

August 25, 2011

Mr. John Wilson
Business Manager/FST
Ironworkers Local 752
980 East River Road, Unit 3
New Glasgow, NS B2H 3S8

Dear Mr. Wilson:

Upon consideration of your request to waive the Trade Qualifier fee for Ironworker (Reinforcing), on behalf of the Director of Apprenticeship Training, Mr. Joe Rudderham, I am pleased to inform you that the Apprenticeship Training division will waive the Trade Qualifier fees (\$679.78) for Ironworker (Reinforcing) and Ironworker (Structural/Ornamental) beginning September 01, 2011 and ending on August 31, 2012. The regular exam fee (currently \$135.95) will be charged.

The waiving of the Trade Qualifier fees will allow for experienced practitioners to obtain their certification, thereby increasing the pool of Journeypersons and increasing the opportunities for apprentice positions.

I trust that the above meets with your satisfaction. Thank you for your support of the apprenticeship training program in Nova Scotia and the promotion of the pathway to certification.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Richard Sharpe".

Richard Sharpe
Supervisor of Client Services

cc: Joe Rudderham
Dale Crawford
Bradley Harvey
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