elements of a landscape, including precast concrete products, natural stone, wood, metals and other natural or fabricated materials used in landscape structures, furnishings and features;

“landscape” means the lay of the land, including plants and other physical features such as lawn or meadow areas, waterways, pavement, utilities and structures;

“landscape horticulturalist” means the occupation of a landscape horticulturist, consisting of laying out, preparing and maintaining a sustainable landscape, and including

- (i) installing and maintaining hardscape and softscape,
- (ii) pre-installation activities, such as planning and organizing the installation and preparing the site;

“softscape” means the animate elements of a landscape, including soil, soil amendments, mulch, seed, turf and plant material used in the landscape.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for landscape horticulturalist trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the landscape horticulturalist trade consists of

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director; and
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the landscape horticulturalist trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of apprentices to journeypersons for landscape horticulturalist trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the landscape horticulturalist trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 2 apprentices.

Hours in level of term of apprenticeship for landscape horticulturalist trade

- 5 The number of hours specified for the purposes of clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations for a level of apprenticeship in the landscape horticulturalist trade is 1350 documented hours.

Wage schedule for apprentices in landscape horticulturalist trade

- 6 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a landscape horticulturalist apprentice in each level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a landscape horticulturalist journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Landscape Horticulturalist Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1350	55%
2	1351–2700	65%
3	2701–4050	75%
4	4051–5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a landscape horticulturalist apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in landscape horticulturalist trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the landscape horticulturalist trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the landscape horticulturalist trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or

- (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journey person, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

9 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Landscape Horticulturist Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 57/2012, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 220/2016

Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Trade Regulations

Schedule “S”

**Regulations Respecting the Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“lather (interior systems mechanic) trade” means the occupation of a lather (interior systems mechanic), consisting of constructing, repairing and altering a building or part of a building, and includes

- (i) preparing wall and ceiling layouts,
- (ii) installing metal framing support for walls and ceilings,
- (iii) installing drywall,
- (iv) installing suspended ceilings,
- (v) finishing walls and ceilings, taping and filling,
- (vi) installing and applying insulation and vapour sealants,
- (vii) installing acoustical and thermal sealants,
- (viii) applying lath for plaster,
- (ix) installing raised access floors,

- (x) installing exterior wall panels,
- (xi) erecting demountable partitions systems,
- (xii) fireproofing.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for lather (interior systems mechanic) trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for lather (interior systems mechanic) trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in lather (interior systems mechanic) trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a lather (interior systems mechanic) apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a lather (interior systems mechanic) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	60%
2	1801-2700	65%
	2701-3600	70%
3	3601-4500	80%
	4501-5400	90%

(2) An employer must not employ a lather (interior systems mechanic) apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in

the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in lather (interior systems mechanic) trade through trade qualification

6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the lather (interior systems mechanic) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, is an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Lather (Interior Systems Mechanic) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 104/2000, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 221/2016

Machinist Trade Regulations

Schedule "T"

**Regulations Respecting the Machinist Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Machinist Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“machinist trade” means the occupation of machinist, consisting of performing lay-out procedures and setting up and operating machines to cut or grind metal and similar materials into parts or products with precise dimensions.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for machinist trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the machinist trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the machinist trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for machinist trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the machinist trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in machinist trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a machinist apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a machinist journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Machinist Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	45%
	901-1800	50%
2	1801-2700	55%
	2701-3600	60%
3	3601-4500	65%
	4501-5400	70%
4	5401-6300	80%
	6301-7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a machinist apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in machinist trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the machinist trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the machinist trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Machinist Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 294/2009, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 222/2016

Marine Fitter Trade Regulations

Schedule “U”

**Regulations Respecting the Marine Fitter Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Marine Fitter Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“marine fitter trade” means the occupation of a marine fitter, consisting of outfitting and refitting ships and other marine structures, and includes surveying, maintaining, repairing, overhauling, altering, fabricating, installing and conducting alignment tests and trials of marine engineering systems, equipment and components.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for marine fitter trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the marine fitter trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause

