



L-PQ – LICENSED OLIN OPERATION PREQUALIFICATION CHECKLIST

WELCOME! The OLIN Licensing application is a simple 3-step process. Filling out this form is **Step 1** of the process. To begin the process of being considered for an OLIN License you must meet the following requirements. However, meeting these requirements does not guarantee that an OLIN License will be offered to you by *Olin International, LLC*.

MISSION: Before you begin you should know that *OLIN International* is committed to helping skilled construction professionals apply their experience, knowledge, and skills in immediately successful construction industry businesses that they, themselves, own regardless of whether they are young or old, have failed before or succeeded, or have the money to try again or not. *Olin MEN™* are people who have the gumption to succeed with a little help.

Most of us have shortcomings and you may too. If you do, we will do what we can to help you resolve whatever you think stands in your way. So, try not to worry. We are committed to helping you succeed.

OLIN License Pre-qualification Checklist

1. **U.S. citizenship or legal residency.**

You must be a natural born or legal resident of the United States. **TEST:** Proof is required in the form of a birth certificate from a U.S. jurisdiction or a residency certificate issued by the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service.

2. **Favorable background check.**

Part of the application process involves a check into your background. The check will focus on education and work history, criminal history, driving records, and references. Serious issues in any of these areas may negatively affect your consideration. Even, so, you will be given the opportunity to explain any negative findings. Everyone deserves a shot at a fresh start. **TEST:** If on the other hand, there's little negative information in your records the background check will reflect on you positively. If you have negative stuff in your background and have straightened things out you will be given the opportunity to explain any negative findings.

3. **Adequate financial capacity.**

Opening and running a business requires some initial capital and a little financial staying power. **TEST:** If you have, will have, can make or can finance operational capital over the first year you will have enough money to make a go of it. If you don't have quite enough at the moment, talk to us about the status of our *OLIN Bootstrap License Financing* program.

4. **Demonstrable construction experience.**

The success of a local *Olin MEN™* operation depends on your knowledge of about how buildings are constructed and how the parts are put together. While it's not mandatory that you have the skills, it is crucial that someone in your organization does. **TEST:** You need to be able to show that you have this experience or that it is available. This means that you or someone in your organization has or has had a contractor's license. You'll need to present a copy of your business license if you come from or work in a jurisdiction where a contractor license is not required.

5. **Business experience.**

You must have at least five years experience successfully running or helping to run some business. Ownership is not required. However you must have been completely responsible for operations at a partnership or ownership level. **TEST:** Demonstration of five years experience will be required.

6. **Existing contractor license without an upheld formal complaint.**

Your ability to operate successfully as a contractor is of paramount importance. **TEST:** If a license is required in your jurisdiction, no upheld formal complaints exist in your license record.

7. **Application Fee.**

You have the non-refundable qualification application fee. This will be required when you submit your pre-qualification application. It is used to help defray the cost of processing the pre-qualification application and paying for in-depth qualification services.

If you are able to check off each requirement and would like to continue your application please e-mail us at control@olinmen.com. We'll be happy to talk with you about beginning the application process. Your e-mail should include the following information:

License Profile

1. Name: _____
2. Address: _____
3. E-mail address: _____
4. Telephone: _____

5. I acknowledge that I meet all 6 requirements in the OLIN License Pre qualification Checklist. OR

I do not meet all the requirements; but believe I can succeed with some help and understanding.

6. I certify that the representations and statements made above are true.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Name (printed) _____

I heard about **Olin MEN™** from: Website, Internet, Advertisements, Magazine article, TV,

Business Associate, **Olin MEN™** Vehicle, Other: _____

Your Privacy

This information will be kept confidential and will not be used for any purpose except to create a confidential file for the application process.