

Articulating Boom Cranes and Telehandlers

The Department of Buildings is currently drafting rules to implement provisions of the 2022 Building Code concerning articulating boom cranes and telehandlers. Until the rules are enacted, the requirements of the 2014 Building Code for articulating boom cranes and telehandlers will continue to be enforced.

- A certificate of approval, certificate of operation, certificate of on-site inspection, and hoisting machine operator is not required for an **articulating boom crane** provided it is utilized in accordance with Exception #10 of Section 3319.3 of the 2014 Building Code.
- A certificate of approval, certificate of operation, certificate of on-site inspection, and hoisting machine operator is not required for a **rotating telehandler** provided it is not equipped with a hoisting mechanism (a hoist drum and rope reeving system used for lifting and lowering loads).
- A certificate of approval, certificate of operation, and certificate of on-site inspection is not required for a **fixed telehandler**. A hoisting machine operator is not required for a fixed telehandler provided it is not equipped with a drum and a rope.