

Transportation Professional Certification Board, Inc.

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Spread the Word: Upcoming PTOE and PTP Exams and Deadlines

Do you know a colleague interested in pursuing Professional Traffic Operations Engineer® (PTOE) and/or Professional Transportation Planner® certification? The application deadline for computer-based exams to be taken in the October 1 to 31, 2014 timeframe is August 14, 2014. For details concerning the steps to schedule an exam site, go to: www.tpcb.org/scheduleanexam.asp. A list of available exam cities is available [here](#).

Upgraded PTOE Exam Practice Test Now Available

The new PTOE exam practice test now provides 10 more practice questions for a total of 25 questions. For the same cost, applicants now have more question choices to prepare for the exam. The practice text can be found through the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) [Bookstore](#) by searching ITE Education & Training/Certification Practice Exams. Additional self-study materials such as certification refresher course books and PowerPoint slides are also available through the ITE Bookstore.

Continuing Growth for PTOE and PTP Certification

In 2013, 233 candidates took the PTOE exam, with 159 candidates to date in 2014. The PTOE renewal rate for 2013 was 96.4 percent of those eligible to renew, up from 92 percent. For the PTP exam, there were 52 candidates in 2013 and 31 candidates to date in 2014.

Keep Your Certification Current!

Opportunities to Earn PDH Credits

Is it time for you to renew your PTOE or PTP certification? Every 3 years, certificants must apply for renewal, showing they have met their Continuing Professional Development requirements by completing the required Professional Development Hours (PDH) of activities. There are a wide variety of webinars, seminars, conferences, and training courses that meet the requirements for qualified PDH credits, both including and beyond the opportunities offered by the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE). If you have any questions about PDH credits or the renewal process, send them to certification@tpcb.org.

What Does Certification Mean to You?

The TPCB wants to share your success stories and encourages PTOE and PTP certificants to spread the word on how certification has made a difference in their careers. Send your stories to certification@tpcb.org.

The Transportation Professional Certification Board Inc. (TPCB), an autonomous certification body affiliated with the Institute of Transportation Engineers, offers the following certification programs: Professional Traffic Operations Engineer® (PTOE) and Professional Transportation Planner® (PTP). For more information, visit www.tpcb.org.