

Certification Transition Information

Candidates who hold a current ICC National Certification in selected categories (based on the International Codes) have the option of transitioning to the coordinating certification based on the California Codes, after meeting certain criteria. These generally include an online exam, seminar, and/or training, as well as submittal of a transition application and fee.

The following options are available for achieving transition:

1. Completion of the relevant transition exam

2007 California Codes transition exams are offered via the Online Certification Renewal Update program on the Code Council website at www.iccsafe.org/renewals. Transition exams are based *primarily* on the California amendments to the model codes. All transition exams are open book with no specific time limit to complete each exam; however, there is a 99-day limit for the Online Renewal Update Program. This limit begins on the date that you register for this program. All registration, fee payment, and exam administration is completed online. Once you have completed the online exam(s), a separate application and fee are required for the transition(s). The applications are included in this Appendix.

AND / OR

2. Completion of training based on the 2007 California code(s) referenced by the specific exam

A. CALBO seminars:

S1 seminar: *California Building Code*

S2 seminars: *California Electrical Code; California Mechanical Code; or California Plumbing Code*

S3 seminar: *Accessibility and Usability or ADA Accessibility*

For information on CALBO seminars that can be used to satisfy the California transition requirements, call CALBO at 916-457-1103 or visit www.calbo.org.

B. Code Council training:

For information on Code Council training that can be used to satisfy the transition requirements, visit our website at www.iccsafe.org/CA-training, or call the Code Council at 888-422-7233, ext. 5524.

NOTE: You must fill out all pages of the applicable Transition Application to be considered for transition certification.

**TRANSITION APPLICATION:
Current Certifications Based on the 2006/2005 International/NEC Codes to
Certifications Based on the 2007 California Codes
(continued)**

Candidates holding a current certification based on the 2006 International Codes/2005 National Electrical Code are allowed to transition to California-specific certifications as shown below.

- “Code Council certification currently held” is the certification, based on the 2006 International Codes, that you currently hold; “2007 California code certification desired” is the certification you wish to transition to
- You must choose at least one of the options for online exam(s), seminar(s), or training for each transition category
- For information on Code Council training that can be used to satisfy **the transition requirements**, visit our website at www.iccsafe.org/CA-training or call the Code Council at 1-888-422-7233.
- Documentation for all seminars and/or training must be included with this application.
- *Note: For those choosing the online exam option, only the 2007 California Codes Transition Exams will be accepted.*

| X | Code Council certification currently held → 2007 California code certification desired | X | I have completed ONE of the following for each California Code certification category desired | <i>ICC use only</i> |
|---|--|---|---|-------------------------|
| | B2 Commercial Building Inspector → <i>I1 California Commercial Building Inspector</i> | | 2007 T1 CBC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S3 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | E2 Commercial Electrical Inspector → <i>I2 California Commercial Electrical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T2 CEC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | P2 Commercial Plumbing Inspector → <i>I3 California Commercial Plumbing Inspector</i> | | 2007 T3 CPC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | M2 Commercial Mechanical Inspector → <i>I4 California Commercial Mechanical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T4 CMC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | B3 Building Plans Examiner → <i>I6 California Building Plans Examiner</i> | | 2007 T6 CBC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S3 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | B1 Residential Building Inspector → <i>J1 California Residential Building Inspector</i> | | 2007 T5 CBC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S1 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | E1 Residential Electrical Inspector → <i>J2 California Residential Electrical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T7 CEC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | P1 Residential Plumbing Inspector → <i>J3 California Residential Plumbing Inspector</i> | | 2007 T8 CPC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | M1 Residential Mechanical Inspector → <i>J4 California Residential Mechanical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T9 CMC Amendments Online Exam | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |

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| X | Code Council certification currently held → 2007 California code certification desired | X | I have completed <u>ONE</u> of the following for each California Code certification category desired | ICC use only |
|---|--|---|--|-----------------|
| | B5 Building Inspector → <i>I1 California Commercial Building Inspector</i> <i>J1 California Residential Building Inspector</i> | | 2007 T1 + T5 CBC Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S3 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | E5 Electrical Inspector → <i>I2 California Commercial Electrical Inspector</i> <i>J2 California Residential Electrical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T2 + T7 CEC Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | P5 Plumbing Inspector → <i>I3 California Commercial Plumbing Inspector</i> <i>J3 California Residential Plumbing Inspector</i> | | 2007 T3 + T8 CPC Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | M5 Mechanical Inspector → <i>I4 California Commercial Mechanical Inspector</i> <i>J4 California Residential Mechanical Inspector</i> | | 2007 T4 + T9 CMC Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S2 Seminar | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | C5 Commercial Combination Inspector → <i>I5 California Commercial Combination Inspector</i> | | 2007 T1 + T2 + T3 + T4 Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S2 + S3 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | R5 Residential Combination Inspector → <i>J5 California Residential Combination Inspector</i> | | 2007 T5 + T7 + T8 + T9 Amendments Online Exams | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S2 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |
| | C8 Combination Inspector → <i>I8 California Combination Inspector</i> | | All 2007 California Codes Amendments Online Exams (except T6) | |
| | | | CALBO S1 + S2 + S3 Seminars | |
| | | | Code Council Training: | |