

Local Law #8 of 2018
Resolution #164
(passed at Regular Full Mtg. 07/03/2018)

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**LOCAL LAW TO AMEND CHAPTER 190 OF THE CODE OF PUTNAM COUNTY ENTITLED
“PLUMBING AND MECHANICAL TRADES”**

Be it enacted by the County Legislature of the County of Putnam as follows:

Section 1.

Section 190-4 of the Putnam County Code is hereby amended by adding the definition of “NICET” as follows:

NICET

National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET) is a non-profit division of the National Society of Professional Engineers whose mission is to promote excellence in engineering technologies through certification and related services.

Section 2.

Section 190-4 of the Putnam County Code is hereby amended by adding subsection E under JOURNEYMAN as follows:

E. has satisfied the requirements found in Section 190-8-a, Mechanical trades; special regulations and requirements in regard to Journeyman Fire Protection System Installer.

Section 3.

Sections 190-8-a(A) and 190-8-a(B) of the Putnam County Code are hereby amended to read as follows:

A. Fire Protection System Installer

I. Applicants for Master Fire Protection System Installer license must:

- (1) Be at least 23 years of age; and
- (2) Submit proof of a minimum of five (5) years’ experience working with the design, installation and repair of fire sprinkler systems; and
- (3) Effective January 1, 2024, submit proof that he/she holds a minimum of NICET III Certification in Water-Based Systems Layout.

II. Applicants for Journeyman Fire Protection System Installer license must:

- (1) Be at least 21 years of age; and**
- (2) Submit proof of a minimum of two (2) years' experience working under the supervision of a licensed Master Fire Protection System Installer; and**
- (3) Effective January 1, 2024, submit proof that he/she holds a minimum of NICET II Certification in Water-Based Systems Layout.**

B. Fire Protection System Inspection, Testing and Service

I. Applicants for Master Fire Protection System Inspection, Testing and Service license must:

- (1) Be at least 23 years of age; and**
- (2) Submit proof of a minimum of five (5) years' experience working with the inspection, testing and maintenance/service of fire sprinkler systems; and**
- (3) Effective January 1, 2024, submit proof that he/she holds a minimum of NICET II Certification in Water-Based Systems Inspection and Testing.**

II. There is no Journeyman Fire Protection System Inspection, Testing and Service license at this time.

Section 4.

This Local Law shall take effect immediately upon filing with the New York Secretary of State.