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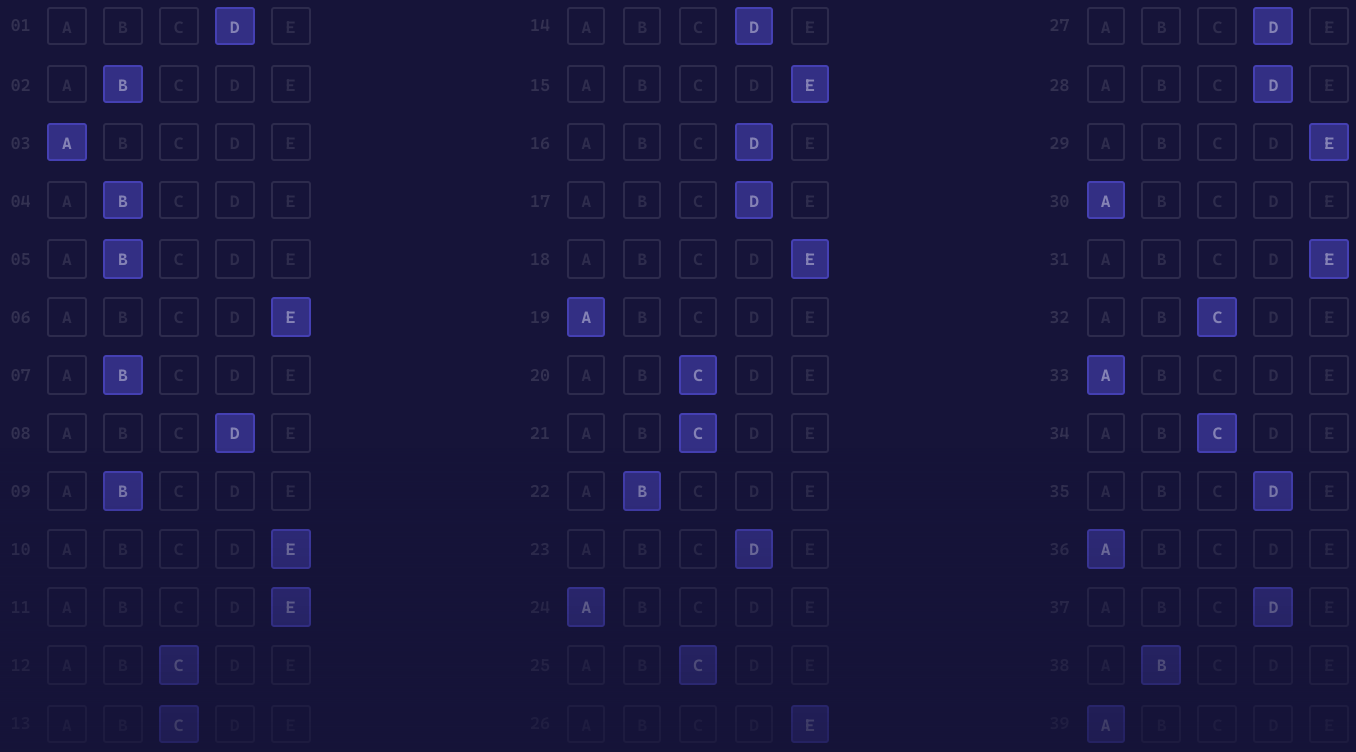

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QUESTION 1 SINGLE CHOICE

Under Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) Title 32, Chapter 10, which entity is responsible for licensing and regulating contractors, including those performing wrecking and demolition work?

A Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT)

B **Arizona Registrar of Contractors (AZ ROC)**

C Arizona State Mine Inspector

D Arizona Division of Occupational Safety and Health (ADOSH)

ANSWER B

WHY The Arizona Registrar of Contractors (AZ ROC) is the state agency that licenses and regulates contractors, including specialty contractors holding the CR-57 Wrecking classification, as established under A.R.S. Title 32, Chapter 10.

QUESTION 2 SINGLE CHOICE

An Arizona contractor's CR-57 Wrecking classification primarily authorizes the licensee to perform which type of work?

