

# APPLICATION FOR ELECTRONIC WIRING CERTIFICATE SYSTEM (E-CERT) NORTH DAKOTA STATE ELECTRICAL BOARD SFN 62008 (07-2021)

Current Status					
☐ New User ☐ Current E-Cert User – Changing Payment Option					
Name of Contracting Master, Class B or Power Limited Electrician	License Number				
Social Security Number	Business Name				
Address	City	State	ZIP Code		
Telephone Number	Email Address				
<ul> <li>There are two (2) options for paying on certificates:</li> <li>Deposit Account – a non-interest-bearing account set up with the North Dakota State Electrical Board. Funds need to be available in this account to submit the final electrical wiring certificate(s). Funds may be submitted via a check with deposit slip to the North Dakota State Electrical Board.</li> <li>ACH (Automatic Clearing House) is an automatic withdrawal from your bank account.</li> </ul>					
Payment Options  ☐ Deposit – Mail in check with deposit slip.  ☐ ACH - Attach voided check and complete information below to automatically withdraw payment from a financial institution.					
Complete information below for ACH (Automatic Clearing House) authorizations.					
Financial Institution Name					
Business Name					
Business Federal Identification Number					
Signature		Date			
Place Voided Check Here					

I, as named above, have read and understand the following rules:

- I will use this system for certificates filed with the North Dakota State Electrical Board.
- I understand that the use of my login ID, password and typed name on the certificate has the same legal effect as
  my original manually affixed signature on the certificate being submitted. Each use of my password for filing
  wiring certificates certifies that the certificate meets the requirements of the North Dakota Century Code by me or
  my authorized employee(s).
- I agree to protect and secure the confidentiality of my login and password. Therefore, if I have reason to believe that my password has been compromised, it is my responsibility to immediately notify the North Dakota State Electrical Board.
- I understand the e-Cert system will allow my account to be automatically charged the applicable inspection fee by the North Dakota State Electrical Board after the filing of the electrical wiring certificate.
- I understand the North Dakota State Electrical Board has sole discretion to terminate access to the e-Cert system at any time by giving advance notice.
- I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of the e-Cert system as specified on pages 3-4.

I authorize investigation and certify that all statements contained in this application are true and accurate. In compliance with the Federal Privacy Act of 1974, the disclosure of the individual's social security number on this form is mandatory pursuant to North Dakota Century Code 43-50-02. The individual's social security number is used for identification and verification purposes. Penalty for the applicant not including the social security number on their application will cause the application to not be processed.

Signature of Master, Class B or Power Limited Electrician	Date		
FOR OFFICE USE ONLY			
☐ New User ☐ Current E-Cert User - Changing Payment Option			
Login ID			
Password			
Approved By	Date		

Submit complete application to:

North Dakota State Electrical Board PO Box 7335 Bismarck, ND 58507 Phone: 701-328-9522 Fax: 701-328-9524

Email address: electric@nd.gov Website: www.ndseb.com

### INTRODUCTION

The applicant has submitted an application to the North Dakota State Electrical Board to establish an account for funds associated with the purchases of electrical wiring certificates and conduct of other business transactions with the North Dakota State Electrical Board. The applicant has requested that the North Dakota State Electrical Board provide limited on-line access to the North Dakota State Electrical Board e-Cert system for electronic data relevant to the applicants electrical wiring certificates. Pursuant to NDCC 43-09-19, the North Dakota State Electrical Board hereby grants the applicant such limited access subject to the following terms and conditions.

### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

## LIMITATION OF DURATION AND TERMINATION OF ACCESS

Upon approval by the North Dakota State Electrical Board, the applicant will be provided with limited on-line access to North Dakota State Electrical Board's e-Cert system for electronic data relevant to the applicant's electrical wiring certificates. Such access will be granted for an indefinite period of time unless terminated by the applicant or by the North Dakota State Electrical Board has the sole discretion to terminate the applicant's access to the e-Cert system at any time by giving advance notice to the applicant. If access is so terminated, the applicant shall be liable for any actions, liabilities and/or expenses associated with the access provided prior to the effective date of termination. The North Dakota State Electrical Board shall have the right to terminate the applicant's access if the applicant's license is inactivated, suspended, or revoked in excess of seven (7) working days.

## DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTY

There are no express or implied warranties, including the implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, regarding the limited access to e-Cert system provided by the North Dakota State Electrical Board. The North Dakota State Electrical Board does not warrant that the data or functions contained in the e-Cert system will meet the applicant's needs or requirements or that operation/access will be uninterrupted or error free. The North Dakota State Electrical Board shall not be responsible for any damages with respect to any claim arising from the e-Cert system access provided by the North Dakota State Electrical Board, even if the North Dakota State Electrical Board has been or is hereafter advised of the possibility of such damages.

# APPLICANT'S DUTIES

Applicant agrees that they will:

- 1. Maintain computer equipment and internet access necessary to allow computer link-up with the North Dakota State Electrical Board's computer system.
- 2. Be wholly responsible for the selection, acquisition, operation, and maintenance of equipment and software, including the internet access software (internet browser), necessary for this access, and for all costs, expenses and payments associated with such access, including payments to their own internet service provider (ISP) for internet connectivity services.
- 3. Safeguard the data received or accessed according to the terms specified in the *Data Confidentiality and Security* section below.
- 4. Promptly notify the North Dakota State Electrical Board in writing upon its decision to terminate its access to e-Cert system.
- 5. Promptly respond, without charge, to any questions or surveys conducted by the North Dakota State Electrical Board regarding the access or services.

## DATA CONFIDENTIALITY AND SECURITY

- The applicant warrants that their employees will maintain as confidential all computer date information, computer-oriented systems, systems-related data, software, study finding and recommendations, financial affairs, passwords, access codes and other resources and any other information which may be classified as confidential according to agency polices or state laws.
- The applicant will not disclose such confidential data or information without the written consent of the North Dakota State Electrical Board except as may be required by law.
- The applicant agrees to utilize reasonable security procedures and protections designed to assure that
  confidential information is not disclosed to persons other than the employees of the applicant who have a
  legitimate need to know and have agreed to such confidentiality requirements.
- The applicant shall include such requirements of confidentiality for all employees of the applicant that have access to the confidential data.
- The applicant will protect North Dakota State Electrical Board information resources from unauthorized use, disclosure, alteration, or destruction whether accidental or intentional. The applicant understands that personal access authorizations may be reviewed, updated, or revoked at any time by the North Dakota State Electrical Board.

The applicant will adhere to the following computer security practices:

- 1. Change passwords if the applicant feels there is a confidentiality compromise.
- 2. Avoid easily guessed passwords or passwords that have a personal meaning, e.g., spouse's or child's name. Combination of letters, numbers and special characters are best.
- Keeping password(s) a secret; not posting passwords on terminals or leaving them on desks. Each employee of
  the applicant who has authorized access to the e-Cert system is directly responsible for protecting the
  confidentiality of passwords and other electronic data processing (EDP) security procedures required to be
  established by the applicant.
- 4. Login IDs are assigned by the North Dakota State Electrical Board to the applicant. The applicant is responsible for actions taken or messages sent using assigned login IDs. No other person should be allowed to use an assigned login ID.
- 5. Logoff or lock the terminal before leaving it. Terminals can be locked by the use of password protected screen savers, or other workstation or network access login requirements as may be established by the applicant.
- 6. Any instance which appears to compromise data security will be reported to the North Dakota State Electrical Board.

## APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATIONS AND ASSURANCES

The applicant understands that the limited access to the North Dakota State Electrical Board e-Cert system granted by North Dakota State Electrical Board to the applicant is restricted only to the electronic data relevant to the applicant's electrical wiring certificates and in association with the establishment of an account for transfer of funds between the North Dakota State Electrical Board and the applicant for the purchase of electrical wiring certificates and other related business transactions.