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Application Package Instructions

TRADE: PLANERMILL MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN 2 (0199)

APPLICATION PACKAGE INFORMATION:

Please review the contents of this package prior to completing.

This package contains all of the information and forms you need to apply to challenge the Certificate of Qualification (C of Q) for the trade of **Planermill Maintenance Technician 2**. The purpose of this package is to assist you in collecting the information necessary for us to complete the assessment of your application. The ITA will assess your work experience and determine whether you qualify to challenge the examination based on the information you supply.

The ITA will process your assessment within *10 days of receipt of your complete information* and will notify you in writing the results of your assessment. Applications will be returned if information is missing. We can not process incomplete applications.

Forms:

1. **Application to Challenge Examination** (page 2 of this package). To be completed by applicant.
2. **Applicant Work Experience Information** (page 3 of this package). To be completed and signed by applicant.
3. **Employer Declaration** (pages 4 & 5 of this package). *Note:* An Employer Declaration form must be completed and signed by any current or previous employers where you have acquired work experience you want assessed as part of your application (see page 3 section B).
4. **Document Checklist** (page 6 of this package) to be completed by applicant.
5. **Statutory Declaration** (pages 8 and 9 of this package) to be completed by applicant *if required*. See page 7 for additional information on Statutory Declarations.

All Documents must be submitted in English. Translations of documents in languages other than English must be done by a Certified Translator

- You are responsible for the cost of translation services.
- For a list of certified translators, contact the Society of Translators and Interpreters of British Columbia, or visit their web site at <http://www.stibc.org/directory.php>.

If you have any questions regarding the completion of this Challenge Assessment application, contact **ITA Customer Service** (see above for contact information) or send an email to:
customerservice@itabc.ca

APPLICATION TO CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION PLANERMILL MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN 2 (0199)

ITA Customer Service
800 - 8100 Granville Ave
Richmond, BC V6Y 3T6
Tel: 778-328-8700
Fax: 778-328-8701
Toll Free: 1-866-660-6011

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A. Applicant's Information

Registration Number (TWID):				
Legal Last Name:		Legal First Name:		Legal Middle Name (s):
Date of Birth (YYYY/MM/DD):		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		
Suite Number:	Mailing Address:			
City:		Province: B.C.	Postal Code:	Email:
Daytime Telephone Number: ()		Home Telephone Number: ()		Fax Number: ()

B. Examination Details

Is this examination a re-write? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, please provide date of last exam: _____	Please indicate the earliest date you are available to write this examination (YYYY/MM/DD): _____
Please indicate your preferred location for examination: <input type="checkbox"/> ITA Customer Service <input type="checkbox"/> Vernon <input type="checkbox"/> Victoria <input type="checkbox"/> Maple Ridge <input type="checkbox"/> Chilliwack <input type="checkbox"/> Prince George <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please indicate) _____	

C. Fees

All Certificate of Qualification or Inter-Provincial (IP) examination challenge applicants must pay a \$120.00 assessment fee to verify previous work experience (time in the trade). There is no additional fee to write the Certificate of Qualification or IP exam. If a re-write is required, there is no fee for the first one, but a \$100.00 fee for all subsequent re-writes.

If you are applying to challenge this certification, you will have 12 months from the date of your ITA approval letter to write and pass the challenge exam. If you have not passed the challenge exam after 12 months, you must reapply.

Payment of Assessment Fee made by:	<input type="checkbox"/> Credit card (receipt attached) or write confirmation number here: _____ <small>Credit card payment can be made online via the Forms & Fees page on the ITA Website. If unable to pay online, phone ITA Customer Service.</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque or money order (attached) <input type="checkbox"/> Cash or debit (paid in person at ITA)
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Date Screened:	Missing Information	Results
Application Status <input type="checkbox"/> Application Complete – Assigned to Assessor <input type="checkbox"/> Application Incomplete – Returned to Applicant		Hours: Required: 4,815 Reported: Scope: Required: 10 out of 14 tasks Reported:

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Applicant Work Experience Information

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A: Applicant Information

Legal Last Name:	Legal First Name:	Legal Middle Name(s):
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To qualify to challenge C of Q examination as a **Planermill Maintenance Technician 2**, you must provide proof of having worked a minimum of 4,815 hours performing the tasks listed on the *Employer Declaration* (page 5). In general your work experience should cover at least 70% of the tasks (10 out of 14 tasks) listed in Part 2 of the Employers Declaration (page 6).

