

# EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL TRUST FUND OF THE ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY

### E&C OSHA and EPA SAFETY CLASSES

#### **REGISTRATION FORM**

To register return this form to the Educational and Cultural Trust Fund office, 158-11 Harry Van Arsdale Jr. Avenue, fifth floor, Flushing, New York 11365. Your name will be placed on a pending list for future classes.

#### [ ] ASBESTOS ALLIED TRADE/RESTRICTED HANDLER - Initial 16 Hours/Refresher 8 Hours

- Electricians may need to disturb asbestos in order to do their specific job. It is a regulation of the Departments of Labor, Health and Environmental Protection that local City and State agencies MUST license workers before they perform this type of work.
- The license is limited to special tasks for auxiliary asbestos projects. If the work being performed accidentally
  disturbs asbestos during the course of their job, the worker would be required to show proof of certification as
  having had completed mandatory training from an approved training entity before disturbing asbestos materials.
- This course includes instruction in respiratory protection procedures.

#### ASBESTOS HANDLER - Initial Class 32 Hours / Refresher Class 12 hours

- In compliance with the Departments of Labor, Health and Environmental Protection Departments, any
  electrician removing, encapsulating or disturbing, or enclosing any asbestos containing materials must possess,
  at all times, certification by an approved training entity and must be licensed by local City and State agencies.
- This course includes instruction in respiratory protection procedures.

#### [ ] CONFINED SPACE - Eight Hours Refresher Every Two Years

- This is an OSHA mandatory training course required by any one working in a manhole, in tunnel areas, or in some types of electrical closets, or equivalent spaces defined by OSHA as confined space.
- This course outlines the rules and responsibilities for entry level Supervisors, attendants and entrants. You will
  be instructed in identifying permissible spaces, entry situations and emergencies, as well as, monitoring and
  identifying hazardous atmospheres.

#### [ ] EPA LEAD REMODELERS RENOVATION, REPAIR AND PAINTING - Every Five Years

Course required for EPA Certification to work in areas that would disturb more than six square feet interior
paint surface, or 20 square foot exterior surface. Training and Certification is required to be in compliance with
EPA regulations to perform EPA approved work practices using lead test kit and specific work practices.

#### HAZWOPER - 40 Hour Compliance Training Refresher Annually

• Mandatory course required by the Occupational Safety & Health Administration agency for First Responders at the Operations level, Hazardous Materials Technicians for employees who are expected to handle or clean up hazardous materials or waste. Course teaches decontamination methods, personal protective equipment. Members who complete this course will receive certifications in Hazwoper, Hazard Communication, Lead Awareness and Respiratory Protection, PCB and Mercury Awareness and Handling and an OSHA 16 Hr. Disaster Worker certification.

#### HAZARD COMMUNICATION -Eight-Hours

- Mandatory course required by the Occupational Safety & Health Administration. This agency defines OSHA
  regulations with a clear guide to Hazard Communication safety.
- The course provides information on types of chemical hazards, and instruction in identifying hazardous substances and the use of Material Safety Data Sheets site specifics.
- This course includes instruction in respiratory protection procedures.

#### LEAD & RESPIRATORY PROTECTION INITIAL - Eight Hours Refresher Annually

- This course is a mandatory course required by the Occupational Safety & Health Administration when working near lead. The course reviews all standard and safety regulations to be applied when working with lead based materials.
- Explains monitoring, exposure assessments, and valuable hygiene and housekeeping instructions to safeguard
  against lead exposure and its aftermath.
- Reviews Personal Protective Equipment and Medical Surveillance instruction, work practice procedures and removal.
- This course includes instruction in respiratory protection procedures.

## PCB (POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYLS) AND MERCURY AWARENESS AND HANDLING COURSE - Three Hours Refresher Every Four Years

- The course is designed to provide practical information on the management of PCB for individuals responsible for the use, storage, treatment, disposal, removal, or spill clean up of polychlorinated biphenyls or mercury.
- The course focuses on the latest policies and regulatory developments from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).
- The implementation of PCB regulation (40 CFR Part 761) that addresses the management of building materials that contain PCBs ("Primary Source Materials").

### BLOODBORNE PATHOGENS TB & RESPIRATORY PROTECTION - Eight Hours Refresher Every Two Years

- Since the danger of AIDS and Hepatitis B is a real concern to people in all professions, OSHA requires a mandatory training program in the study of BLOOD BORNE pathogens.
- The N.Y.S. Department of Health requires training in respiratory protection and the proper use of regulated Personal Protection Equipment and Medical Surveillance. The use of this equipment is mandatory while working in certain areas of hospital facilities, correctional facilities, homeless shelters, nursing homes, and in ambulatory care centers.
- While OSHA is in the process of approving TB standards, the N.Y.S. Department of Health does have an enforcement policy that affects employees in health care settings, prisons, homeless shelters, long-term care facilities for the elderly, and drug treatment centers.
- As outlined in an October 1993 regulation, the general duty clause of the Occupational Safety and Health Act stipulates employers may be cited, if they fail to adequately protect workers who become exposed to tuberculosis during the course of employment. The course offers information on the HBV vaccine.
- Training is offered on the ways to recognize exposure on all job sites.

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