

# HOUSE BILL No. 4373

March 6, 2013, Introduced by Reps. Lipton, Brown, Zemke, Yanez, Darany, Driskell, Haugh, Callton, Potvin, Cavanagh, Denby, Cochran and Oakes and referred to the Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 1986 PA 54, entitled "Building officials and inspectors registration act," by amending section 11 (MCL 338.2311).

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 11. (1) Upon ~~payment to the commission~~ **RECEIPT** of the fee  
2 prescribed in section 13, the commission, **WITHOUT REQUIRING AN**  
3 **EXAMINATION**, shall register ~~and~~ **OR** reregister, ~~without examination~~  
4 ~~applicants~~ **AS A BUILDING OFFICIAL, INSPECTOR, OR PLAN REVIEWER, AN**  
5 **APPLICANT** licensed or certified under the laws of ~~other states~~  
6 **ANOTHER STATE** or **BY A** national ~~organizations~~ ~~having requirements~~  
7 ~~for certified or licensed building officials, inspectors, or plan~~  
8 ~~reviewers~~ ~~which~~ **ORGANIZATION AS A BUILDING OFFICIAL, INSPECTOR, OR**  
9 **PLAN REVIEWER. HOWEVER, THE COMMISSION SHALL REGISTER OR REREGISTER**  
10 **THE APPLICANT ONLY IF** the commission determines **THAT THE LICENSING**  
11 **OR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE OTHER STATE OR OTHER NATIONAL**

1 ORGANIZATION are equivalent to the requirements of this state for  
2 the purpose of establishing reciprocity privileges for building  
3 officials, inspectors, and plan reviewers.

4 (2) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (4), UPON RECEIPT OF THE FEE  
5 PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 13, THE COMMISSION, WITHOUT REQUIRING AN  
6 EXAMINATION, SHALL REGISTER OR REREGISTER AS BOTH A LIMITED  
7 MECHANICAL INSPECTOR AND A LIMITED ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR AN  
8 APPLICANT CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION OR  
9 THE INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL AS BOTH A FIRE INSPECTOR I AND A  
10 FIRE PLANS EXAMINER. THE LIMITED REGISTRATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION  
11 ONLY AUTHORIZES THE APPLICANT TO CONDUCT PLAN REVIEWS ON FIRE  
12 PROTECTION AND FIRE DETECTION AND ALARM SYSTEMS.

13 (3) SUBJECT TO SUBSECTION (4), UPON RECEIPT OF THE FEE  
14 PRESCRIBED IN SECTION 13, THE COMMISSION, WITHOUT REQUIRING AN  
15 EXAMINATION, SHALL REGISTER OR REREGISTER AS BOTH A LIMITED  
16 MECHANICAL INSPECTOR AND A LIMITED ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR AN  
17 APPLICANT CERTIFIED BY THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION OR  
18 THE INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL AS A FIRE INSPECTOR II. THE LIMITED  
19 REGISTRATION UNDER THIS SUBSECTION ONLY AUTHORIZES THE APPLICANT TO  
20 INSPECT AND APPROVE FIRE PROTECTION AND FIRE DETECTION AND ALARM  
21 SYSTEMS.

22 (4) SUBSECTIONS (2) AND (3) DO NOT APPLY TO AN APPLICANT  
23 CERTIFIED UNDER STANDARDS ADOPTED OR AMENDED BY THE NATIONAL FIRE  
24 PROTECTION ASSOCIATION OR THE INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL AFTER THE  
25 ENACTMENT DATE OF THE 2013 AMENDATORY ACT THAT ADDED THIS  
26 SUBSECTION UNLESS THE COMMISSION PROMULGATES A RULE INCORPORATING  
27 THE NEW OR AMENDED STANDARDS. THE RULE MAY INCORPORATE THE

1 STANDARDS BY REFERENCE.