B: Employment Summary Information

Name of Organization/Employer(s) *	Dates of Employment	Total # of Hours of Experience
	From: To: (YYYY/MM/DD)	
	From: To: (YYYY/MM/DD)	
	From: To: (YYYY/MM/DD)	
	From: To: (YYYY/MM/DD)	

***Note:** An *Employer Declaration* form (pages 4 and 5) must be completed by each of the Employers listed above. See *Employer Declaration* "Instructions to Employers" for additional information.

C: Signature

Privacy Statement

The Industry Training Authority is committed to protecting the privacy of any personal information you may provide when filing an application form with us. The Industry Training Authority will not use or share any personal information provided by the applicants except with the consent of the individual to whom the information relates or as otherwise authorized by the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

Certification and authorization for collection, use and disclosure of personal information

"I certify that the information that I, as an individual applying to either challenge this certification, or be granted Supervision and Sign-off Authority for apprentices in this trade, have provided is accurate and I understand and agree that ITA reserves the right to verify the accuracy of such information. I agree to allow ITA, in accordance with the BC Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, to use and provide to others the personal information I have provided on this form, as well as any other information necessary, for the purpose of administering the apprenticeship training program I'm seeking to challenge or receive Supervision and Sign-off Authority for, including the application process, program delivery, evaluation and certification. I authorize ITA to provide my personal information for the previously stated purpose to apprenticeship officials in other jurisdictions, my present and future sponsors, educational institutions, private trainers and to other agencies, regulatory authorities and ministries of municipal, provincial and federal governments where the information is necessary for them to fulfill their legal responsibilities and/or manage apprenticeship-related programs. I also authorize ITA to make the status of my certification and apprenticeship publicly available."

Applicant Name (Please Print):	Applicant Signature:	Date: (YYYY/MM/DD)
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Employer Declaration – Part 2

By checking "yes" or "no", indicate in the "Employer's Response" column whether the applicant performed the following tasks during the period of employment with your organization. <i>Cross out any tasks that were not performed.</i>	Employer's Response
Feeding the Planer: <i>Including</i>, Explaining the procedure for start up, able to obtain maximum production and grade from lumber being surfaced, maintaining lumber flow, interpreting grade rules, setting up the Planer, starting and stopping for breakups.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Operate the Planer: <i>Including</i>, interprets lockout procedure, able to identify all controls on the panel, starting and stopping the feed, resetting for size, adjusting computer program when required, adjusting the planer, monitoring planer for quality and size.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Align the Planer Vertical and Horizontal: <i>Including</i>, Able to interpret manufacturers specifications, selecting proper alignment tools, aligning planer to receiving plate, aligning pressure bar with main paten, establishing datum line, installing the main guide, aligning edge guide to main guide, set up, set heads.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Jointing Knives: <i>Including</i>, Selecting proper jointing stone, determining jointing methods, stopping lumber flow, cleaning and lubricate slides, set stone, jointing as required, starting up, check for size and finish.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Grind Side Heads: <i>Including</i>, Able to stop machine lockout and remove head, cleaning the heads, mounting head on grinder, adjusting grinder for angle, checking for knife adjustment, storing head in clean environment.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Grind Knives: <i>Including</i>, Stopping and lockout machine, setting grinding angle, cleaning, grinding and balance knives in pairs, storing knives in sets.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Joint Side Heads: <i>Including</i>, Stopping machine, selecting proper jointing stone, mounting and set jointer, starting head and joint as required, stopping and remove jointer, starting up the planer.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Install Knives: <i>Including</i>, Stopping machine and lockout, removing knives, clean gibs and gullets, installing knives and tension lightly, installing roller bar, rolling knives, tension knives, starting head and joint, starting up, check for size and adjusting where required.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Install Knives in Side Head: <i>Including</i>, Cleaning the head, installing head on side head grinder and/or mandrel, removing knives and clean the head, resting or installing new knives and set to size, installing sharp head when required, jointing when installed on machine.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
Planer Maintenance: <i>Including</i>, Able to lubricate the planer, identifying and selecting hand and specialty tools, monitoring machine for irregularities, checking all chrome surfaces for wear, maintaining log book, planer overhaul, monitoring and perform p.m. on hydraulic systems, monitoring and perform p.m. on pneumatic systems.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>

Certification:

I certify that the information I (as employer) have provided is accurate. (Note: Collection and protection of personal information on this form is in accordance with the provisions of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.)

