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This is a reminder that your Master Electrician and/or Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm. Technician license expires December 31, 2020. **Similar to last year, we will NOT be mailing renewal packets.**

Please follow the instructions below to download and print your 2021 RENEWAL PACKET from the Putnam County website. This includes the Shelving Affidavit, should you decide to shelve your license in 2021.

- . Go to: <http://www.putnamcountyny.com/consumer-affairs/downloads/>
- . Under Electrical Examiners, click:
2021 Master Electrician and Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm.Tech. renewal packet
- . Download and print forms (Forms may be completed online and printed)

If you do not have access to a computer to download a renewal packet or shelving affidavit, you can obtain one from our office.

Completion of a Continuing Education Class (CEU) is required for Masters and Reciprocal Masters only.

If you plan to reciprocate with Westchester, be sure to take a Combo class.

ALSO NOTE: Anyone with an outstanding violation will not be renewed until the fee has been satisfied.

The renewal fee is \$500 for Master Electricians; \$150 for Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm. Tech. Shelving fee is \$50. Check or money order should be made out to the *Commissioner of Finance*. Credit card payments accepted in office only.

Renewal applications received after December 31st will be subject to late fees as follows:

If received after December 31st add: \$100
If received after January 31st add: \$200
If received after February 28th add: \$300

THERE IS NO GRACE PERIOD

Shelving affidavits received between Jan.1st – Mar 31st will be subject to a late fee of \$25.

Fee for certified copy is \$10.

Applications should be mailed to: Putnam County Office of Consumer Affairs
Attn: Electrical Board
110 Old Route Six, Building Three
Carmel, NY 10512

Westchester County Electricians who reciprocate with Putnam County are not bound by renewal deadline or late fees and do NOT need to shelve.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact our office.
Putnam County Board of Electrical Examiners

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REQUIREMENTS FOR OBTAINING A PUTNAM COUNTY MASTER ELECTRICIAN'S LICENSE

Only use this package if you either passed the exam for Putnam County, are renewing the Putnam Master Electrical license or Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm. Tech license, or are reciprocating the Westchester Master Electrical License.

All licenses expire December 31st. **LATE FEES CHARGED FOR APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER DECEMBER 31ST**

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE COMPLETED and SIGNED.

Any application submitted without all the requested information and documentation will be returned and considered invalid.

APPLICATION

Include a **CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE**

Requirements:

- Certificate Holder must be Putnam County Electrical Board, 110 Old Route 6, Bldg. 3, Carmel, NY 10512
- Putnam County **MUST** be Additional Insured

Include **WORKERS' COMPENSATION FORM (C105.2)**

Requirements:

- Certificate Holder **MUST** be Putnam County Electrical Board
- *NOTE: If Workers' Compensation is not required, you **MUST** complete a Workers' Compensation Waiver (Form CE-200) at www.wcb.ny.gov This form must be printed, signed and submitted.

Include **ORIGINAL LICENSE & PERMIT BOND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000.00 OR COPY OF A CONTINUATION CERTIFICATE**

Requirements:

- Bond **MUST** be for **1 year** period and **MUST** run concurrently with the license
- Putnam County **MUST** be the obligee
- Original bond **MUST** be signed by the principal (If Continuation Certificate, copy is acceptable)

Complete the attached **CHILD SUPPORT FORM** pursuant to NYS General Obligations Law, Section 3-503

Copy of **VEHICLE REGISTRATION** cards for vehicles used in the course of your business.

Include a copy of a valid **DRIVER'S LICENSE** from the state in which you reside or proof of current home street address, if different from address on driver's license.

Copy of Certificate showing completion of a **CONTINUING EDUCATION CLASS (for Masters and Reciprocal, only)**

To obtain a reciprocal license, include a **certified** copy of a **current** valid **WESTCHESTER COUNTY ELECTRICAL LICENSE**

Include the **LICENSING FEE** in the form of a check or money order in the amount of **\$500.00** made payable to **Commissioner of Finance (\$150 for Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm. Tech)**. Credit card payments accepted in office only. This fee includes one vehicle decal; each additional decal is a \$6.00 fee. If application is submitted after December 31st, you **MUST** include the appropriate late fee (Does not apply to Reciprocal).

