## 4765-20-10 Certificate in lieu of completing a chartered training program.

- (A) The executive director, with the advice and counsel of the committee, shall issue a fire training certificate in lieu of completing a chartered program to an applicant who meets the following requirements:
  - (1) Submits a completed application, on a form prescribed by the executive director;
  - (2) Submits documentation that establishes when the applicant began serving as a firefighter, including but not limited to certified copies of personnel records, certified copies of historical records, or any other affidavits required by the executive director to verify the applicant's employment dates.
- (B) The executive director, with the advice and counsel of the committee, shall issue a volunteer fire training certificate in lieu of completing a chartered program to an applicant who began serving as a volunteer firefighter, or equivalent certification, prior to July 2, 1979, with a fire department of any township, fire district, city, or village and meets the following requirements:
  - (1) Complies with the requirements in paragraph (A) of this rule;
  - (2) Submits documentation that establishes that the applicant has maintained active participation in a fire department for at least five years prior to the date of submitting an application under this rule.
- (C) The executive director, with the advice and counsel of the committee, shall issue a firefighter II certificate in lieu of completing a chartered program to an applicant who began serving as a permanent full-time paid firefighter with a fire department of any city or village prior to July 2, 1970, and meets the following requirements:
  - (1) Complies with the requirements in paragraph (A) of this rule;
  - (2) Submits documentation that establishes that the applicant has maintained active participation in a fire department for at least five years prior to the date of submitting an application under this rule.
- (D) Any person seeking fire certification under this rule shall apply to the division no later then December 31, 2010.

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