Applicant's Name (Please Print):	Employer Signature:	Date: (YYYY/MM/DD)
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DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

To avoid delays in processing, please use the following checklist to ensure the required documentation is attached to your application and all forms are complete. **We can not process incomplete applications.**

ALL APPLICABLE BOXES MUST BE CHECKED OFF:

- All documents, including letters and certificates, are originals or certified true copies of originals, in the English language.
- Any translations have been performed by Certified Translators.
- The Applicant has completed in full the Application to Challenge (Page 2 of this package)
- The Applicant has completed in full and signed, the Applicant Work Experience Information (Page 3 of this package)
- Each Employer has completed in full and signed, the Employer Declaration (Page 4 & 5 of this package).
- The information contained on each Employer Declaration form matches the information declared on the Applicant Work Experience Information form.
- A Statutory Declaration is enclosed in situations when an Employer Declaration is not available. See Statutory Declaration information on page 7 of this package.
- A cheque in the amount of \$120.00 has been enclosed for your Challenge Work-Experience Assessment.

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Statutory Declarations

A Statutory Declaration form may be used to document time worked in a trade when applying to challenge a C of Q examinations **only due to the following circumstances:**

1. The firm is no longer in business and the principals cannot be located.
2. The owner/manager is deceased and complete employment records are not available.
3. The firm is located overseas and extreme difficulties are encountered in trying to get the documentation.
4. The applicant has been self-employed as an owner/operator of a business.
5. A firm refuses to issue a letter to document time worked in a trade.

A Statutory Declaration, using the form that is provided on pages 8 and 9 of this package, must be completed **for each place of employment** for which you are unable to provide an Employer Declaration.

Important: The Statutory Declaration form is comprised of **Part 1 (page 8) and Part 2 (page 9)**. It must be completed for each place of employment you cannot obtain documentation for, and must be sworn before a Lawyer, Notary Public, or Commissioner of Oaths for the Province of British Columbia. Please make additional copies of the Statutory Declaration form as needed.

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Operate the Planer: <i>Including</i>, interprets lockout procedure, able to identify all controls on the panel, starting and stopping the feed, resetting for size, adjusting computer program when required, adjusting the planer, monitoring planer for quality and size.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
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I solemnly declare that the information provided in this Declaration, to the best of my knowledge, is true.

Applicant's Name (Please Print):	Applicant's Signature:	Date: (YYYY/MM/DD)
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This section to be completed by:		Declaration of Official	
Last Name:		First Name:	
Occupation: :	<input type="checkbox"/> Commissioner of Oaths	<input type="checkbox"/> Notary Public	<input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer
Address:			
Telephone Number:		Declared before me on Date: (YYYY/MM/DD)	
Signed at: (City, Province)		Signature of Official:	

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EXAMINATION INFORMATION

The following information is offered as a guide to make you aware of the topics that will be covered in the provincial theoretical examination.

Section	Planermill Maintenance Technician 2	Exam Weightings
1	Set-Up	30%
2	Safety	10%
3	Lubrication	4%
4	Grinding	6%
5	Jointing	4%
6	Couplings	7%
7	Hydraulics	10%
8	Bearings	5%
9	Seals & Packing	2%
10	Clutches	5%
11	Welding	5%
12	Gears	4%
13	Material Handling	3%
14	Belts	5%

- This is a multiple choice examination.
- Maximum time allowed for this examination is 3 hours.
- Passing Standard is 70%.
- This information is subject to change without notice; consult the relevant program profile on the ITA website at www.itabc.ca.