- 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the marine fitter trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for marine fitter trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the marine fitter trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in marine fitter trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a marine fitter apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a marine fitter journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Marine Fitter Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	55%
2	1801-2700	60%
	2701-3600	65%
3	3601-4500	70%
	4501-5400	75%
4	5401-6300	85%
	6301-7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a marine fitter apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in marine fitter trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the marine fitter trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the marine fitter trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,

- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the marine fitter trade, N.S. Reg. 170/1991, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 223/2016

Marine Service Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule “V”

**Regulations Respecting the Marine Service Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Marine Service Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“marine service technician trade” means the occupation of a marine service technician, consisting of servicing and repairing, refitting and upgrading marine vessels;

“marine vessel” includes motor- and sail-driven vessels;

“servicing and repairing”, in relation to a marine vessel, includes

- (i) performing structural, cosmetic, electrical or mechanical service or repair work on the marine vessel,
 - (ii) handling, storing or modifying the marine vessel while it is being serviced or repaired.
- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for marine service technician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the marine service technician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause

26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the marine service technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for marine service technician trade

- 4 (1) The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the marine service technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 3 apprentices.
- (2) In order for an employer to maintain the minimum ratio of 1 marine service technician journeyperson to every 3 apprentices, at least 1 of the apprentices must be in the final level of their term of apprenticeship.

Wage schedule for apprentices in marine service technician trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a marine service technician apprentice in each level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a marine service technician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Marine Service Technician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	55%
2	1801–3600	65%
3	3601–5400	75%
4	5401–7200	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a marine service technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in marine service technician trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the marine service technician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the marine service technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,

- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Marine Service Technician Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 28/2016, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 224/2016

Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Trade Regulations

Schedule “W”

**Regulations Respecting the Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“manufacturing facility” includes a facility in which the manufacture and assembly of metal parts is carried out before delivery of the parts to the point of final installation;

“metal fabricator (fitter) trade” means the occupation of metal fabricator (fitter), consisting of laying out, cutting, fitting, tacking and fabricating structural steel, plate and miscellaneous metals for use in manufacturing and construction industries, and 1 or both of the following:

- (i) making and repairing metal parts in a manufacturing facility for use in constructing buildings, bridges, tanks, towers, boilers, pressure vessels, ships and other structures and products,
- (ii) assembling and fitting metal sections and plates together to form complete units or sub-units, such as frames, plates, girders and chutes, to be used later in the assembly process.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for metal fabricator (fitter) trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the metal fabricator (fitter) trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the metal fabricator (fitter) trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for metal fabricator (fitter) trade

- 4 (1) Subject to subsection (2), the minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the metal fabricator (fitter) trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 3 apprentices.
- (2) In order for an employer to maintain the minimum ratio of 1 metal fabricator (fitter) journeyperson to every 3 apprentices, at least 1 of the apprentices must be in the final level of their term of apprenticeship.

Wage schedule for apprentices in metal fabricator (fitter) trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a metal fabricator (fitter) apprentice in each level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a metal fabricator (fitter) journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	65%
2	1801–3600	75%
3	3601–5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a metal fabricator (fitter) apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in metal fabricator (fitter) trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the metal fabricator (fitter) trade is 8100 [hours].

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the metal fabricator (fitter) trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Metal Fabricator (Fitter) Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 9/2014, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 225/2016

Mine Electrician Trade Regulations

Schedule “X”

**Regulations Respecting the Mine Electrician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Mine Electrician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“mine electrician trade” means the occupation of a mine electrician, consisting of installing, testing, repairing, maintaining and inspecting all electrical systems and equipment used in underground mining operations in compliance with federal and Provincial mine safety regulations and standards.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for mine electrician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the mine electrician trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 4500 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the mine electrician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for mine electrician trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the mine electrician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Hours in level of term of apprenticeship for mine electrician trade

- 5 The number of hours specified for the purposes of clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations for a level of apprenticeship in the mine electrician trade is 900 documented hours.

