

FRENZ guidance for sorting Electrical Worker Registration from overseas



For an electrical worker (e.g., Electrician, Line Mechanic or Cable Jumper) in New Zealand, you do need to have your qualifications assessed by the Electrical Workers Registration Board (EWRB).

Because the Assessment can take 8-10 weeks for turnaround, if you're looking for work in NZ, it's important to get this underway so we're able to be put you forward to a broader range of job opportunities.



Take the following steps to ensure a smooth and efficient application process:

1 Confirm Minimum Work Experience Requirements

Before initiating your employment application, it is crucial to confirm that you meet the minimum work experience requirements and to ensure that your work experience aligns with the specified limits for that class.

Comprehensive details can be found on the EWRB website at the following link:

[EWRB Website - Registration Requirements](#)



2 Complete the Assessment Process

Once you have confirmed your eligibility, please proceed to complete the assessment process outlined on the EWRB website.

This step is imperative in evaluating your qualifications for registration.

Based on the assessment, you will be issued a certain amount of hours still to complete based on Qualification & Experience so most get a Limited License.

To be **issued a full license**, that you will then have to do a **Safety course** is held twice a year in June/July and Oct/Nov.

You should apply for the full range of certifications for which you are qualified, e.g., if you are a qualified electrician and line mechanic, apply for both. This may take longer to assess but will ultimately give you a broader selection of career options in NZ.

3 Inform Us Upon Application Completion

This will allow us to gauge your readiness to proceed with your employment application. We appreciate your prompt attention to this matter.

4 Submit your Assessment/Registration

Once you have received the results of your assessment, please promptly submit them to us for further processing of your employment registration.

Please contact us with questions about this or other recruitment & Immigration matters.

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