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California Energy Commission Docket Unit, MS-4 1516 Ninth Street Sacramento, CA 95814-5504

Regarding submittal of the 2016 Acceptance Test Technician updates for National Lighting Contractors Association of America an Acceptance Test Technician Certified Provider

National Lighting Contractors Association of America to the California Energy Commission in submitting our 2016 training material. Attached are the following

- 1. Lighting Control Acceptance Test Technician Course 2 binders and 3 CD's
- 2. Online Acceptance Test Technician Employer Course 2 binders and 3 CD's
- 3. 2016 NLCAA forms: NRCA-LTI-02-A, NRCA-LTI-03-A, NRCA-LTI-04-A, NRCA-LTI-05-A, NRCA-LTO-02-A
- 4. 2016 Energy Code Update Online Course for Test Technicians
- 5. 2016 Energy Code Update Online Course for Test Technician Employer
- 6. Test Technician and Employer Exam
  - a. Test Technicians Practice Exam
  - b. Test Technicians Final Exam
  - c. Courses Quizzes
  - d. Employers Final Exam

I certify that National Lighting Contractors Association of American (NLCAA) has met all requirements for this ATTCP.

Senior Vice President

**NLCAA** 

Title 20, section 2505(a)(4)

Application information substantially similar to the previously submitted information and that all the facts and circumstances relevant to confidentiality remain unchanged. I certify the above is correct

Senior Vice President

## APPLICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL DESIGNATION

(Title 20 Cal. Code. Regs., § 2505 et seq.)

An application to keep a record confidential shall be submitted directly to the **Docket Unit** on electronic media, but not by email. Five (5) copies of the record for which confidentiality is sought must be submitted, on separate media, each marked on the media with the title of the record and "confidential." (§ 1209.5, subd. (a)(4).) The application may be on a sheet separate from, but attached to, the record. The application will then be acted upon by the Executive Director in consultation with the Chief Counsel of the Energy Commission.(§ 2505, subd. (a).) (Nov 30, 2011 Standing Order)

10: Energy Commission Docket Unit.				
APPLICANT: National Lighting Contractors Association of America				
ADDRESS:	3301 E. Hill Street Suite 406-408 Signal Hill, CA 90755			

1(a). Title, date, and description (including number of pages) of the information or data for which you request confidential designation. Information or data seeking a designation of confidentiality must be included with this application.

## TITLE Lighting Controls Acceptance Testing Manuals

DATE: April 28, 2016

DESCRIPTION:

- Lighting Control Acceptance Test Technician Course
   Two binders and 3 CD's
- Lighting Control Acceptance Test Technician Acceptance Test
   Technician Employer Course
   Two binders and 3 CD's
- 3. NLCAA's NRCA forms
- 5 Copies4. Acceptance Test Technician 2016 Code Updates
- 5. 5 Copies
- 6. Acceptance Test Employer 2016 Code Updates
- 7. 2016 Examinations and Quizzes
  - a. Acceptance Test Technician Practice Exam
  - b. Acceptance Test Technician Final Exam
  - c. Course quizzes
  - d. Acceptance Test Employer Final Exam
- 1(b). Specify the part(s) of the information or data for which you request confidential designation.
  - 1. Acceptance Testing Test Technician Course The binders submitted we are requesting to be confidential designated
  - 2. Acceptance Test Technician Employer Course The binder submitted we are requesting to be confidential designated
  - 3. NLCAA's forms for NRCA
  - 4. Acceptance Test Technician and Employer 2016 Code Updates
  - 5. Acceptance Test Technician and Employer quizzes, practice final and final exam
  - 2. State and justify the length of time the Energy Commission should keep the information or data confidential.

Keep it confidential until our curriculum is accepted

3(a). State the provision(s) of the Public Records Act (Gov. Code, § 6250 et seq.) or other law that allows the Energy Commission to keep the information or data confidential, and explain why the provision(s) apply to that material.

The California Public Records Act allows for the non-disclosure of trade secrets. (Gov. Code, §§ 6254(k), 6276.44; see also Evid. Code, § 1060.)

3(b). Discuss the public interest in nondisclosure of the material submitted for a confidential designation. If the material contains trade secrets or its disclosure would otherwise cause loss of a competitive advantage, please state how it would be lost, the value of the information to the applicant and the ease or difficulty with which the information could be legitimately acquired or duplicated by others.

How it would be lost. Our curriculum was developed over a number of years based on following the changes in the energy codes as well as changes in technology. If our curriculum was to be reviewed by other than CEC it might be duplicated and we would lose our competitive advantage.

Value of information to the applicant. The value for the information exceeds \$150,000.00

The difficulty with which the information could be legitimately acquired or duplicate, the training material we developed is not available by any other organization. It would take significant time and money to develop a similar program.

4. State whether the information or data can be disclosed if it is aggregated with other information or masked to conceal certain portions (including but not limited to the identity of the applicant). State the degree of aggregation or masking required. If the data cannot be disclosed even if aggregated or masked, explain why.

Information can be disclosed if it is aggregated with other information or masked to conceal certain portions

5. State how the material is kept confidential by the applicant and whether it has even been disclosed to a person other than an employee of the applicant. If it has, explain the circumstances under which disclosure occurred.

Portion of the course is presented to our existing students

confidential designation is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I am authorized to make the application and certification on behalf of the applicant.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_\_April 14, 2016

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name (print or type) \_\_\_\_\_\_Vice President

Represent National Lighting Contractors Association of America\_\_\_\_\_

Include additional signature blocks if there are multiple partners in the project with

shared responsibilities for making the request.

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information contained in this application for