been approved by the approving authority; nor shall any person convert a private swimming pool to a public swimming pool without having the written approval of the approving authority.

- (a) Before work is commenced on any construction, addition, remodeling or other improvement thereto, an application for permit to construct, the plans, specifications and pertinent explanatory data required shall be submitted to the approving authority in such manner and containing such information as the approving authority may require from time to time.
- (b) The approving authority shall review the plans and specifications for compliance with physical standards of this Chapter and shall either approve or disapprove them on that basis within thirty days from the date of receipt of such plans and specifications. In the event that incomplete submissions of plans, specifications or information required to determine such compliance is made, the approving authority shall notify the applicant accordingly and the thirty-day period shall be deemed to commence from the date of receipt of the additional information.
- (c) The Director of Inspection and Licenses shall not issue any building permit for a public swimming pool until he has received notice of approval of the plans and specifications for such pool from the approving authority.
- (d) The approval of plans and specifications by the approving authority may be either in the form of a suitable endorsement upon such plans and specifications or by a separate written document to that effect. In either case, the approval shall expire 180 days from the date of issue, unless the pool is under construction and concurrently with the expiration of the State construction permit or the building permit.
- (e) All public swimming pools shall be constructed in accordance with the physical standards of this Chapter and the approved plans and specifications. No change shall be made after the approval of plans without the written consent of the approving authority.
- (f) No person shall operate or maintain a public swimming pool until a current and valid permit therefor shall have been issued by the approving authority. The approving authority may issue such temporary operating permits as it may determine to be proper from time to time.
- (g) An application for an annual operating permit, accompanied by the fee as hereinafter set, shall be submitted to the approving authority prior to the intitial opening of the pool and upon each renewal thereafter at least thirty days prior to the expiration of the permit.