

# HOUSE BILL NO. 4898

September 11, 2025, Introduced by Reps. Bollin, Martin, Alexander, Borton, Wozniak and Schuette and referred to Committee on Regulatory Reform.

A bill to amend 2016 PA 407, entitled  
"Skilled trades regulation act,"  
by amending section 941 (MCL 339.5941) and by adding sections 928,  
928a, and 928b.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- 1       **Sec. 928. For purposes of this article, boiler repairer**
- 2       **licenses are classified as follows:**
- 3       **(a) Class I boiler repairer.**
- 4       **(b) Class II boiler repairer.**
- 5       **(c) Class III boiler repairer.**

1 (d) Class IV boiler repairer.

2 (e) Class P boiler repairer.

3 Sec. 928a. (1) The director shall not issue a license for a  
4 boiler repairer described under section 928 unless the applicant  
5 meets the requirements that are applicable to the classification of  
6 license for which the applicant is seeking licensure, as prescribed  
7 by rule.

8 (2) The department shall promulgate rules to determine the  
9 requirements for each boiler repairer license classification  
10 described in section 928 under the administrative procedures act of  
11 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328.

12 Sec. 928b. (1) An individual who is issued a class I boiler  
13 repairer license may repair a low-pressure boiler, a hot water  
14 supply boiler, and a fire tube boiler of any pressure.

15 (2) An individual who is issued a class II boiler repairer  
16 license may do all of the following:

17 (a) Repair a high-pressure boiler.

18 (b) Repair or replace non-boiler external piping.

19 (c) Perform work covered by a class I boiler repairer license.

20 (3) An individual who is issued a class III boiler repairer  
21 license may do all of the following:

22 (a) Repair or field-erect a boiler of any pressure, except for  
23 a boiler that has a nuclear heat source.

24 (b) Repair or replace non-boiler external piping.

25 (c) Perform work covered by a class I and a class II boiler  
26 repairer license.

27 (4) An individual who is issued a class IV boiler repairer  
28 license may do all of the following:

29 (a) Erect and repair a boiler that has a nuclear heat source

1 or the parts, source, appurtenances, or system components of a  
 2 boiler that has a nuclear heat source.

3 (b) Repair or replace non-boiler external piping.

4 (c) Perform work covered by a class I, a class II, and a class  
 5 III boiler repairer license.

6 (5) An individual who is issued a class P boiler repairer  
 7 license may install or repair non-boiler external piping.

8 Sec. 941. A person shall not repair a boiler without first  
 9 obtaining a permit to repair the boiler from the boiler division of  
 10 the department, unless the repair has been authorized by a licensed  
 11 inspector pending issuance of the permit, or the repair is  
 12 emergency maintenance performed by qualified welders regularly  
 13 employed by a person that utilizes properly qualified welding  
 14 procedures to weld on boilers owned and operated by the person. All  
 15 of the following apply for purposes of the permit to repair  
 16 requirement under this section:

17 (a) A person is not eligible for a permit if the person is not  
 18 licensed to repair boilers under ~~this article~~. **section 928a.**

19 (b) An individual shall not perform work for which a permit is  
 20 required unless ~~he or she~~ **the individual** is licensed to repair  
 21 boilers under ~~this article~~, **section 928a**, or ~~he or she~~ **the**  
 22 **individual** performs the work under the immediate supervision of an  
 23 individual who is licensed to repair boilers under ~~this~~  
 24 ~~article~~. **section 928a.**

25 (c) A person shall obtain a permit by submitting an  
 26 application to the department and including with the application a  
 27 permit fee in an amount established by the department under article  
 28 4. However, a person is not required to pay a permit fee if the  
 29 person utilizes properly qualified welding procedures and regularly

1 employs qualified welders, registered with the boiler division of  
2 the department, to weld on boilers owned and operated by the  
3 person.