Late Fees:

- If received after December 31st add: \$100
- If received after January 31st add: \$200
- If received after February 28th add: \$300

If you are a **FIRST TIME APPLICANT** please **ALSO INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS:**

- Include a **PHOTO** of the licensee - Requirements: This photo **MUST** be submitted by sending an e-mail to athena.arvan@putnamcountyny.gov *NOTE: This photo must be a headshot. No photos with hats/sun glasses are accepted. Also, if sending by e-mail **MUST** include first and last name of licensee in the subject bar and the photo **MUST** be submitted in **jpeg** format.

Check one:

- For **Individual** (using assumed name or d/b/a):
 - MUST** include a copy of a **CERTIFIED BUSINESS CERTIFICATE**
- For **Partnerships**:
 - MUST** include a copy of a **CERTIFIED PARTNERSHIP CERTIFICATE**
- For **Corporations**:
 - MUST** include a copy of a **CORPORATE FILING RECEIPT**

① **Questions? Please call or email our office** athena.arvan@putnamcountyny.gov THANK YOU for your compliance of Putnam County Electricians Law



COUNTY OF PUTNAM
 Department of Consumer Affairs/Electrical Board
 110 Old Route 6 Bldg. 3
 Carmel, NY 10512
 (845) 808-1617
<http://www.putnamcountyny.com/consumer-affairs/>

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	
License No. _____	Year: <u>2021</u>
Fee Amount: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Co. Check #: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Pers. Check #: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Credit/debit card Auth No.: _____	
C of L: _____	W/C: _____
Bond Exp: _____	Child Support: <input type="checkbox"/> Y
Proof of Home Address/Driver's License <input type="checkbox"/> Y	
No. of Decals: _____	Cert. West. Lic. <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
CEU cert: <input type="checkbox"/> Y	C of D on file: <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
Processed: _____	

CHECK IF CERTIFIED COPY REQUESTED: _____

2021 MASTER ELEC. AND LOW VOLTAGE/LMTD DATA COMM.TECH. RENEWAL

Please complete and return by 12/31/2020. LATE FEES CHARGED AFTER 12/31/20.

Check one and include lic. no. Master # M _____ Low Volt/Lmtd Data # L _____ Recip. # R _____ Special _____

Name: _____

Home Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Business Name: _____

Company Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Company Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Where should we mail correspondence that relates to your Electrical License? Circle one: HOME COMPANY

Mailing Address (if different from above): _____

Have there been any unsatisfied judgments against you since your last application? Circle one: YES NO

If yes, include a certified copy of your Certificate of Disposition.

Please list all municipalities/facilities where you are presently licensed as a Master/Special Electrician: _____

Have you ever had a professional or vocational license suspended, refused, or revoked? Circle one: YES NO

If yes, explain: _____

AFFIDAVIT

In consideration of being granted a Putnam County Master's Electrician or Low Voltage Lmtd. Data Comm. Technician's license, it is agreed that the applicant will comply with the rules and regulations of the Putnam County Electrician's law.

I certify that the information on this application is true and accurate and understand that any incomplete, inaccurate or false information may cause the registration to be delayed, denied, suspended or revoked.

PENALTY FOR FALSIFICATION – Falsification of any statement made herein is an offense punishable by a fine and/or imprisonment.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

Division of Safety and Health
License and Certificate Unit
Harriman State Office Campus
Building 12, Room 161A
Albany NY 12240
(518) 457-2735

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Department
of Labor

www.labor.ny.gov
license&certifcate@labor.ny.gov

Appendix to a License/Certificate Application

The child support obligations
(New York State General Obligations Law Title 5 section 3-503)
do not apply to corporations.

