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<b>TITLE:</b>	<b>EXAMINATION ENTITLEMENT</b>	<b>7.1</b>
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**DATE APPROVED:** January 2010      **SIGNED:** Frankie Victor, Secretary of the Executive Committee

**POLICY:**

Any Member of the Association in good standing, shall be entitled to take an Association examination at a scheduled examination sitting in accordance with the following:

Any Member may challenge any Level One, Level Two and Level Three Examination, in sequential order from Level One to Level Three, only after passing the previous level examination and after attending an Association sponsored education course (or other course provided by an approved education provider) pertaining to the level of examination being challenged.

Regular and Associate One (1) Members, with work experience, need not attend education courses, as outlined above, prior to taking examinations, if pursuing Certification requiring work experience. Regular and Associate One (1) Members are eligible to apply for Certification after successfully passing the respective examinations and completing the required work experience while employed by a City, Municipality, or Regional District, or other acceptable form of Local, Territorial or Provincial Government.

A student, who is not a member and is enrolled in a Level One course of study in a college, university or other educational organization, approved by the Association, may challenge a Level One examination.

**POLICY OBJECTIVE:**

Facilitates the desire of Members to write examinations in pursuit of certification recognition. Permits students, who are not members of the Association, to take the Association Level One examination as the final examination for a course of study.

**POLICY JUSTIFICATION:**

There is no requirement for years of experience needed as a code practionner, prior to taking an Association examination at any level. This policy also reflects the Agreement, periodically renewed between the Association and the British Columbia Institute of Technology, which allows students, taking some Building Code courses, to take the Association Level One examination.