#### **CALIFORNIA CONTRACTORS LICENSES & CERTIFICATES**

#### **General Engineering – A**

Fixed engineering work such as streets & roads, pipelines, grading, bridges, dams, sewers, etc.

#### General Building – B

Work on any shelter for people or animals or movable property. Project must involve two or more trades or carpentry alone.

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Boiler, Hot Water Heating & Steam Fitting	C-4
Building Moving and Demolition	C-21
Cabinetry, Millwork & Finish Carpentry	C-6
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Carpentry	C-5
Concrete	C-8
Construction Zone Traffic Control	C-31
Drywall	C-9
Earthwork and Paving	C-12
Electrical	C-10
Electrical Sign	C-45
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Elevator	
Fencing	C-13
Fire Protection	C-16
Flooring and Floor Covering	C-15
General Manufactured Housing	C-47
Glazing	C-17
Insulation and Acoustical	C-2
Landscaping	C-27
Limited Specialty (30 subclassifications)	C-61
Lock & Security	C-28
Low Voltage Systems	C-7
Masonry	C-29
Ornamental Metal	C-23
Painting & Decorating	C-33
Parking & Highway Improvement	C-32
Pipeline	C-34
Plastering	C-35
Plumbing	C-35
Refrigeration	C-38
Roofing	C-39
Sanitation Systems	C-42
Sheet Metal	C-43
Solar	C-46
Steel, Reinforcing	C-50
Steel, Structural	C-51
Swimming Pools	C-53
Tile (Ceramic, Mosaic)	C-54
Warm-Air Heating, Ventilating & A/C	C-20
Water Conditioning	C-55
Welding	C-60
Well Drilling (Water)	C-57
Asbestos Abatement	ASB
Hazardous Substances Removal	HSR
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#### WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A LICENSE?

If you have worked at least four of the last 10 years in a building trade – as a journeyman, foreman, supervisor, or selfemployed tradesman – you may apply for a state contractor's license in that trade. Apprenticeship programs, technical training related to your trade, and college courses related to the construction business also count toward the four-year total.

To get your license, you need to submit an application to the <u>Contractors State License</u> <u>Board (CSLB)</u> and take two 2½-hour exams, one on law & business management, and the other on your trade. (For a supplemental classification, you need not take the law exam again, but only the exam for the supplemental trade.)

# WHY GET A LICENSE?

- Legally take on jobs over \$500 and protect yourself against lawsuits.
- Advertise as a licensed contractor in the Yellow Pages, newspapers & other media.
- Bid on state and local government projects and on projects financed by banks, S&Ls, and insurance companies.
- Join builders' exchanges and contractors' associations, which offer job lists and group insurance rates. You can get contractor's credit accounts and discounts from building suppliers.
- You won't risk penalties, prosecution, or nonpayment for contracting without a license. You will have mechanics lien, stop notice, and bond rights to make sure you get paid.

## WHY CHOOSE CONTRACTORS LICENSE COURSES?

## CLC offers more than any other school:

- Instruction in business management, construction law, and your trade;
- Live and video lectures by lawyers, engineers, and contractors;
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<u>GUARANTEE</u>: Over 98% of our classroom students who utilize our materials and our methods pass their license exams the first time. But if you fail your exams, we will continue to provide you with the latest practice exams and stick with you until you pass, however long it takes.

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# CONTRACTORS LICENSE COURSES' FEES

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- Online practice tests
- Law & trade study manuals
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#### OTHER COSTS OF BECOMING A LICENSED CONTRACTOR

Fingerprinting fees.....approximately \$ 80.00

<u>- To Contractors State License Board</u>: Application fee (original license)....... \$330.00 License fee (renewable every 2 years).. \$200.00 - To Insurance Company:

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