

Professional Engineer (PE):

Work Performed: Designs water-based fire protection sprinkler systems for all dwellings-and commercial or high occupancy facilities.

NFPA Standard: NFPA 13, NFPA-13D and NFPA 13-R

Application Required: No

Certification or Exam Required: Must be a licensed Professional Engineer with the Washington State Department of Licensing (DOL).

Design Stamp Issued: No – Uses Issued PE Stamp unless applies for a Level 1, 2, or 3 Certificate of Competency.

Professional Engineer Report:

Licensing of Professional Engineers in Washington State is done by the DOL. Licensed engineers can be searched for at www.dol.wa.gov.

Timeline to process a Professional Engineer Certificate of Competency:

- This requires a license issued by the Department of Licensing. The time for issuance would depend on the requirements which can be found at www.dol.wa.gov.

A PE is only issued a certificate of competency if employed by a contractor and qualifies for the level of certification, submitting an accurately completed application and fees.

Forms:

- Level 1 Certificate of Competency Holder
- Level 2 Certificate of Competency Holder
- Level 3 Certificate of Competency Holder
- Level 1 Contractor Application
- Level 2 Contractor Application
- Level 3 Contractor Application

Other Contractor License Forms:

- Reinstatement of Sprinkler Contractor License (not for renewal)
- Change of Licensed Sprinkler Contractor Name

Other Certificate of Competency Forms:

- Reinstatement of Certificate of Competency (not for renewal)
- Transfer Certification to a different Sprinkler Contractor
- Change of Legal Name
- Change of Contact Data

Installation Final Forms:

- Contractors Materials and Test Certificate for Underground Installation
- Contractors Material Test Report for Aboveground Piping

Law and Rule Reference:

- RCW 18.160 Fire Sprinkler System Contractors
- RCW 18.270 Fire Sprinkler Fitters
- WAC 212-80 Fire Protection Sprinkler System Contractors