Wage schedule for apprentices in mine electrician trade

- 6 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a mine electrician apprentice in each level or portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a mine electrician journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Mine Electrician Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level or Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	60%
2	1801-2700	70%
	2701-3600	80%
3	3601-4500	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a mine electrician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in mine electrician trade through trade qualification

- 7 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required under paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the mine electrician trade is 6750 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 8 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the mine electrician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
- (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;

- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 9 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the mine electrician trade, N.S. Reg. 191/1985, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 226/2016

Mine Mechanic Trade Regulations

Schedule “Y”

**Regulations Respecting the Mine Mechanic Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

- 1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Mine Mechanic Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

- 2 (1) In these regulations

“Act” means the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“mine mechanic trade” means the occupation of a mine mechanic, consisting of erecting, installing, altering, repairing, maintaining and inspecting all mechanical equipment and machinery used in underground mining operations in compliance with federal and Provincial mine safety regulations and standards.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for mine mechanic trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the mine mechanic trade consists of all of the following:
- (a) 4500 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the mine mechanic trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeymen to apprentices for mine mechanic trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeymen to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General

Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the mine mechanic trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyman to each apprentice.

Hours in level of term of apprenticeship for mine mechanic trade

5 The number of hours specified for the purposes of clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations for a level of apprenticeship in the mine mechanic trade is 900 documented hours.

Wage schedule for apprentices in mine mechanic trade

6 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a mine mechanic apprentice in each level or portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a mine mechanic journeyman in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Mine Mechanic Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level or Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyman's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	60%
2	1801-2700	70%
	2701-3600	80%
3	3601-4500	90%

(2) An employer must not employ a mine mechanic apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in mine mechanic trade through trade qualification

7 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the mine mechanic trade is 6750 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

8 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the mine mechanic trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

9 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an

apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the mine mechanic trade, N.S. Reg. 192/1985, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 227/2016

Painter and Decorator Trade Regulations

Schedule “Z”

**Regulations Respecting the Painter and Decorator Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Painter and Decorator Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“painter and decorator trade” means the occupation of a painter and decorator, consisting of preparing surfaces and painting buildings and structures, including mixing paints, matching colours, using painting tools and equipment and applying wall coverings.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for painter and decorator trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the painter and decorator trade consists of all of the following:

(a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the painter and decorator trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for painter and decorator trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the painter and decorator trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is

(a) 1 journeyperson to 1 apprentice, for the first apprentice employed; and

(b) 3 journeypersons to 1 apprentice, for each apprentice employed in addition to the first

apprentice referred to in clause (a).

Wage schedule for apprentices in painter and decorator trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a painter and decorator apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a painter and decorator journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Painter and Decorator Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	50%
	901-1800	55%
2	1801-2700	60%
	2701-3600	70%
3	3601-4500	80%
	4501-5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a painter and decorator apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in painter and decorator through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the painter and decorator trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the painter and decorator trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

- 8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the painter and decorator trade, N.S. Reg. 6/1970, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 228/2016

Powerline Technician Trade Regulations

Schedule “AA”**Regulations Respecting the Powerline Technician Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act****Citation**

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Powerline Technician Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“powerline technician trade” means the occupation of a powerline technician, consisting of implementing all of the skills and knowledge necessary to construct, operate and maintain electrical power utility transmission, substation and distribution systems.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for powerline technician trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the powerline technician trade consists of all of the following:

(a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

(c) a certification examination.

