

Chapter 624 of NAC

**ADOPTED TEMPORARY REGULATION OF
THE STATE CONTRACTORS BOARD**

LCB File No. T008-16

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Effective:

EXPLANATION – Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets ~~HH~~ is material to be omitted.

Section 1. NAC 624.136 is hereby amended to read as follows:

NAC 624.136 Criminal investigator: Qualifications. (NRS 624.100, 624.112) Each person who is employed by the Board as a criminal investigator ~~must~~:

1. *May be required to* ~~HH~~ hold valid certification as a peace officer by the Peace Officers' Standards and Training Commission pursuant to chapter 289 of NRS; and
2. *Shall* ~~HH~~ have one of the following:

(a) A high school diploma and have at least 5 years of experience in law enforcement or criminal investigations, or equivalent experience, as determined by the Board;

(b) A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with a major in criminal justice, law enforcement, or a related area of study as determined by the Board, and have at least 4 years of experience in law enforcement or criminal investigations, or equivalent experience, as determined by the Board; or

(c) Any sufficient combination of education and experience as determined by the Board.

(Added to NAC by Contractors' Bd. by R061-01, eff. 11-20-2001)

**INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT OF ADOPTED TEMPORARY REGULATION AS
REQUIRED BY ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ACT, NRS 233B.066
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The following statement is submitted for adopted amendments to the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 624 in compliance with NRS 233B.066.

1. A clear and concise explanation of the need for the adopted regulation.

The purpose of proposed temporary regulation is to amend Chapter 624 of the Nevada Administrative Code concerning the qualifications of persons employed by the Board as criminal investigators. The proposed change amends the language of NAC 624.136(1) regarding certification as a peace officer by the Peace Officers' Standards and Training Commission from a mandatory requirement to a discretionary requirement. The proposed change would provide the agency with enhanced recruiting capabilities and allow for more effective use of manpower.

2. A description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of the public response and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

The notice of workshop and notice of hearing to solicit comments on the proposed temporary regulation was posted at various public locations, on the agency's website and on the Nevada Public Notice Website.

3. The number of persons who:

Attended each hearing: 0

Testified at each hearing: 0

Submitted to the agency written statements: 0

4. Names & Addresses of persons either submitting written statements or testimony:

None.

5. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response and an explanation of how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

The notice of workshop and hearing was posted at various public locations, on the agency's website and on the Nevada Public Notice Website.

6. If the regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting the regulation without change.

The temporary regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation since no public comment was received at the workshop or hearing.

7. The estimated economic effect of the regulation on the business which it is to regulate and on the public.

A) Estimated economic effect on the businesses which they are to regulate.

The proposed temporary regulation should not result in any economic impact as it does not change or modify contractor licensure requirements. The regulation should not result in any adverse economic effect on the general public.

B) Estimated economic effect on the public which they are to regulate

The immediate and long term effect of implementing the provisions of the proposed temporary regulation would provide the agency with enhanced recruiting capabilities and will allow for more effective use of manpower.

8. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation.

The proposed temporary regulation will not result in any cost to the agency.

9. A description of any regulations of other State or governmental agencies which the regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement why the duplication or overlap is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.

The proposed temporary regulation does not overlap or duplicate any regulation.

10. If the regulation includes provisions that are more stringent than a federal regulation that regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions.

There are no federal regulations that apply.

11. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.

This regulation does not provide a new fee or increase an existing fee.