## FOR INFORMATION ON CLASS SCHEDULES GO TO

www.aaaenvironmental.com for a list of currently scheduled classes (new classes are added regularly) or call 1-864-582-1222.

Regularly scheduled classes are \$220.00 per person. Check with your trade organization for special rates. Proposal classes are also available to train at your location.

For more information on the law or for answers to your questions call 1-864-582-1222 and ask for information on the RRP Regulation.

Or obtain additional information concerning the EPA RRP Law at the following web sites:

www.epa.gov/lead www.epi.state.nc.us/epi/lead



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#### ATTEND ACCREDITED CLASSES HELD BY INSTRUCTORS WITH EXPERIENCE IN THE CONTRACT FIELD.

The CASE Institute is an **EPA** and **North Carolina Approved Training Provider** for the RRP Classes and other Lead-Based Paint Training.

The RRP class is being held in conjunction with AAA Environmental providing the instructors. AAA Environmental has been an environmental training provider for 23 years, with original EPA approvals for Asbestos. Other classes also available, see the website or ask when you call to register



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Renovation, Repair, and Painting (RRP) Certification Classes

The New RRP Law Affects all Renovation, Repair and/or Paint Contractors and Managers of these Operations



Noncompliance can incur fines up to \$37,500 by the EPA and/or State Regulatory Enforcement

### EPA RENOVATION, REPAIR, AND PAINT LAW

# If you are working on homes, schools, or day care centers built pre-1978, you must be EPA LEAD-SAFE CERTIFIED

#### WHAT is the law?

The Lead-Based Paint Renovation, Repair, and Painting (RRP) rule is a federal regulatory program affecting anyone who disturbs painted surfaces where lead may be present.

- Submit an application to certify your firm for 5 years (North Carolina is annually)
- Attend a 1-day approved class to become a Certified Renovator for 5 years, 1/2 day refresher thereafter
- Learn the required steps to contain the work area, minimize dust, and complete project clean-up
- Recordkeeping Requirements, including pre-education pamphlet

#### WHO has to be trained?

Any contractor, including renovators, electricians, HVAC specialists, plumbers, painters, and maintenance staff, who disrupts more than 6 sq. ft. per room (interior) or 20 sq. ft. per project (exterior) of lead-based paint in pre-1978 buildings, homes, rental properties, apartments, condominiums, schools, day care centers, and other places where

#### **COST:**

#### **Classes-\$220.00**

Check with your trade organization for special rates and pricing that can be provided per proposal for group rates at the location of your choice

#### **Firm Certification:**

- \*EPA regulated states one fee of \$300 every 5 years
- \*North Carolina \$300 each year

#### **Certified Renovator:**

- \*EPA no fee, no submittal
- \*North Carolina no fee, but must submit an application

#### WHY should I comply?

 Avoid risk of government fines and civil liability. Fines occurred can be assess up to \$37,500 per occurrence:

Without certification and without following approved work practices, you and your company can face fines and potential lawsuits

2. Protect your workers, yourself, your customers, and all children from health risks:

Dust from renovation, repairs, and painting can contaminate an entire home and, if inhaled or ingested, can cause irreversible damage to children and adults.

#### 3. Gain Competitive advantage:

- —Certification makes you stand out from other contractors and positions you as a professional contractor consumers can trust. Using your company's certification in your marketing materials may help attract business.
- —Consumers will look for the certification before hiring contractors and may be more accepting of additional costs and time associated with doing the job safely
- —Upon Certification of your firm, your company will be listed as a Lead-Safe Certified Contractor on the EPA Website, giving your firm the potential for new customers.