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AN ACT to amend the general business law, in relation to crane operations

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 483 of the general business law, as amended by section 19 of part CC of chapter 57 of the laws of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

2. A. Such regulations may provide for examinations, categories of certificates, licenses, or registrations, age and experience requirements, payment of fees, and may also provide for such limitations and exemptions as the commissioner finds necessary and proper.

B. IN THE CASE OF CRANE OPERATORS, SUCH REGULATIONS SHALL REQUIRE THE COMMISSIONER TO ISSUE A NEW YORK STATE CRANE OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCE, AUTHORIZING SUCH INDIVIDUAL TO OPERATE A CRANE IN NEW YORK STATE, TO ANY INDIVIDUAL UPON SUBMISSION OF PROOF THAT SUCH INDIVIDUAL HAS EITHER BEEN ISSUED: (I) A CRANE OPERATOR'S LICENSE BY THE NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR CERTIFICATION OF CRANE OPERATORS; OR (II) A NATIONAL CRANE LICENSE BY THE FEDERAL OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION.

C. In the case of blasters and pyrotechnicians, such regulations may require fingerprinting, and in the case of users of radioactive material, such regulations may require the posting of a bond or other security.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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