ADOPTED REGULATION OF THE

STATE CONTRACTORS' BOARD

LCB File No. R014-07

Effective October 31, 2007

EXPLANATION - Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AUTHORITY: §1, NRS 338.1389, 338.147 and 624.100.

A REGULATION relating to contracts for public works; revising the provisions relating to the criteria for certificates of eligibility to receive a preference in bidding on public works; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Section 1. NAC 624.687 is hereby amended to read as follows:

624.687 1. A contractor who wishes to obtain a certificate of eligibility must submit to the Board:

- (a) An application on a form provided by the Board;
- (b) A notarized affidavit for a certificate of eligibility on a form provided by the Board;
- (c) A notarized statement of compliance on a form provided by the Board;
- (d) The fee set forth in NAC 624.130; and
- (e) Any other documentation required by the Board.
- 2. For each [classification of a license for which a] certificate of eligibility as a general contractor which is requested, the applicant must be a contractor [who is licensed in the classification for which the certificate is requested pursuant to the provisions of chapter 624 of NRS on the date that he submits the application and] who has been licensed as a general contractor [in the classification for which the certificate is requested] pursuant to the provisions

of chapter 624 of NRS for the 5 years immediately preceding the date on which he submits the application.

- 3. For each certificate of eligibility as a specialty contractor which is requested, the applicant must be a contractor who has been licensed as a specialty contractor pursuant to the provisions of chapter 624 of NRS for the 5 years immediately preceding the date on which he submits the application.
- 4. If an applicant has more than one classification of a license as a contractor, he must submit a separate application for each classification of a license for which a certificate of eligibility is requested and must satisfy all applicable requirements pursuant to NRS 338.1389 or 338.147.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF PROPOSED REGULATION LCB File No. R014-07 Petition 2006-12

The State Contractors' Board adopted regulations assigned LCB File No. R014-07 which pertain to chapter 624 of the Nevada Administrative Code.

INFORMATIONAL STATEMENT

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

A workshop and hearing notice to amend NAC 624 clarifying the requirements for contractors to be eligible to qualify for a certificate of eligibility was posted August 2, 2007 at the following locations: Washoe County Court House; Washoe County Library; Reno City Hall; Las Vegas City Hall; Sawyer State Building; Clark County Library and Offices of the Contractors' Board in Reno and Las Vegas. In addition, the notice was posted on the agency's web site and mailed to approximately 135 interested individuals. The workshop was held September 4, 2007 and the hearing held September 7, 2007. The contents of the regulation had been adopted as a Temporary Regulation (LCB File No. T-007-07) on January 25, 2007. At the workshop and hearing held for the Temporary Regulation, two members of the industry attended and provided comment.

- 2. The number of persons who:
 - (a) Attended each workshop & hearing: 0 (workshop); 0 (hearing)
 - (b) Testified at each workshop:
 - (c) Testified at hearing: 0
 - (c) Submitted to the agency written comments: 0
- 3. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response, and an explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.

Comments were solicited from affected businesses by the notice posting, web site and direct mail.

4. 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 regulation was adopted without changing since there was no opposition to the language as written.

5. The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the business which it is to regulate and on the public. These must be stated separately, and each case must include:

- (a) Both adverse and beneficial effects; and
- (b) Both immediate and long-term effects
 - (a) The proposed revisions may have a beneficial economic effect on the industry both immediately and long-term by providing for a new subclassification for the installation of water and gas service lines from the point of service to the pool equipment for single family residential pools and spas.
 - (b) The estimated effect on the public both immediate and long term should be beneficial since the regulation establishes a new subclassification for the installation of water and gas service lines for single family residential pools and spas and requires certification as a journeyman plumber or residential pool plumber issued by an authorized governmental agency.
- 6. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the adopted regulation.

The cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation should be minimal.

7. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates a federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.

There are no other state or government agency regulations which the proposed amendments duplicate.