

OVERVIEW OF THE DESIGNATIONS OF THE PIRB

CONTEXTUALISING THE VERTICAL & HORIZONTAL PROGRESSION & REGISTRATION PROCESS



**PLUMBING
INDUSTRY
REGISTRATION BOARD**



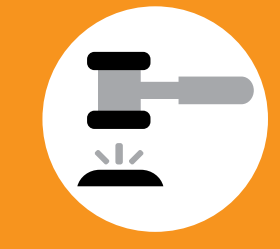
**DIRECTOR
PLUMBER**

- Must hold a Master Plumber Designation
- Director/Owner of a Company (must be a formal structure)
- Maintain 45 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Holds and maintains registration at the Institute of Directors
- Entitled to a Registration Card and must re-register every 12 months.
- Entitled to sign off a Plumbing Certificate of Compliances for each designation passed.

MASTER PLUMBER



SPECIALISATIONS



ARBITRATOR



ESTIMATOR



TRAINING ASSESSOR

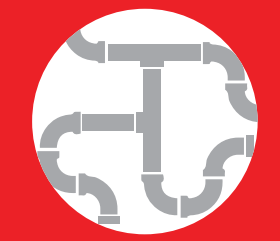
- 10 Years Proven practicing (post qualification) experience in the plumbing industry.
- Obtained at least 6 of the Licensed Plumbing Practitioner designation levels
- Maintain 35 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Attend an accredited business and leadership management course or similar
- Pass the PIRB's written Master Plumber assessment which includes – Technical, Business and leadership management
- Pass the PIRB's Practical and or Written assessment in the specialised designations (Arbitrator, Estimator, Training Assessor)
- Entitled to a Registration Card and must re-register every 12 months.
- Entitled to sign off a Plumbing Certificate of Compliances for each designation passed.
- Registered Master Plumbers are entitled to apply for the PIRB specialised designations subject to the completion of the relevant accredited course for the respective specialised designations.

LICENSED PLUMBER PRACTITIONER

CORE



ABOVE GROUND DRAINAGE



BELOW GROUND DRAINAGE



RAINWATER DISPOSAL



COLD WATER

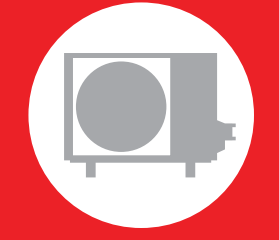


HOT WATER

SPECIALISATIONS



SOLAR



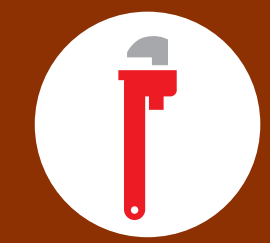
HEATPUMP



GAS

- Must have passed the relevant plumber trade test as specified in the Manpower training act section 28 or 13 and or have obtained a plumber qualification in terms of the skills development ACT
- Pass the PIRB's Practical and or Written assessment in the 5 Core designations (Above and Below ground drainage, Cold and Hot water and Rainwater Disposal)
- Registered Licensed Plumbers are entitled to apply for the PIRB specialised designations subject to the completion of the relevant accredited course for the respective specialised designations.
- Pass the PIRB's Practical and or Written assessment in the specialised designations (Solar, Heat pump and Gas)
- Maintain 25 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Entitled to a Registration Card and re-register every 12 months.
- Entitled to sign off a Plumbing Certificate of Compliances for each designation passed.

QUALIFIED PLUMBER



- Must have passed the relevant plumber trade test as specified in the Manpower training act section 28 or 13 and or have obtained a plumber qualification in terms of the skills development ACT.
- Maintain 25 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Entitled to a Registration Card and re-register every 12 months.

TECHNICAL OPERATOR PRACTITIONER



WATER ENERGY EFFICIENCY



DRAINAGE



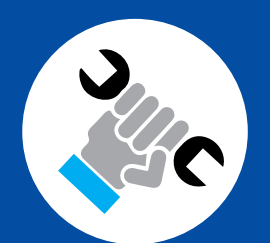
COLD WATER



HOT WATER

- 3 Years Proven practicing experience in the plumbing industry and the respective designation being applied for.
- Pass the PIRB's Practical test for each respective technical operator designation being applied for.
- Maintain 10 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Entitled to a Registration Card and re-register every 12 months.
- Must work under the adequate control of a Licensed (Trained) Plumber.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANT PRACTITIONER



- 3 Years Proven practicing experience in the plumbing industry.
- Maintain 10 CPD points over a 12 month cycle.
- Entitled to a Registration Card and re-register every 12 months.
- Must work under the adequate control of a Licensed (Trained) Plumber.

LEARNER PLUMBER



- Must preferably be employed and must work under the supervision and/or mentorship of a Licensed Or Qualified plumber.
- Provide details of the PIRB Licensed/Qualified Plumber under whose adequate supervision and/or Mentorship you will be doing your plumber training.
- Obtain 10 CPD points over 12 month cycle.
- Re-Register every 12 months