

NATIONAL ELECTRICAL RECIPROCAL ALLIANCE (NERA) MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

NERA provides a platform for member states to share best practices, exchange information on regulatory updates, and collaborate on initiatives to improve the electrical industry. The organization also serves as a resource for electrical professionals seeking licensure in multiple states, helping them navigate the complexities of varying regulatory requirements.

APPLICATION REQUEST

The State of _____ hereby requests to become a member of the National Electrical Reciprocal Alliance (NERA).

Primary Contact:

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Secondary Contact:

Name: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Requesting state has a current reciprocal agreement with at least one state in this group;

- List state(s): _____

- Requesting state has a regulatory system in place and effective in ensuring the state's laws are enforced; and standards for journeyman electrician qualification, certificate, and inspection practices are equivalent to those described in the bylaws and used by the member states.

*** Please enclose your supporting documentation with this application.*

- Requesting state understands these bylaws comprise the standards for membership in NERA and shall not be construed as a reciprocity agreement between any of the member states.

*** Actual reciprocity agreements between member states shall be memorialized by a separate written agreement between said states.*

- Requesting state understands all members will, at a minimum, maintain the requirements for journeyman electrician certification listed as follows:
 - Hold, from the licensing state, a journeyman certificate or a master electrician certificate, that allows the individual to work as a journeyman electrician, that is current, active, and in good standing;
 - Have held that certificate continuously during the one (1) year period prior to requesting reciprocity;
 - Have gained that certificate through a state administered examination with a passing score from the licensing state;
 - Provide the reciprocal state with any information necessary to demonstrate that the licensing state's requirements for journeyman electrician certification have been met;
 - When required by the reciprocal state, provide documentation of disciplinary action, education, training and/or experience meeting the requirements of the reciprocal state; and
 - Make appropriate application and pay all appropriate fees to the reciprocal state.

AFFIRMATION AND SIGNATURE

By signing below, the requesting state agrees they will:

- Support the mission, goals, and purpose of the Alliance.
- Appoint one voting member to represent the member state in a voting capacity at all meetings; (appointment will be made in writing by the member state to the Secretary)
- Maintain permanent records, for a period corresponding to each state's record retention schedule, of journeyman applicants that document their: qualifications, experience, education, examinations, examination scores, and respond promptly to requests from member states for reciprocity applicant information.

The signatory below affirms they are authorized to bind the State to the National Electrical Reciprocal Alliance Agreement and By-Laws.

Authorized Signature	Title	Date
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Voting members present: _____ Vote to Accept: _____ Vote to Deny: _____

Signature of Chairman: _____

Signature of Secretary: _____