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## **Certificate of House-Pool Protection Device Installation**

*This document provides for the homeowner to certify that one (1) of the following protection devices has been installed at a particular address.*

I certify that one (1) of the following protection devices are installed between all doors leading from the house and garage into the pool area (check one).

\_\_\_ 1. All doors leading into the pool area are equipped with an alarm. The alarm sounds continuously for at least thirty (30) seconds – or until the alarm is manually reset (if the door closes within the 30 second period, the alarm continues to sound until completion of the 30 seconds or until the alarm is manually reset). The alarm is capable of being heard throughout the house during normal household activities. The alarm automatically resets under all conditions. Burglar alarms are not acceptable for the alarm device.

\_\_\_ 2. All doors leading from the house into the pool area are equipped with self-closing and self-latching devices. The latch must be at least fifty-four (54) inches above the floor.

PRINT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Homeowner)

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Homeowner)

Site address (where protection installed): \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

On this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, in the year \_\_\_\_\_ before me \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_ personally known to me (on the Basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to this instrument, and acknowledged that he (she/they) executed it. WITNESS my hand and official seal.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary's Name (Print)



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## HOUSE-POOL PROTECTION DEVICE INSTALLATION RESIDENTIAL POOL/SPA PERMIT REQUIREMENTS

The Certification of House-Pool Protection Device Installation form attached is utilized to assist homeowners, contractors and our department in concluding the final inspection on residential pool and/or spa permits.

The following steps must be completed in order for the form to be accepted.

1. One (1) of the two (2) options must be marked.
2. The Homeowner's name must be printed legibly on appropriate line.
3. The Site Address must be printed on appropriate line.
4. The Homeowner's signature must be NOTARIZED by a Notary.
5. The Notary must complete final section of document.
6. The form must be in the permit packet at the job site at the time of the Final Inspection.

By utilizing this form, it will allow the inspector to by-pass entering the residence in order to check the door alarms or self-closing & self-latching devices. The responsibility of complying with the 2012 IRC regulations is accepted by the homeowner by his/her written documentation implemented by this form.