

Greetings,

The Division's Training and Certification Bureau was successful in its accreditation review by the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress (IFSAC) for the Fire Officer I and Fire Officer II levels. We received accreditation for these levels on January 5, 2021.

Recently, the Board of Fire Services adopted a certification upgrade program for newly certified Fire Officer I and II recipients. This program will allow newly certified Fire Officer I and II recipients to be eligible to receive IFSAC Fire Officer I and II certifications by successfully completing Nevada Fire Officer I or II Job Performance Requirement Skills Evaluation Packets administered by the individual's agency. This program will be offered to individuals who received a State of Nevada Fire Officer I or II certification between the dates of January 5, 2021, to August 31, 2021 and will only be available during this timeframe.

If you have personnel wishing to take advantage of this program you will need to submit the following to the State Fire Marshal Training and Certification Bureau, a letter from the chief requesting a Fire Officer Upgrade, a Nevada Fire Officer Job Performance Skills Evaluation Packet for the appropriate level and a copy of their Nevada Fire Officer I or II certification.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Thank you,

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