Complete, sign and date this form if you are applying for a license/certificate or license/certificate renewal.

Applicant's Information

Last name: _____ First name: _____ Middle initial: _____

Social Security number: _____

The type of license/certificate requested: _____

Business: _____ Title: _____

Certification

- Are you under an obligation to pay child support? If yes, complete items 1 - 4. Yes No
1. I am making payments in accordance with a plan agreed upon by the parties. Yes No
2. I am four months or more behind in the payment of child support. Yes No
3. My child support obligation is the subject of a pending court proceeding. Yes No
4. I am receiving public assistance or supplemental security income. Yes No

If you are four months or more behind in child support or have failed to comply with a summons, subpoena or warrant relating to a paternity or child support proceeding, you may be subject to suspension of your business, professional and/or driver licenses.

Affirmation

I acknowledge that giving false information is a crime and may result in this license/certificate being revoked.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



MASTER ELECTRICIAN and LOW VOLTAGE/LMTD DATA COMM TECHNICIAN 2021 SHELIVING INSTRUCTIONS

Attached is the shelving affidavit. This affidavit applies to anyone wishing to shelve his/her license in 2021.

The signed affidavit must be returned to this office by December 31, 2020.

The fee for shelving your license is \$50.00 per year.

If received between January 1st – March 31st, 2021, there will be a late fee of \$25.

Check or Money Order should be made out to the COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE.
Cash is not accepted. Credit card payments accepted in office only.

NOTE:

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IMPORTANT!

If you have already shelved for five (5) consecutive years, you must submit a letter to the Electrical Board stating the reason for your continued shelving status.

According to Putnam County Electrical Law, 145-19 (G): Licensees can shelve in consecutive years for a maximum of five (5) years without Board approval. If the licensee wishes to extend shelving beyond five (5) years, the licensee must submit a letter to the Board providing a satisfactory reason for continued shelving.

If you choose to shelve your license, you are not eligible to work in Putnam County. If you are found working without a license, you may be subject to a fine.

Beginning in 2019, any Master Electrician who shelves will be required to take a Continuing Education Class (CEU) for each year of shelving. Certificates issued by the CEU provider will provide proof of completion of the required class. Copies of these certificates must be included in any renewal or reactivation of license.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the office at the above number Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	Year: <u>2021</u>
License No.: _____	Fee Amount: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Co. Check #: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Pers. Check #: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Credit/debit card Auth. No: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> M.O. #: _____	
CEU: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Processed: _____	Shelving Year: 2021

**MASTER ELECTRICIAN and LOW VOLTAGE/LMTD DATA COMMUNICATION TECHNICIAN
2021 SHELIVING AFFIDAVIT**

This Affidavit must be signed by a licensed Master Electrician or Low Voltage/Lmtd Data Comm Technician seeking to voluntarily inactivate his or her license under Putnam County Electricians Law.

I, the undersigned, fully acknowledge and understand by my signature affixed below, that in addition to my written request and explanation to inactivate or shelve my license in accordance with Putnam County Electricians Law, I am prohibited from doing any work in Putnam County that was authorized by my prior active electrical license. I am fully aware that if I am found doing such work during the period of time that my license is voluntarily shelved, I will be violating the law and shall be subject to the fines and penalties of an unlicensed person, because I will not have a valid license to do such work.

New in 2019: For Master Electricians, I fully acknowledge that I am obligated to complete all required hours of continuing education during the time that my license is shelved. I also acknowledge that if I do not complete the required continuing education hours during the time my license is shelved, I will not be able to reactivate my license.

During the period of voluntary shelving of my license, I will be eligible to work under another Master License holder provided I obtain a Journeyman or Helper license to do so. Without such, I will be violating the law and shall be subject to the fines and penalties of an unlicensed person.

Name: _____ License #: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email: _____

Company name and address: _____

Company phone: _____ Company email: _____

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