**02 NCAC 09L .1103 CERTIFICATION EXAMINATION**

(a) ADOPTION BY REFERENCE. The North Carolina Pesticide Board hereby incorporates by reference, including subsequent amendments and editions, Part 171.105 (a) through (i) "Standards for certification of private applicators" of Title 40: Protection of Environment of the Code of Federal Regulations, titled "Certification of Pesticide Applicators Subpart B–Certification Requirements for Applicators of Restricted Use Pesticides." Copies of this material may be obtained at no cost from the U.S. Government Printing Office website, https://www.gpo.gov/.

(b) A passing grade shall be 70 percent.

(c) Any applicant for initial certification in any private applicator certification subclass shall first become certified as a private pesticide applicator.

*History Note:* *Authority G.S. 143-440;*
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