(2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the powerline technician trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for powerline technician trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the powerline technician trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wages for apprentices in powerline technician trade

5 An employer must not employ a powerline technician apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in powerline technician trade through trade qualification

6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the powerline technician trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the powerline technician trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the powerline technician trade, N.S. Reg. 11/1967, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 229/2016

Restoration Stone Mason Trade Regulations

Schedule "AB"

**Regulations Respecting the Restoration Stone Mason Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Restoration Stone Mason Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“restoration stone mason trade” means the occupation of a restoration stone mason, consisting of constructing and reconstructing structures using stone, restoring stone and identifying and types and properties of stone, and includes demonstrating knowledge of stone carving techniques, planning the method and sequence of carving, carving stone to precise design and shape by hand and removing, working and replacing stone.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for restoration stone mason trade

- 3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the restoration stone mason trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 7200 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the restoration stone mason trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for restoration stone mason trade

- 4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the restoration stone mason trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in restoration stone mason trade

- 5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a restoration stone mason apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a restoration stone mason journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Restoration Stone Mason Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0-900	52%
	901-1800	58%
2	1801-2700	64%
	2701-3600	70%
3	3601-4500	76%
	4501-5400	82%
4	5401-6300	88%
	6301-7200	94%

- (2) An employer must not employ a restoration stone mason apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in restoration stone mason trade through trade qualification

- 6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the restoration stone mason trade is 10 800 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyman to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the restoration stone mason trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journeyman, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the restoration stone mason trade, N.S. Reg. 171/1991, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 230/2016

Roofer Trade Regulations

Schedule "AC"

**Regulations Respecting the Roofer Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act***

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Roofer Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“roofer trade” means the occupation of a roofer, consisting of work performed in covering roofs with metal, wood, asphalt, tar, gravel and other materials and installing single and multiple roofing systems, shingles, tiles and preformed rigid sheeting, and other items included in the roofing assembly from the deck up.

(2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for roofer trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the roofer trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of

technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;

- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
 - (c) a certification examination.
- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the roofer trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for roofer trade

4 The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the roofer trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to each apprentice.

Wage schedule for apprentices in roofer trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a roofer apprentice in each portion of a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a roofer journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Roofer Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Portion of Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–900	50%
	901–1800	55%
2	1801–2700	60%
	2701–3600	70%
3	3601–4500	80%
	4501–5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a roofer apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Certificate in roofer trade through trade qualification

6 The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the roofer trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the roofer trade while the person is doing any of the following:

- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or

- (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
- (b) for a journey person, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the trade regulations respecting the roofer trade, N.S. Reg. 7/1994, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 231/2016

Welder Trade Regulations

Schedule "AD"

**Regulations Respecting the Welder Trade
made by the Apprenticeship Board
under Section 17A of Chapter 1 of the Acts of 2003,
the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act**

Citation

1 These trade regulations may be cited as the *Welder Trade Regulations*.

Definitions

2 (1) In these regulations,

“Act” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act*;

“General Regulations” means the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Act General Regulations* made under the Act;

“components” means any ferrous or non-ferrous materials capable of being joined by a welding process;

“welding process” means any of the following tasks, activities and functions associated with welding:

- (i) cutting, shaping and fitting steel using oxy-fuel,
- (ii) fusion welding using manual oxy-fuel,
- (iii) brazing and braze welding using oxy-fuel,
- (iv) applying surfacing material using oxy-fuel,
- (v) joining metals using soldering,
- (vi) welding using shielded metal arc, gas metal arc, flux core arc, submerged arc and gas tungsten arc processes,
- (vii) cutting and gouging using electric arc processes,

- (viii) welding and cutting using plasma arc processes,
- (ix) welding using resistance processes;

“welder trade” means the occupation of a welder, consisting of laying out, fabricating, maintaining, installing, modifying and repairing components using welding processes, and includes all of the following functions:

- (i) setting up equipment for welding processes using recommended installation procedures,
- (ii) cleaning and inspecting cut surfaces,
- (iii) identifying metals and performing preparation and assembly tasks before welding,
- (iv) performing supplementary and disassembly procedures,
- (v) sketching and interpreting blueprints,
- (vi) using hand and power tools and shop equipment.

- (2) A term defined in the General Regulations has the same meaning when used in these regulations.

