

# **Kansas Administrative Regulations**

## **Department of Health and Environment**

### **Article 16.—Water Pollution Control**

#### **28-16-30. Requirements for water and wastewater operator certification.**

(a) Each operator who desires or is required to obtain a water supply system or wastewater treatment facility operator certificate shall meet the following requirements:

(1) Each applicant shall own or be either employed by or under contract to persons having a water supply system or wastewater treatment facility and shall be engaged in the daily operation, maintenance, or both, of the system or facility.

(2) Each applicant shall submit a completed and approved examination application and the appropriate fee to the department. The application shall be received by the department at least two weeks before the test date. Late applications shall not be accepted for any test date.

(3) Each applicant shall be a high school graduate or shall have a general education development (GED) diploma.

(b) If an applicant provides false information on the application, the applicant shall not be accepted for examination and the fee shall not be returned. The applicant shall be notified of this decision and shall not be allowed to take the examination for two years.

(c) The applicant who previously held a Kansas water supply system or wastewater treatment facility certificate that was revoked pursuant to K.S.A. 65-4507, and amendments thereto, shall not be eligible to submit an application for examination for a period of one year from the date of the final action revoking the certificate or for the period of time specified in the final action.

(Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 65-4512; effective Sept. 28, 1992; amended Aug. 31, 2001.)