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TO: Building Construction; Roofing & Sheet Metal, Siding Licensees

FROM: Louisiana State Licensing Board for Contractors
Louisiana State Uniform Construction Code Council

RE: Residential Roof Work

Reminder!

Effective January 1, 2026, **ONLY** those licensees holding Residential Construction and Residential Roofing classifications may perform residential roof work.

Those licensees holding the Building Construction or Roofing & Sheet Metal, Siding classifications may easily obtain the appropriate licensure for residential roofing projects by applying. No additional trade exam is required to obtain this classification.

Also note the changes in the definition of a residential structure that became effective August 1, 2025.

“Residential structure” means a building or structure that is used primarily for occupancy by a person as a residence. ***Such structures or buildings include but are not limited to single family dwellings, and duplexes which are not more than three floors in height*** and structures that are part of or adjacent to the building or structures to be used as a residence. A residential structure more than three floors in height may be built by a person holding a building construction and residential construction license.