

APPRENTICESHIP AND OCCUPATIONAL CERTIFICATION

Board Order

This is an order of the New Brunswick Apprenticeship and Occupational Certification Board made pursuant to section 13 of the Apprenticeship and Occupational Certification Act.

Title:	Tasks, Activities and Functions of a Designated Occupation
Category:	Voluntary
Occupation:	Gasfitter Class A
Board Order Number:	V193.1
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SCOPE OF THE OCCUPATION

In this section, the term “gas” applies equally to any of the following gases or a mixture of them: natural gas, manufactured gas, biogas, digester gas or mixtures of propane gas and air, propane, propylene, butanes (normal butane or isobutane), and butylenes.

A Gasfitter - Class A may, on any gas appliance:

- (a) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, or remove a gas appliance or any equipment or accessories essential to the operation of the appliance or equipment;
- (b) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain, or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system to an appliance downstream of a natural gas meter;
- (c) install, inspect, test, activate, purge, service, repair, maintain, or remove any piping or tubing or component in a piping or tubing system to an appliance or propane system, including installation or removal of the propane supply container;
- (d) install, inspect, service, remove, repair, or replace any vent, vent connector, draft control device, or other component in a gas-fired appliance venting system;
- (e) disconnect and reconnect water piping, as necessary, to exchange, service, or install an approved gas appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but shall not alter, remove, repair, or replace any cross connection control devices, or perform any additional plumbing work unless he or she holds a valid Certificate of Qualification in the Plumber trade;
- (f) perform maintenance on, service, or replace a mechanical or electrical component or accessory that is either part of a gas appliance or is essential to the operation of the appliance;
- (g) perform the tasks that are necessary to replace controls and components forming part of a gas appliance;
- (h) install, service, remove, or replace components and accessories forming part of the gas side of a refrigerating or air conditioning unit, but shall not perform any additional work beyond the gas side of the appliance unless he or she holds a valid Certificate of Qualification in the Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic trade;

- (i) disconnect and reconnect electrical supply wiring in order to exchange, service or repair an approved gas appliance and carry out the replacement necessary to complete the reconnection of controls and components forming part of the appliance, but shall not run wiring back to the panel or perform any additional electrical work related to the wiring of the appliance unless he or she holds a valid Certificate of Qualification in the Construction Electrician or Industrial Electrician Trade;
- (j) install, repair, service, remove or replace the plenum connection or components forming part of the plenum connection in order to complete the installation of a gas appliance, but shall not perform any additional sheet metal work beyond the plenum connection unless he or she holds a valid Certificate of Qualification in the Sheet Metal Worker Trade; and
- (k) perform any functions which may be performed by the holder of a Gasfitter – Class B Certificate of Qualification.



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