Term of apprenticeship for welder trade

3 (1) The term of apprenticeship for the welder trade consists of all of the following:

- (a) 5400 documented hours of the combination of practical experience and the portion of technical training spent learning the skills of the designated trade as described in clause 26(1A)(a) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (b) related technical training as described in clause 26(1A)(b) of the General Regulations and as approved by the Director;
- (c) a certification examination.

- (2) Any probationary period included in a term of apprenticeship for the welder trade as permitted by subsection 12(2) of the General Regulations must be no longer than 3 months.

Ratio of journeypersons to apprentices for welder trade

4 (1) The minimum ratio of journeypersons to apprentices required by clause 27(2)(a) of the General Regulations to be maintained by an employer in the welder trade, unless varied in accordance with Section 24 of the General Regulations, is 1 journeyperson to every 2 apprentices.

Wage schedule for apprentices in welder trade

5 (1) Subject to subsection (2) and to subsection 25(3) of the General Regulations, the minimum wage for each hour worked by a welder apprentice in a level of their term of apprenticeship is a percentage of the wage for a welder journeyperson in the same place of employment, as set out in the following table:

Wages for Welder Apprentice		
Level of Apprenticeship	Hours in Level of Apprenticeship	Minimum Wage (% of journeyperson's wage)
1	0–1800	65%
2	1801–3600	75%
3	3601-5400	90%

- (2) An employer must not employ a welder apprentice at a wage for actual hours worked that is lower than the wage that would be paid at the minimum wage rate prescribed in the *Minimum Wage Order (General)* made under the *Labour Standards Code*.

Welder certificate through trade qualification

- 6 The practical experience in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(A) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the welder trade is completion of practical experience in all of the following areas:
- (a) position pipe or plate welding with open root preparation;
 - (b) shielded metal arc welding (SMAW) for the flat, horizontal, vertical and overhead positions;
 - (c) at least 1 of the following welding processes:
 - (i) gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW) for the, flat, horizontal, vertical and overhead positions,
 - (ii) gas metal arc welding (GMAW) for the flat, horizontal, vertical and overhead positions,
 - (iii) flux cored arc welding (FCAW) for the flat, horizontal, vertical and overhead positions.
- (2) The period of employment in the designated trade that is required by paragraph 30(1)(a)(ii)(B) of the General Regulations for a person who does not hold a certificate of apprenticeship and is applying for a certificate of qualification in the welder trade is 8100 hours.

Compliance with identity card requirements of General Regulations

- 7 For the purposes of Section 34 of the General Regulations, which requires an apprentice or journeyperson to keep their identity card in their possession when practising the designated trade and produce it on request, a person is practising the welder trade while the person is doing any of the following:
- (a) for an apprentice,
 - (i) acquiring practical experience in the trade, or
 - (ii) learning the skills of the trade during the technical training portion of apprenticeship training;
 - (b) for a journeyperson, performing the duties of the trade as defined in these regulations or their duties as set out in the General Regulations.

Transition

8 A person who, immediately before the coming into force of these regulations, was an apprentice in an apprenticeship program under the *Welder Trade Regulations*, N.S. Reg. 24/2015, continues as an apprentice in that apprenticeship program under these regulations.

N.S. Reg. 232/2016

Made: October 13, 2016

Filed: October 14, 2016

Prescribed Petroleum Products Prices

Order dated October 13, 2016
made by the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*
and Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations*

Order

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In the matter of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act*

- and -

**In the matter of prescribing prices for petroleum products
pursuant to Section 14 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and
Sections 16 to 19 of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations***

Before: Murray E. Doehler, CPA, CA, P.Eng., Member

Whereas the purpose of the *Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations* is to ensure just and reasonable prices for specified petroleum products taking into consideration the objectives of preserving the availability of such products in rural areas, stabilizing prices of such products and minimizing the variances in prices of such products across the Province;

And whereas the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board (“Board”) considered the manner in which it would proceed to set petroleum product prices in its decision, 2006 NSUARB 108, issued on October 16, 2006;

And whereas the Board revised the retail margin and transportation allowance effective January 6, 2012, in its decision, 2011 NSUARB 181, issued on November 23, 2011;

