ATTENTION!!

All General Contractors Licenses Will Expire December 31st!!

If you try to renew and your renewal is returned, here are some Possible Reasons:

- **1.** The *original renewal application is not submitted* (pages 1-4).
- **2**. **Questions 1-6 on the application are not answered** or supporting **documentation is not attached**.
- **3.** The application was **not signed by all qualifiers**, or the **signature is not notarized**. For a corporation, the signature of one officer is acceptable. For a partnership including LLC's all partners or members must sign.



- **4.** The working *capital is insufficient* for the limitation.
- **5.** The *financial information is incomplete*; the date of the *financial information is older than 12 months*, or is *omitted from the top of page 3*.
- **6.** The *financial information is incorrect*. Financial information must solely be in the name of the licensed entity. *Personal assets cannot be used to qualify for a company's finances*. The assets must be owned by the corporate entity. *Financial information must solely be in the name of the licensed company*. If the company is a subsidiary or an affiliate of a parent company a balance sheet must be included showing the financials specifically for the licensed entity.
- **7.** A *qualifier was added on the renewal form*. Aside from examination requests and completions, *Qualifiers can only be added to a license using the necessary examination transfer or waiver forms.*
- **8.** Licenses are non-transferable! A license issued as an individual cannot be transferred to a corporation through the renewal. A new license application would need to be completed to license the company. If a company wishes to change their organization, they must first amend their Articles of Incorporation/Organization with the North Carolina Secretary of State (SOS). If a new SOS Corporate ID number was granted then it is a new company and needs to apply for a new license in the name of the new corporation, partnership, or LLC.
- **9.** Check is for the incorrect amount, is not attached or not signed.

We can provide assistance for those needing help renewing their license, see reverse for information on our Renewal Assistance Desk.

Need Assistance?

Ways the NCLBGC Renewal Assistance Desk can help you:



- **1.** We can help you understand the financial requirements and complete the **balance sheet** correctly.
- **2.** We can help you understand questions 1-6 and give guidance with the paperwork required if you answered "yes" to any of those questions.
- **3.** We can assist a license holder currently in **bankruptcy** with understanding which documents must be provided to renew.
- **4.** We can explain the necessary steps and paperwork needed if a company has gone through **revenue suspension** with the North Carolina Department of Revenue or if it was **Administratively Dissolved** by the North Carolina Secretary of State.
- **5.** We will help ensure the renewal form is correctly *signed, notarized, and dated*.
- **6.** We can help you reduce time, postage expense and stress in renewing your license, and you *must renew prior to December 31*.

If you have not renewed your license in the past 4 years, your license is in danger of being archived, which will require you to submit a new application and re-take the exam to qualify for a new license.

The Renewal Assistance Desk is now taking appointments (in person or by phone) on Tuesdays and Thursdays in December between 9am and 3pm.

Call (919)571-4183 to schedule your appointment now!

