SECTION .0500 - REQUIREMENTS AND APPLICATIONS FOR DRIVER TRAINING INSTRUCTOR

19A NCAC 03J .0501 REQUIREMENTS

- (a) A Class I instructor may conduct driver training in the classroom, on the field and on the road. Each Class I instructor shall:
 - (1) Be at least 21 years of age, have at least two years experience operating a Class A vehicle and hold a valid Class A license; provided, on and after April 1, 1992 each instructor must hold a valid Class A commercial license from his state of residence.
 - (2) Not have been convicted of a felony, or convicted of a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, in the ten years immediately preceding the date of application.
 - (3) Not have had a revocation or suspension of his driver's license in the two years immediately preceding the date of application.
 - (4) Have graduated from high school and submit high school diploma or submit a high school equivalency certificate.
 - (5) Not have had convictions for moving violations totaling seven or more cumulative points within three years of the date of application.
 - (6) Have at least two years of continuous commercial motor vehicle driving experience within the previous five years from the date of application.
- (b) A Class II instructor may conduct driver training in the classroom and on the field only. Each Class II instructor shall:
 - (1) Not have been convicted of a felony, or convicted of a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, in the ten years immediately preceding the date of application.
 - (2) Not have had a revocation or suspension of his driver's license in the two years immediately preceding the date of application.
 - (3) Have graduated from high school and submit a high school diploma or a high school equivalency certificate.
 - (4) Have at least two years of continuous commercial motor vehicle driving experience within the previous five years from the date of application.
- (c) A Class I or II instructor-trainee may assist a licensed Class I or II instructor while his instructor's license application is pending at the Division. The Division must be notified in writing within five days of the date the trainee is hired. An instructor-trainee of either class:
 - (1) may work in that capacity for only 30 days from the date he is hired;
 - (2) may instruct in the classroom and on the field only with a licensed instructor present at all times;
 - (3) may not instruct or accompany students on the road until licensed; and
 - (4) must wear an identification badge which clearly identifies the individual as an instructor-trainee.

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