

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 Legacy Certifications Based on Uniform/NEC Codes to
Certifications based on the 2007 California Codes
(continued)**

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

- “Legacy certification currently held” is the certification, based on the Uniform 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	Legacy 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	<i>ICC use only</i>
	34 Plumbing Inspector UPC → I3 California Commercial Plumbing Inspector		2007 T3 CPC Amendments Online Exam	
			CALBO S2 Seminar	
			Code Council Training:	
	34 Plumbing Inspector UPC → J3 California Residential Plumbing Inspector		2007 T8 CPC Amendments Online Exam	
			CALBO S2 Seminar	
			Code Council Training:	
	44 Mechanical Inspector UMC → I4 California Commercial Mechanical Inspector		2007 T4 CMC Amendments Online Exam	
			CALBO S2 Seminar	
			Code Council Training:	
	44 Mechanical Inspector UMC → J4 California Residential Mechanical Inspector		2007 T9 CMC Amendments Online Exam	
			CALBO S2 Seminar	
			Code Council Training:	
	56 Combination Dwelling Inspector—Uniform Codes → J5 California Residential Combination Inspector		2007 T5, T7, T8, T9 Cal Amendments Online Exams	
			CALBO S1 + S2 Seminars	
			Code Council Training:	
	50 Combination Inspector—Uniform Codes → I8 Combination Inspector—California Codes		All 2007 California Code Amendments Online Exams (except T6)	
			CALBO S1 + S2 + S3 Seminars	
			Code Council Training:	