

# The Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks' Water and Wastewater Operator Certification & Exam Code of Conduct

All Ontario Drinking Water and Wastewater Operators are expected to act honestly, competently and with integrity, with a view to ensuring the safety of human health and for the protection of the environment.

In support of these expectations, the Ministry of the Environment, Conservation and Parks' Operator Certification and Exam Code of Conduct is to be adhered to by applicants throughout the licence/certificate application and examination process.

This Code of Conduct is considered a precondition to writing a Ministry certification examination. You must provide a signed copy to the examination invigilator at the examination session, prior to being issued your examination package.

I agree to:

- Follow all written and verbal instructions provided by the examination invigilator at the certification examination session;
- Not possess or use any unauthorized materials or equipment during a certification examination;
- Not cheat in order to aid myself or another person to pass a certification examination;
- Not copy examination content by any method;
- Not remove any of the provided exam materials from the examination room;
- Not falsify information/documentation for the purpose of obtaining a Drinking Water certificate or a Wastewater Operator licence;
- Not engage in any other form of unethical behaviour for the purpose of obtaining a Drinking Water Operator certificate or a Wastewater Operator licence.

I acknowledge that if I violate the terms listed above I will have disciplinary actions taken against me. Examples of possible actions include, but are not limited to: voiding of my exam results, forfeiting of my application fees, being barred from writing future certification exams, or suspending or revoking my certificate/licence.

Name (please print):	Signature of Applicant:	Date:
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