

Regulation **Update**

New Trade Regulation for Diesel Engine Mechanic

On Aug. 19, 2011, the Manitoba government registered a new trade regulation for the trade of diesel engine mechanic outlining the scope of the trade, term of apprenticeship, ratio requirements and designated trainers.

Scope of the Trade

Diesel engine mechanics diagnose, service, adjust, overhaul, maintain and test diesel engines and related equipment and components as well as related electrical and electronic systems.

Term of Apprenticeship

The term of apprenticeship in the trade is three levels, with each level consisting of a period of at least 12 months during which the apprentice must complete 1,800 hours of technical training and practical experience.

Ratios

Over the next five years, the ratio of apprentices to journeypersons in the trade is two apprentices for every one journeyperson.

Designated Trainers

To qualify as a designated trainer, a person must make application in a form acceptable to the director; have been employed in the trade for at least 4.5 of the preceding 10 years and have experience in 70 per cent of the tasks of the trade.

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