

OFFICIAL NOTICE

RESIDENTIAL AND GENERAL CONTRACTORS MUST BE LICENSED

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O.C.G.A. § 43-41-14(a) provides:

“Any person, whether an individual or a business organization acting through a qualifying agent, intending to perform work as a residential or general contractor, upon making application to the building inspector or such other authority of any incorporated municipality or county in this state charged with the duty of issuing building or other permits for contemplated construction work requiring performance by either a licensed residential contractor or a licensed general contractor shall, before being entitled to the issuance of such permit, furnish to such inspector or authority, personally or through his or her authorized agent specifically designated to act on his or her behalf in a sworn written document submitted contemporaneously or previously submitted and maintained by such inspector or authority, his or her residential contractor or general contractor license number and the identity of any business organization for which such applicant is serving as qualifying agent that is undertaking or contracting as a residential contractor or a general contractor to construct or manage the construction.”

“A building inspector or other authority shall issue such building permit under the terms of this Code section to any person, including an individual licensee acting on his or her own behalf or a licensee acting as a qualifying agent for a business organization and such business organization, upon evidence reasonably establishing that such person is duly licensed as a residential or general contractor under this chapter, either individually or as a business organization acting under a duly licensed qualifying agent.”

***O.C.G.A. §§ 43-41-1 through 43-41-17 can be viewed in its entirety at
[HTTP://WWW.SOS.GA.GOV/PLB/CONTRACTORS](http://www.sos.ga.gov/plb/contractors)***



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IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE STATE LICENSING BOARD FOR RESIDENTIAL AND GENERAL CONTRACTORS AT 478-207-2440 OR VISIT [HTTP://WWW.SOS.GA.GOV/PLB/CONTRACTORS/](http://www.sos.ga.gov/plb/contractors/).