

## Certification Law and Rules Examination

*Must be completed and returned to the Operator Certification Office before Certificate(s) will be issued  
P.O. Box 4489, Bin #10, Box 6, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4489*

1. Who is responsible for ensuring that your re-certification training hours are sent to the Certification Office?
  - a. supervisor
  - b. town or city
  - c. you
  - d. mayor
  
2. All facilities that use groundwater or surface water as a source of raw water are required to hold Water Production certifications.
  - a. true
  - b. false
  
3. Who is responsible for ensuring that your renewal payment is sent to the Certification Office?
  - a. supervisor
  - b. town or city
  - c. you
  - d. mayor
  
4. What level classification would be required for a wastewater system or a water production system, if the population served is 3,500?
  - a. class 1
  - b. class 2
  - c. class 3
  - d. class 4
  
5. What is the minimum educational requirement for ALL levels of certification?
  - a. high school diploma
  - b. G.E.D.
  - c. college
  - d. a or b
  
6. The operator's certificates must be displayed in a prominent place in the Classified Facility.
  - a. true
  - b. false
  
7. If an applicant takes an examination and fails to attain a passing grade (70 percent or higher), he must wait a minimum of \_\_\_\_\_ days before he can take another exam in the same category and level.
  - a. 30
  - b. 60
  - c. 90
  - d. 120
  
8. An operator who is designated as the "operator in charge" over more than one water or wastewater system must be able to respond to the systems location within \_\_\_\_ hour(s) of notification that his presence is required.
  - a. 1
  - b. 2
  - c. 3
  - d. 4
  
9. A minimum of \_\_\_\_ contact hours is required for renewal of any certifications held in water categories or \_\_\_\_ hours per certificate whichever is the greater.
  - a. 8 and 16
  - b. 16 and 8
  - c. 16 and 32
  - d. 32 and 64

10. A minimum of \_\_\_ contact hours is required for renewal of any certifications held in wastewater categories.
- 8
  - 16
  - 24
  - 32
11. Training courses attended by operators for re-certification credits do not have to be approved by the Administrator of the Operator Certification Program.
- true
  - false
12. Water and wastewater operator certificates will be renewed on a \_\_\_ year(s) basis, with the fees remaining at the same annual rates as are currently in effect but collected every two years.
- 1
  - 2
  - 3
  - 4
13. It is the responsibility of the operator to notify the Committee of Certification, via the Operator Certification office, of any change in mailing address.
- true
  - false
14. Water or wastewater systems operating with multiple shifts, without approved automation controls, are required to have a minimum of \_\_\_ certified operator(s) present on each shift.
- 1
  - 2
  - 3
  - 4
15. Operators-in-Training may not be designated as the Operator of a system or facility.
- true
  - false
16. After three failed attempts at the same exam, an applicant will be required to attend a 40 hour training course before retesting will be allowed.
- true
  - false

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Operator's Printed Name

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Operator's ID Number

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Operator's Signature

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Date