

# PILEDRIVER AND BRIDGEWORKER

## STATUTORY DECLARATION OF WORK EXPERIENCE

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To qualify to challenge certification in this trade or be granted authority to supervise and sign-off on apprentices in this trade, individuals must have:

- worked a minimum of **5,400 hours** performing the tasks listed in Section E, and
- experience performing at least **70%** of the job tasks listed in Section E

A Statutory Declaration of Work Experience is used to declare work experience for periods during which you were self-employed or a previous employer is unavailable to complete an Employer Declaration. Please note that unless your work experience hours were gained through self-employment, Certification Challenge and Supervision and Sign-Off Authority applications will not be accepted if they are only accompanied by a Statutory Declaration. Non-self-employed applicants must provide an Employer Declaration from at least one employer who can verify work experience. For more information, see **Instructions for Certification Challenge or Supervision and Sign-off Authority**.

The information provided on this form is used to assess and to validate your work experience in this trade.

### A. Applicant Name

Legal First Name:	Legal Middle Name(s):	Legal Last Name:

### B. Supervisor or Self-Employment Contact Information

Enter the contact information for the Supervisor at your previous employer who is unavailable to complete an Employer Declaration, or for your own business if you are self-employed.

Name of Organization/Employer/Business:		Supervisor Name:	Supervisor's Position/Title:
Suite Number:	Street Number and Name:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Telephone Number: (    )	Email Address:	Business Registration Number: (Self-Employment only)	

### C. Employment or Self-Employment Information of Applicant

Enter the dates and number of hours for this period of employment or self-employment. Combine multiple periods of self-employment on one form, but separate periods of employment with different employers on separate forms.

Dates of Employment (MM/DD/YYYY):		Total Number Hours of <b>Piledriver and Bridgeworker</b> Experience Accumulated in that Period:
From:	To:	
Job Title of Applicant:		

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**D. Reason for Statutory Declaration**

Indicate why a Statutory Declaration is required for this period of employment:

- Applicant was self-employed
- Employer will not complete Employer Declaration
- Employer is no longer in business
- Employment records are not available

Applicants must attempt to contact current or previous employers to request an Employer Declaration. If you have been unable to obtain an Employer Declaration for any portion of your non-self-employed work experience, indicate the steps you have taken to try to obtain it. If sufficient evidence of steps taken is not provided, the application may not be approved.

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**E. Statutory Declaration of Job Task Performance**

By checking “Yes” or “No” in the Declaration Response column, indicate whether or not you have performed the job tasks listed below. Cross out any job tasks you did not perform during the period indicated in Section C.

Job Tasks	Declaration Response
<b>Apply Safe Work Practices:</b> Including: Apply site safety practices, apply personal safety practices, use workplace hazardous material information system (WHMIS), use fire safety procedures, work safely with pile driving equipment, work safely with marine equipment, use confined space entry procedures, prevent environmental damage.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Use Documentation and Organizational Skills:</b> Including: Use construction drawings and specifications, interpret building codes and bylaws, use trade related math, use trade related science, interpret contracts and specifications.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Use Tools and Equipment:</b> Including: Use hand tools, use portable power tools and equipment, use shop equipment, use oxy-fuel cutting equipment, use shielded metal arc welding (SMAW) equipment, use and maintain specialized tools for timber construction.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Use Survey Instruments and Other Levelling and Measuring Techniques:</b> Including: Use levelling instruments and equipment, use levelling and measuring techniques, use site layout equipment.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>

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<b>Use Access, Rigging and Hoisting Equipment:</b> Including: Use ladders, scaffolds and access equipment, use rigging and hoisting equipment, use hoisting equipment and rigging techniques, assemble and disassemble cranes, use support equipment.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Perform Site Layout:</b> Including: Layout bridge abutment and pier locations, prepare job site, layout a foundation piling project, layout a marine project, apply excavation and shoring practices.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Build Concrete Formwork:</b> Including: Use concrete types, materials, additives and treatments, build footing and vertical formwork, select and build concrete formwork systems, build slab-on-grade forms and suspended slab forms, install reinforcement and embedded items, place and finish concrete, install specialized formwork, install pre-cast and pre-stressed concrete, install construction and expansion joints, maintain and repair concrete structures.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Describe the Piledriver and Bridgeworker Trade:</b> Including: Identify tasks performed by piledrivers and bridgeworkers, describe types of bridges, describe types of marine structures, describe exclusion and retaining structures.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Use Marine Work Procedures:</b> Including: Follow navigation rules, use moving and positioning vessels, interpret tide tables and marine charts.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Build Exclusion and Retention Structures:</b> Including: Describe exclusion and retention structures, build cofferdams, build bulkheads, build tieback walls.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Use Pile and Foundation Procedures:</b> Including: Describe the properties and testing of soils, use unique installation and soil improvement techniques, describe types of piles and deep foundations, install and erect piles, use piledriving equipment, describe the design, testing and inspection of piles, use load testing procedures, use pile and foundation repair and maintenance procedures.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Build with Timber and Steel:</b> Including: Build with timber, build with structural steel.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Install, Repair and Maintain Bridges, Ramps and Marine Structures:</b> Including: Repair and maintain bridge decks and components, repair and maintain bridge and ramp bearings, assemble and launch bridges and girders.	Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> No: <input type="checkbox"/>

### F. Confirmation of Prerequisite Credentials or Certificates

For some trades, evidence that the applicant has earned prerequisite credentials or certificates is required before the individual is permitted to challenge certification or receive Supervision and Sign-Off Authority. For those trades, you must prove you have the required prerequisite credentials.

There are no prerequisite credentials or certificates for this trade.

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**G. Applicant Signature**

I certify that the information I have provided is accurate. (Note: Collection and protection of personal information on this form is in accordance with the provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.)

Applicant Name (please print):	Applicant Signature:	Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)
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### H. References

References must accompany all Statutory Declarations. Include with your completed Statutory Declaration the names and contact information of three individuals who can verify your self-declared work experience in this trade. This may include suppliers (maximum one), former employees (maximum one), contractors, or regular, long-term clients (maximum one).

Each individual listed will be contacted by .SkilledTradesBC to verify the information provided on your application.

#### 1. Reference

Legal Last Name of Reference:	Legal First Name of Reference:
Organization/Business Name:	Position/Title:
Business Phone Number:	Reference Cell Number:
Relationship to Applicant:	Email Address:

#### 2. Reference

Legal Last Name of Reference:	Legal First Name of Reference:
Organization/Business Name:	Position/Title:
Business Phone Number:	Reference Cell Number:
Relationship to Applicant:	Email Address:

#### 3. Reference

Legal Last Name of Reference:	Legal First Name of Reference:
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