

# HB1257



## 98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

### State of Illinois

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HB1257

by Rep. Joe Sosnowski

#### SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

225 ILCS 320/10

from Ch. 111, par. 1109

Amends the Illinois Plumbing License Law. Removes the 4-year apprenticeship requirement for plumber's license applicants.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**  
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Plumbing License Law is amended by  
5 changing Section 10 as follows:

6 (225 ILCS 320/10) (from Ch. 111, par. 1109)

7 Sec. 10. Application for examination.

8 (1) An applicant for a plumber's license shall file a  
9 written application in the office of the Department on the form  
10 designated by the Department at least 30 days before the date  
11 set by the Department for the examination.

12 (2) The Director shall promptly approve the application for  
13 examination if:

14 (a) the required application fee has been paid, and

15 (b) the applicant has submitted evidence that he or she  
16 is a citizen of the United States or has declared his or  
17 her intention to become a citizen, and

18 (c) the applicant has submitted evidence that he or she  
19 has completed at least a 2 year course of study in a high  
20 school, or an equivalent course of study, and

21 ~~(d) the applicant has been employed as an Illinois~~  
22 ~~licensed apprentice plumber under supervision in~~  
23 ~~accordance with this Act for at least 4 years preceding the~~

1 ~~date of application and has submitted evidence that he or~~  
2 ~~she has worked at the plumbing trade in accordance with~~  
3 ~~this Act for the 4 year Illinois licensed apprentice~~  
4 ~~plumber apprenticeship period, or~~

5 (d) ~~(e)~~ the applicant has submitted evidence that he or  
6 she has successfully completed an approved course of  
7 instruction in plumbing in colleges, universities, or  
8 trade schools.

9 (3) If the application for examination is approved, the  
10 Department shall promptly notify the applicant in writing of  
11 such approval and of the place and time of the examination. If  
12 the application is disapproved, the Department shall promptly  
13 notify the applicant in writing of such disapproval, stating  
14 the reasons for disapproval.

15 (4) If an applicant neglects, fails or refuses to take an  
16 examination for license under this Act, the application is  
17 denied. However, such applicant may submit a new application  
18 for examination, accompanied by the required application fee.  
19 Application fees for examination for a plumber's license are  
20 not refundable.

21 (Source: P.A. 87-885.)