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What's New

Don't Miss *BuildSafe: New York*

<p>DOB's New Vision of Safety</p> <p>RAISING STANDARDS</p> <p>MANAGING HIGH RISK CONSTRUCTION</p> <p>CRANES EXCAVATIONS CONCRETE</p>	
<p>TUESDAY FEBRUARY, 3 2009</p> <p>7:30AM - 3:30PM</p> <p>McGraw-Hill Conference Center 1221 Avenue of the Americas Second Floor Gallery and Theater</p>	<p>PROGRAM ▶</p> <p>REGISTER ▶</p> <p>SPONSOR ▶</p>

There is still time to sign up! On February 3, Commissioner LiMandri will announce findings from the Department's [study](#) of high-risk construction at [BuildSafe New York: the NYC Department of Buildings' New Vision for Safety](#). At the event, the Department will announce the study's findings, and participants will have the opportunity to discuss the recommendations and their implementation.

Please visit www.navigatingopportunities.com for details on the program and event registration.

Enhancing Document Storage



To ensure documents are permanently archived and will not deteriorate over time, the Department is [enhancing BSCAN](#), its internal document management system. The system is being upgraded to scan, capture and electronically store building plans, which will begin in Spring 2009.

Appointments to Renew General Contractor Registration

Information You Need To Know

[General contractors](#) seeking to [renew](#) their registration with the Department must schedule an appointment with the [Licensing Unit](#). Appointments are available Monday through Friday from 1:30pm to 3:30pm and can be made by calling (212) 566-4100.

Reminders

Elevator Inspections

Information You Need To Know

With the increased elevator inspection and filing requirements put in place by the new NYC Construction Codes, the Department is [allowing Inspectors](#) who have obtained Qualified Elevator Inspector ([QEI](#)) certification, but are not Department-licensed, to perform elevator inspections and tests in calendar year 2009.

Energy Code Requirements

Information You Need To Know



The Department will begin auditing New Building and Alteration applications for compliance with the Energy Conservation Construction Code of New York State ([ECCCNYS](#)) in February 2009. Applications that do not meet or exceed these requirements will be issued objections and notices of revocation as appropriate. To learn more, please visit the [NYS Energy Code](#) section of the Department's website.

Class C HMO License Documentation

Dedicated to Safety

Individuals seeking to maintain a [Class C Hoist Machine Operator License](#) must provide documentation of certification from the National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operations ([NCCCO](#)) by September 30, 2009.

Did You Know?

LICENSE SEARCH ▶

Did you know that you can find information about general contractors using BISWeb? Using the [License Search Feature](#), you can look up general contractors by their last name, company name or license number and view their business and insurance information.

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