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**EXECUTIVE ORDER # 21/14**

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**TO:** Distribution  
**FROM:** Rick D. Chandler, P.E.   
**DATE:** August 27, 2014  
**SUBJECT:** **Accreditation Extension for Course-Provider Applicants**

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**Effective:** Immediately

**Specifics:**

I, Rick D. Chandler, P.E., Commissioner of the New York City Department of Buildings, by virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 105-03(d)(2) of Title 1 of the Rules of the City of New York and Chapter 26 of the Charter of the City of New York, and due to the absence of approved courses needed to meet a Department requirement, do hereby extend the time for course-provider applicants to meet the requirements of 1 RCNY 105-03(d)(2)<sup>1</sup> by six (6) months.

Accordingly, beginning on February 28, 2015, course-provider applicants must provide proof of accreditation as specified in 1 RCNY 105-03(d)(2) in order to meet the requirements for Department-approved courses.

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<sup>1</sup> 1 RCNY 105-03(d)(2) requires in relevant part:

"Beginning on August 31, 2014, the course provider must provide proof that it is:

- (i) approved by the New York State Department of Education, such as through a registered New York State Department of Labor vocational, trade or apprenticeship program;
- (ii) licensed as an educational institution by the New York State Department of Education;
- (iii) accredited by an accrediting organization recognized by the United States Department of Education or the Council for Higher Education Accreditation; or
- (iv) certified by an organization accredited by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) as a Standards Developing Organization with published standards for continuing education and training, ..."