

**WAC 246-292-105 Certification denial.** (1) The department may deny an application for certification if the applicant:

(a) Fails to meet any of the requirements of this chapter or falsifies information;

(b) At the time of application, and for any period of time during the prospective period of certification, the applicant:

(i) Has a waterworks operator certificate revoked, suspended, or restricted by another state or province with substantially equivalent standards as the requirements in this chapter;

(ii) Has a waterworks operator certificate revoked, suspended, or restricted by the department; or

(iii) Has a wastewater operator certificate in chapter 173-230 WAC revoked, suspended, or restricted by the department of ecology.

(2) The department shall give written notice to the applicant of the decision to deny a certificate and state the grounds and factual basis for the action.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 70.119.050 and chapter 70.119 RCW. WSR 14-01-003, § 246-292-105, filed 12/4/13, effective 1/4/14.]