

**(Effective until October 1, 2020)**

**WAC 296-870-20005 Building owner certifications.** You must obtain written certification from the building owner of any building with a powered platform installation that was completed or had major modification done after July 23, 1990, that the building and equipment meets the requirements of new installations-buildings, WAC 296-870-600 and new installations-equipment, WAC 296-870-700 of this chapter.

**Note:** The building owner needs to base the certification on:  
1. The field test of the installation done before it is first placed into service or following any major modification to an existing installation;  
**AND**  
2. All other relevant available information, including but not limited to:  
a. Test data;  
b. Equipment specifications;  
c. Verification by a registered professional engineer.

You must obtain written certification from the building owner that the installation:

(1) Has been inspected, tested, and maintained as required by inspection, testing, and maintenance, WAC 296-870-300 of this chapter;  
and

(2) All fall protection anchorages meet the requirements of Appendix C—Personal fall arrest system, WAC 296-24-88050, found in the General safety and health standards, chapter 296-24 WAC.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, 49.17.040, 49.17.050. WSR 15-23-086, § 296-870-20005, filed 11/17/15, effective 12/18/15. Statutory Authority: RCW 49.17.010, 49.17.040, 49.17.050, 47.17.060. WSR 06-19-075, § 296-870-20005, filed 9/19/06, effective 1/1/07.]

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(2) All fall protection anchorages meet the requirements of WAC 296-880-40020 Personal fall arrest system requirements.

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