

NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Registered Service Company

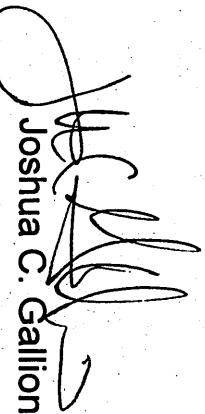
Annual Permit

Self-Certification

The following is hereby authorized to operate as a "Registered Service Company" in accordance with the Laws and Rules of North Dakota and acknowledges that this authority may be revoked for failure to follow the same.

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Expires December 31, 2016


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ATTENTION: NEW ANNUAL PERMIT EXPIRATION DATE

N.D. Admin. Code Section 69-10-04-02.2 requires a registered service company to file an annual application for registration as a registered service company.

Previously the expiration date of a registered service company permit coincided with the certification (metrology) due date of the registered service company's standards. Since there can be numerous metrology due dates, a registered service company permit will now expire on December 31 of each year. A renewal notice and application will be sent to each company prior to December 31.

It is the responsibility of the registered service company to ensure its standards are certified annually by a NIST-recognized metrology laboratory as provided for in N.D. Admin. Code Section 69-10-03-02. After certification of the standards has been completed, the calibration reports must be filed with the Commission.

Failure to maintain certification of the standards and submit the calibration reports to the Commission may result in revocation of the registered service company permit as allowed by N.D. Admin. Code Section 69-10-04-03.

If you have any questions, please contact Shelly at 701-328-4070. Thank you.