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Section 63765@ Water Treatment Facility Staff Certification Requirements

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(a)

Except as provided in (c), chief and shift operators shall possess valid operator certificates pursuant to Table 63765-A. Table 63765-A -- Minimum Certification Requirements for Chief and Shift Operators Treatment Facility Classification

Minimum Certification of Chief Operator	Minimum Certification of Shift Operator
T1T1T1	T2T2T1
T3T3T2	T4T4T3
T5T5T3	

(b)

Treatment operators not designated by the water supplier as chief or shift operator pursuant to section 64413.5 shall be certified but may hold certificates of any grade.

(c)

Until January 1, 2003, a shift and/or chief operator may continue to be employed in that capacity provided that the operator: (1) Is in compliance with the certification requirements that were in effect on December 31, 2000, and (2) Has been in continuous employment since December 31, 2000 in a water treatment facility that has not modified its treatment process resulting in a change in classification.

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31, 2000, and

(2)

Has been in continuous employment since December 31, 2000 in a water treatment facility that has not modified its treatment process resulting in a change in classification.

(d)

Operators who possessed treatment operator certificates valid as of December 31, 2000 shall be deemed to hold certificates pursuant to Table 63765-B. Table 63765-B -- Certificate Grade Equivalents Operator Certification Grades December 31, 2000 Operator Certification Grades January 1, 2001 IT1 IIT2 IIIT3 IVT4 VT5