And whereas the Board revised the wholesale margin effective January 4, 2013, in its decision, 2012 NSUARB 213, issued on December 12, 2012;

And whereas the average of the average of the daily high and low reported product prices (in Canadian cents) for the week ended October 12, 2016, are:

Grade 1 Regular gasoline	54.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	55.0¢ per litre

Now therefore the Board prescribes the benchmark prices for petroleum products to be:

Gasoline:

Grade 1	54.4¢ per litre
Grade 2	57.4¢ per litre
Grade 3	60.4¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil	55.0¢ per litre

And now therefore the Board has determined, based on historical data regarding price changes and to achieve revenue neutrality, it is appropriate to apply, and the Board so orders, forward averaging corrections of:

Gasoline:	plus 0.8¢ per litre
Ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil:	plus 1.3¢ per litre

And whereas a winter blending adjustment of plus 5.3¢ per litre is required for ultra-low-sulfur diesel oil;

And now therefore the Board prescribes the prices for petroleum products as set forth in Schedule “A” effective on and after 12:01 a.m., October 14, 2016.

Dated at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 13th day of October, 2016.

sgd: *Bruce A. Kiley*
Clerk of the Board

Schedule “A”

**Prices Prescribed for Petroleum Products
under the *Petroleum Products Pricing Act* and the
Petroleum Products Pricing Regulations
effective on and after 12:01 a.m. on October 14, 2016**

Nova Scotia Petroleum Price Schedule								
Petroleum Prices in Cents/Litre					Self-Service Pump Prices		Full-Service Pump Prices	
					(Pump Prices includes 15% HST)			
	Base Wholesale Price	Fed. Excise Tax	Prov. Tax	Wholesale Selling Price	Min	Max	Min	Max
Zone 1								
Regular Unleaded	62.3	10.0	15.5	87.8	106.5	108.6	106.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	65.3	10.0	15.5	90.8	109.9	112.0	109.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	68.3	10.0	15.5	93.8	113.4	115.5	113.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	68.8	4.0	15.4	88.2	107.0	109.0	107.0	999.9
Zone 2								
Regular Unleaded	62.8	10.0	15.5	88.3	107.1	109.1	107.1	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	65.8	10.0	15.5	91.3	110.5	112.6	110.5	999.9
Premium Unleaded	68.8	10.0	15.5	94.3	114.0	116.0	114.0	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	69.3	4.0	15.4	88.7	107.5	109.6	107.5	999.9
Zone 3								
Regular Unleaded	63.2	10.0	15.5	88.7	107.5	109.6	107.5	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	66.2	10.0	15.5	91.7	111.0	113.0	111.0	999.9
Premium Unleaded	69.2	10.0	15.5	94.7	114.4	116.5	114.4	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	69.7	4.0	15.4	89.1	108.0	110.1	108.0	999.9
Zone 4								
Regular Unleaded	63.3	10.0	15.5	88.8	107.6	109.7	107.6	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	66.3	10.0	15.5	91.8	111.1	113.2	111.1	999.9
Premium Unleaded	69.3	10.0	15.5	94.8	114.5	116.6	114.5	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	69.8	4.0	15.4	89.2	108.1	110.2	108.1	999.9

Zone 5								
Regular Unleaded	63.3	10.0	15.5	88.8	107.6	109.7	107.6	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	66.3	10.0	15.5	91.8	111.1	113.2	111.1	999.9
Premium Unleaded	69.3	10.0	15.5	94.8	114.5	116.6	114.5	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	69.8	4.0	15.4	89.2	108.1	110.2	108.1	999.9
Zone 6								
Regular Unleaded	64.0	10.0	15.5	89.5	108.4	110.5	108.4	999.9
Mid-Grade Unleaded	67.0	10.0	15.5	92.5	111.9	114.0	111.9	999.9
Premium Unleaded	70.0	10.0	15.5	95.5	115.3	117.4	115.3	999.9
Ultra-Low-Sulfur Diesel	70.5	4.0	15.4	89.9	108.9	111.0	108.9	999.9