## Section 12-1918

- (a) A license may be issued to a firm or corporation under the following conditions:
- (1) An individual member or employee has met all the qualifications required by this subtitle.
- (2) The license shall be of the same class for which the individual is qualified.
- (3) The license shall be valid only during the time said individual remains a member or employee of said firm or corporation on a full time basis.
- (4) The license shall show on its face the name of the firm or corporation, the name of the individual and the class of the license.
- (b) During the time that said individual is associated with said firm or corporation as set forth in subsection (a) (3) of this section, no firm or corporate license may be issued unless the individual licensee surrenders his license to the Department; and said individual license may be returned to the individual only upon the termination of his employment or association with said firm or corporation. While said individual license is in custody of the Department, the individual shall not be required to pay the annual renewal fee or furnish bond as required by this subtitle.

## Section 12-1919

- (a) Any person who holds, or who has been examined and determined to be qualified to hold a Master Gas Fitter or Restricted Gas Fitter License and is not actively engaged in nor working at the gas fitting business on his own account, must shelve or inactivate his Master or Restricted Gas Fitter license. This shall be accomplished by written request to the Director by the person concerned who shall enclose his license and license pocket card. In addition to those persons who already hold a license, an applicant who desires to be examined for a Master or Restricted Gas Fitter's license and then inactivate it, may make application and if determined qualified may request that his new license be issued on an inactive basis. This situation would usually occur when there is already an active Master or Restricted Gas Fitter representing the applicant's firm, and it is desired to have a backup license which could be immediately activated in the event the present licensee left the firm. The Director shall order the license and file copy marked "Voluntarily Inactivated" and attach the written request to the file copy.
- (b) Any person who voluntarily inactivates his Master or Restricted Gas Fitter license may at a later date reactivate his license without an examination by written request addressed to the Director and upon payment of the yearly renewal fee accompanied by the necessary bond. If the person surrendering his Master or Restricted Gas Fitter license requests, he may be issued either a Journeyman or Restricted Journeyman license (without examination) upon payment of the required fee, in order to continue in the gas fitting industry in a Journeyman capacity.
- (c) An acknowledgement shall be furnished to the person inactivating his license stating type of license being inactivated which will serve as evidence of his prior qualification at any future time when he should apply to reactivate his license.