EXAMINATION INFORMATION
DEPUTY PRESSURE VESSEL INSPECTOR

DUTIES
Inspection of boilers and pressure vessels or other equipment for conformance to State laws and City ordinances.

REQUIREMENTS
Applicants must be employed by a California State approved organization to inspect boilers and pressure vessels and possess a valid California State Certificate of Competency to inspect boilers and pressure vessels.

EXAMINATION

FILLING FEE: $136.25

SCHEDULE: Contact License Section to schedule an appointment.

LOCATION: Determined by License Section and Pressure Vessel Code Desk

SCOPE: The examination for Deputy Pressure Vessel Inspector is an oral examination consisting of questions pertaining to the American Society of Mechanical Engineers Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, the State of California Title 8 regulations for boilers and pressure vessels and the City of Los Angeles Municipal Code requirements regarding the safety and inspection of boilers and pressure vessels. Applicants should be knowledgeable in the inspection and safety requirements of boilers and unfired pressure vessels typically found in industrial buildings. Applications for this examination must be countersigned by the authorized employer.

PASSING SCORE: 70%

RE-EXAMINATION
Applicants who fail to pass their first examination are entitled to a second examination at no additional fee. Applicants who fail to pass the second examination shall wait 30 days before filing for another examination, at which time a new application and filing fee is required.

RENEWAL
Deputy Pressure Vessel Inspector license expires one year from the date of issuance. It may be renewed from year to year by the payment of the annual renewal fee within 30 days after the expiration date or within 12 months by payment of the renewal fee plus late fees.

* A copy of your current National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspector license is required at the time of renewal.

ANNUAL FEE: $54.50

A VALID WORK IDENTIFICATION CARD (WITH PICTURE) OR DRIVER’S LICENSE WILL BE REQUIRED WHEN APPLICANTS APPEAR FOR THE EXAMINATION.

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