ARKANSAS

Office of the State Fire Marshal Address: (Mailing)
Arkansas State Police
Fire Marshal Division
1 State Police Plaza Dr.
Little Rock, AR 72209
Tel: 501-618-8624
Fax:
Web Address of State Fire Marshal: www.dps.arkansas.gov/law-enforcement
State Fireworks Law: 2012 Arkansas Fire Prevention Code/Volume 1-Fire-Chapter 56-
International Fire Code
State Fireworks Regulation(s): ACA Fireworks Statute 20-22-(701 to 717)
State Fireworks Codes Referenced (ie NFPA 1123 / 1124) NFPA 1123 & 1124

State Fireworks Requirements
- Public Display License Required (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a fee? Yes, $50, also
application must be accompanied by approval of local AHJ as well
- Commercial General Liability Insurance Coverage (Min per occurrence) Bond or COI
required but no specific amount specified, other than what is “deemed adequate by the
Fire Official”. Insurance Certificate sent with application to state
- HazMat Transportation Insurance – DOT Compliant (1.4 – $1M / 1.3 $5M) Does not
specify, however Port of Entries require DOT amounts specifically
- State Transportation Permit Required (Yes or No) No
- Worker Compensation Insurance – Statutory or Other Does not specify
- Import/Export License to bring products into the state (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a fee?
Yes, see license fees on next page
- Wholesale License to purchase or sell products in the state (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a
fee? Domiciled companies are typically deemed Distributors
- Registration of individuals authorized to represent License holder in the state (Yes or
No) Yes
- Permit from Local AHJ for each display (Yes or No) – Fee dependent upon location.
Yes, based on each community
- Permit Filing Period for Local: How many days prior? Yes, determined by each
municipality
- Permit Filing Period for State: How many days? Yes, 5 days
- State Bond Required (Yes or No) Bond or Insurance

State Pyrotechnic Operator Requirements
- Minimum Age: 21
- Minimum of Documented displays: 5 displays
- Minimum Experience: 5 displays
- Letters of Recommendation (Yes or No) If Yes, How many and from whom None
required, except verification of training class

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• Written Test Required (Yes or No) If Yes, how often? n/a
• Minimum Passing Score: n/a
• New Operator License Fee ($ Amount) Yes, $50
• Renewal Operator License Fee ($ Amount) Yes, $50
• Renewal Period for Licensed Operator every 5 years, shooters are required to keep a record of all shows in which they participate

OTHER:
Fireworks License Fees set for State of Arkansas below:
Manufacturers - $1,000.00
Importers - $750.00
Distributors - $500.00
Jobbers - $100.00
Retailers - $25.00
Shooters - $50.00
Retailers All-Year - $500.00