

STATE OF NEW JERSEY BOARD OF TREE EXPERTS 101 W. Veterans Highway Jackson NJ 08527 732 - 534 - 0982 https://www.njbte.org



Licensed Tree Expert (LTE) Biennial Renewal Application Form

January 1, 2024 - December 31, 2025

__X_ Renewal Application LTE # _____ Date _____

_____ Check here to confirm that at least 32 continuing education credits were earned as required during the preceding biennial period as set forth at N.J.A.C. 7:3A - 7.1(a).

_____ Check here to **request a waiver of continuing education credits** for hardship reasons as set forth at N.J.A.C. 7:3A-7.1(c). (See # 16 for requirement to submit a request for waiver)

____ Check here if claiming LTE Emeritus Status (See #14 for description of LTE Emeritus Status)

WRITE CLEARLY:

1. Name:	Date of Birth:				
2. Physical Address:	Number	Street			
City	State	Zip Code	County		
3. Mailing address (if different from abo	ve): Number	Street			
City	State	Zip Code	County		
4. Telephone – Cell:	Telephone - Home/Office:				
5. Fax:					
6. E-Mail:					
7. Web-Site Address:					
8. Employer:					
9. Address:		Street			
City	State	Zip Code	County		

10. TYPE OF TREE CARE SERVICES PERFORMS: Please check all services you perform

- Tree Maintenance (Pruning & Repairing)
- _____Tree Removals, Brush Cutting or Removal
- ____Stump Grinding or Removal
- ____Pesticide Applications
- ____Tree Appraisals/Insurance Claims
- ____Plant Health Care (I&D/Fertilization/Soil)
- _____Utility Line Clearance/Vegetation Mgt.
- ____Mechanical Tree Spade Services

- ____Planning & Consulting Services
- ____Tree Establishment
- ___Lightning Protection
- _____Tree Assessment & Risk Management
- _____ Tree Mgt. Site Planning & Development
- ____Cabling & Bracing/Support Systems
- ____Comm. Forestry/Shade Tree Inventory
- ____Other _____

11. REGISTRATION FEE

- \checkmark Please enclose the required fee for biennial Licensing: **\$150.00**.
- ✓ After December 31, 2023 add in late fee of \$25.00
- ✓ Checks or Money Orders should be made payable to the Treasurer, State of New Jersey.

12. SEND YOUR APPLICATION AND FEE WITH NECESSARY SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION TO: NJ Board of Tree Experts, 101 W. Veterans Highway, Jackson, NJ 08527

13. CERTIFICATION OF DECLARATION

I declare, subject to the penalties for perjury, that the statements made herein and on the accompanying attachments and documents have been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief are true and correct. I further understand that a false statement knowingly made by me may be cause for suspension or revocation of the License issued pursuant to this application.

Signature of Licensee

14. LTE EMERITUS STATUS: The Board of Tree Experts (Board) has approved the category of LTE EMERITUS. An LTE in good standing with the Board can keep their credential, while having the 32 biennial CEU requirements <u>waived</u> if the LTE pays the biennial renewal fee (\$50.00) and agrees not to advertise or sell services for hire for the duration of the renewal as declared below. An LTE EMERITUS may not return to working without fulfilling all the LTE requirements. The term EMERITUS will be added to the License Certificate and License Card.

CERTIFICATION OF DECLARATION FOR LTE EMERITUS:

I declare and agree, that as an LTE EMERITUS, I shall not advertise or sell tree care services for hire for the duration of this renewal period and may not return to work without fulfilling all the LTE requirements and by written permission of the Board. I further understand that working for hire as an LTE may be cause for suspension or revocation of the License issued pursuant to this application.

Date

15. DEADLINE FOR LTE LICENSE RENEWAL: December 31, 2023

Please Note:

- A) <u>After December 31, 2023</u>, a late fee of \$25.00 shall be applied to the Licensee fee of \$150.00 for a <u>total amount of \$175.00</u>.
- B) <u>After January 30, 2024</u>, if the Board does not receive a completed LTE License renewal application form, CEU supporting documents, renewal fee, and late fee; the LTE License will be suspended, and the Licensee may be subject to civil administrative penalties.
- 16. Waiver of Continuing Education Units: To request the Board grant a Waiver of Continuing Education Units due to illness certified by physician, disability, military deployment, or other good cause deemed acceptable by the Board. <u>Please attach a request in writing by December 3, 2022</u>, specifying the reasons for the waiver request. The licensee shall also provide any information in support of this request.
- If the Licensee has decided to retire, and wishes not to renew their license, please notify the Board of Tree Experts' Office at 732 – 534 – 0982 or by email at <u>njtreeexperts@gmail.com</u> so that state records can be updated.

Continuing Education Units - Documentation/Audit Form For Time Period: January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2023

Name:		LTE #	CEUs Claimed:	
			bove time-period. <u>Credits must</u> on units as set forth by 7:3A-7.4.	
<u>Date</u>	<u>Credits</u>	Description of Continuing Education Units		

Make additional copies of this page if you need more space to document all your continuing education credits

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