

Avoiding Fraudulent ESC Training and Counterfeit ESC Certificates



A SAFETY HAZARD

Energy Safety Canada's training certificates demonstrate a worker has been properly trained and is ready to work safely.

Employers and workers rely on our certificates to prove a worker has been properly trained.

Fraudulent ESC training and counterfeit ESC certificates are a safety hazard. Last year, 151 counterfeit ESC certificates were confiscated. This year, another 77 have been discovered so far.

The following have not been authorized to offer ESC safety training courses or issue our certificates:

Companies

- » Blue Diamond Safety
- » Check Safety
- » LA Safety

Individuals

- » Lorinda Dykstra
- » Lori Vegso (Compagnon)
- » Richard Casey Harvey



RESOURCES

Know what to look for...

ESC Certificates:

- » Can be validated through our website: [Validate a Certificate](#).
- » Have security features like the reflective foil mark and the scannable QR code.
- » Are originals because they have been issued in-person upon successful completion of a course. Do not accept a photographic or scanned image of a certificate.
- » Are described further on our website: [Certificate Information](#)

Example of a valid ESC certificate



ESC Authorized Training Providers:

- » Can be confirmed through our website: [Authorized Training Providers List](#).
- » Conduct training out of professional facilities, not from a house or in a parking lot.

Ongoing Support

- » For assistance with a certificate or to confirm an Authorized Training Provider:
CustomerService@EnergySafetyCanada.com

1 800 667 5557