A **Removal of entire structures or portions of structures, including dismantling and wrecking**

B Excavation and earth-moving operations only

C Asbestos and hazardous material abatement exclusively

D New construction of commercial buildings

ANSWER A

WHY The CR-57 Wrecking classification specifically covers the dismantling, razing, and removal of structures or portions of structures. Earthwork, hazardous material abatement, and new construction fall under different classifications or licensing requirements.

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QUESTION 3 SINGLE CHOICE

Before beginning a wrecking project in Arizona, which of the following is typically required to be on file with the local building/safety authority?

A **Notice of Intent to Demolish**

B A state sales tax clearance

C A federal EPA permit only

D A subcontractor licensing roster

ANSWER **A**

WHY Most jurisdictions in Arizona require a Notice of Intent to Demolish (or similar demolition permit notification) be filed with the local building or safety authority before wrecking operations begin, which helps coordinate inspections for utilities, asbestos, and adjacent property protections.

QUESTION 4 MULTIPLE CHOICE

When planning a structural demolition in Arizona, which of the following are generally required before work begins? (Choose two.)

A **Disconnection or verification of utility shutoff (gas, water, electric)**

B **Survey for hazardous materials such as asbestos or lead**

C Notification to the local fire department of the demolition schedule

D Filing of a construction lien with the county recorder

ANSWER **A** · **B**

WHY Utility disconnection verification and a hazardous materials survey (asbestos, lead, etc.) are standard pre-demolition requirements. Lien filings are not a pre-demolition prerequisite, and while coordination with fire departments is common, formal notification of the schedule is not a universal Arizona requirement in the same category.

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QUESTION 5 SINGLE CHOICE

To qualify for an Arizona CR-57 Wrecking license, an applicant generally must demonstrate experience in which area?

A Residential painting and finishing work

B Wrecking, dismantling, or structural removal work in the trade

C Landscape installation and irrigation

D HVAC system installation

ANSWER B

WHY Applicants for a CR-57 Wrecking classification must show qualifying experience in the wrecking trade itself—such as dismantling, structural removal, or similar work—rather than experience in unrelated trades like painting, landscaping, or HVAC installation.

QUESTION 6 SINGLE CHOICE

Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.) rules adopted by the Registrar of Contractors primarily serve what purpose for licensed contractors?

A They establish federal tax rates for construction firms

B They set standards of professional conduct, contracting practices, and complaint resolution procedures

C They dictate interior design choices for residential remodels

D They set fuel prices for job-site equipment

ANSWER B

WHY The Arizona Administrative Code provisions administered by the AZ ROC define standards of practice, professional conduct, contracting requirements, and the procedures the Registrar uses to investigate complaints and discipline licensees.

QUESTION 7 SINGLE CHOICE

During mechanical demolition, which step is most important to protect workers and the public from falling debris?

A **Establishing a controlled access zone and barricades around the work area**

B Painting the structure a bright color before demolition

C Posting the contractor's home phone number on a sign

D Leaving sidewalk sections unmarked for pedestrian convenience

ANSWER **A**

WHY A controlled access zone with proper barricades and signage is the principal safeguard against injury from falling debris during demolition. Decorative painting or unmarked walkways would actively increase risk and are not acceptable practices.

QUESTION 8 MULTIPLE CHOICE

Which of the following are typical preconditions an AZ ROC applicant must satisfy to obtain a contractor's license? (Choose two.)

A **Passing the required trade examination**

B **Providing proof of a surety bond and proof of workers' compensation coverage as applicable**

C Owning at least one piece of heavy equipment

D Holding a degree in civil engineering

ANSWER **A** · **B**

WHY Arizona contractor applicants must pass the relevant trade exam (such as the CR-57 exam) and provide evidence of a surety bond and workers' compensation insurance where applicable. Equipment ownership and engineering degrees are not prerequisites for licensure.

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QUESTION 9 SINGLE CHOICE

Under Arizona contracting law, a contractor who performs work beyond the scope of their license classification is generally considered to be:

A Acting within all legal classifications automatically

B Acting as an unlicensed contractor and subject to administrative action

C Exempt from all AZ ROC jurisdiction

D Automatically eligible for a dual classification

ANSWER B

WHY Performing contracting work outside the scope of one's license is treated under Arizona law as unlicensed activity, which can result in citations, civil penalties, and other administrative action by the Registrar of Contractors.

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