

New Requirement for Wastewater Operator and Onsite Professional Certifications

As of July 1, 2009 the Utah Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) is required to verify the lawful presence in the United States of an individual at least 18 years of age (includes sole proprietor doing business under assumed name) who receives a Wastewater Operator certification or Onsite Professional certification. This law also applies for renewal, reinstatement, and reciprocity certifications.

Applicants for these certifications are required to attach the following documents to the application:

- Complete the form below, but do NOT sign until in the presence of the Notary
- Attach copy of your photo ID
- Have this document *notarized*

This document will be confidential and not distributed publicly, but must be kept in the file.

For information about Wastewater Operator or Onsite Professional Certification, contact Judy Etherington (801-536-4344) or wwopcert@utah.gov at the Division of Water Quality, PO Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114.

Utah Department of Environmental Quality Certification Pursuant to UCA 63G-12-104

I, _____, hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I am:

a United States citizen, copy of photo ID attached (driver's license, passport, or similar),
or

a qualified alien as defined in 8 USC, Sec. 1641, and lawfully present in the United States. Alien ID No. _____

Applicant's Printed Name _____

Address _____

(Do **not** complete this section until in the presence of the Notary)

Applicant's Signature _____

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this ____ day of _____, 20____.

PHOTO ID

(Place copy here)

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires: _____

**This paperwork must be completed prior to issuance of
any certification after July 1, 2009**