

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPTED

FROM: PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS  
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER  
LEGISLATIVE BLDG (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)  
Olympia 98501

The enclosed Permanent rules  , being order No. ELS 7001  
Emergency rules   
relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)

Evaluation of candidates for engineering, experience requirements for waiving of examination, and such other matters as may properly come before the Board pertaining to the requirements for engineering and land surveying registration.

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 2614 ① filed with the code reviser on 4-1-70 ② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of this agency at Seattle, Washington on 5-8-70 and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be 5-8-70. ③


(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding that the immediate adoption of these rules is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare and that observance of the requirements of notice and opportunity to present views on the proposed action would be contrary to the public interest, were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this agency at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

Dated this 8th day of May 1970.

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
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PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS  
(AGENCY)

  
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Assistant Attorney General  
Title

- ① NOTICE NUMBER AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE NO. OF LAST NOTICE)
- ② STAMPED DATE AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE DATE OF LAST NOTICE)
- ③ UNLESS A LATER DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDER OR IS PRESCRIBED IN ANOTHER STATUTE, RULES ARE EFFECTIVE 30 DAYS AFTER FILING: RCW 34.04.040. LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK EXCEPT IN SUCH SPECIAL CASES.

STATE OF WASHINGTON

PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. ELS 7001

I, JOHN S. ABEL, chairman of the Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, by virtue of the authority vested in the Board, after filing Notice No. 2614 with the Code Reviser, and notifying the press in accordance with RCW 42.32.010, and also notifying all interested persons, state that a public hearing was held before the Board which was open to the public on Friday, May 8, 1970.

After considering statements made at the hearing and material submitted by interested persons, the Board adopted on May 8, 1970, the annexed rules and regulations and authorized me to sign this order.

This order, after first being recorded in the registry of this agency, shall be forwarded to the Code Reviser for filing pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

APPROVED AND SIGNED this 8th day of May, 1970.

John S. Abel

JOHN S. ABEL, Chairman  
Board of Registration for Professional  
Engineers and Land Surveyors

WAC 196-12-050 EVALUATION OF CANDIDATES FOR ENGINEERING LICENSES.

(1) An E.I.T. candidate who has received his registration by examination is excused from the fundamentals examination and is required to write only the branch examination. The percentage required to pass the branch examination is 70%. This may be achieved by adding to the percentage made on the examination paper, one-half of one per cent for each extra year of experience satisfactory to the board, (after the statutory eight years). No candidate can be considered as having passed who receives less than 60% on his examination papers, thus the maximum percentage that will be allowed for experience is 10%.

AMD.

(2) Candidates who have not passed an E.I.T. examination and who write fundamental and branch examinations, must receive a grade of 70% in the combined total. This is determined by averaging the grades made on the examination papers, fundamental and branch, and adding to it one-half of one per cent for each extra year of experience satisfactory to the board, (after the statutory eight years). No candidate can be considered as having passed who has received less than 60% on either fundamental or branch examination.

(3) Candidates holding a baccalaureate degree in an accredited engineering curriculum who have had seventeen or more years of experience satisfactory to the board (after the statutory eight years of experience) may have the fundamental examination waived and be permitted to write the branch examination only. These candidates must attain 70% minimum in this examination. No percentage points for experience will be credited towards the required passing grade.

(4) Certification in structural, hydraulic and sanitary engineering (see WAC 196-080) requires a minimum passing grade of 70% on the written examination paper. No percentage points for experience will be credited towards the required passing grade.