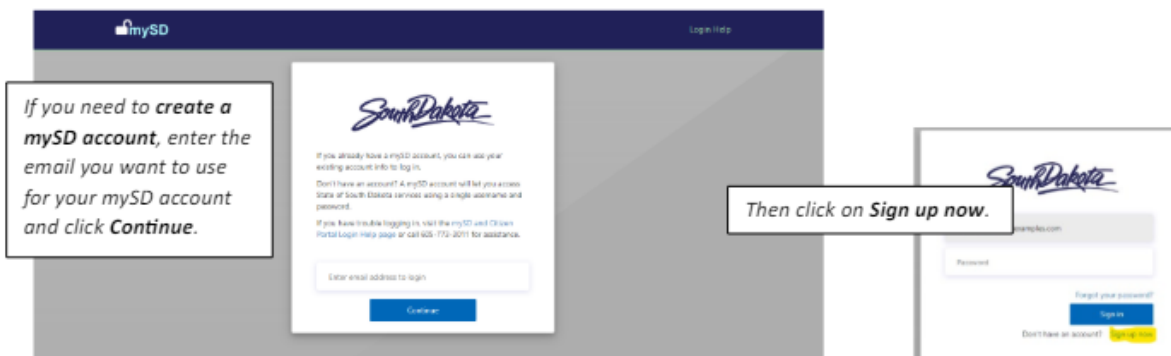


SOUTH DAKOTA ELECTRICAL COMMISSION
2024 South Dakota Electrician Renewal Step-by-Step Guide

Go to the [Online Licensee Portal](#). You can also find the portal link on our [License](#) and [Forms](#) webpages. This year, you are required to have a valid email address to renew your license. When you get to the new licensing site, click on [Licensee Portal](#).



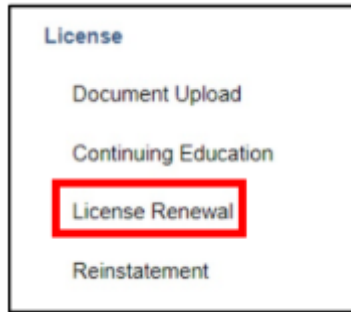
You will be taken to the mySD login screen, where you will login to your existing mySD account. If you do not have a mySD account, you will need to create one.



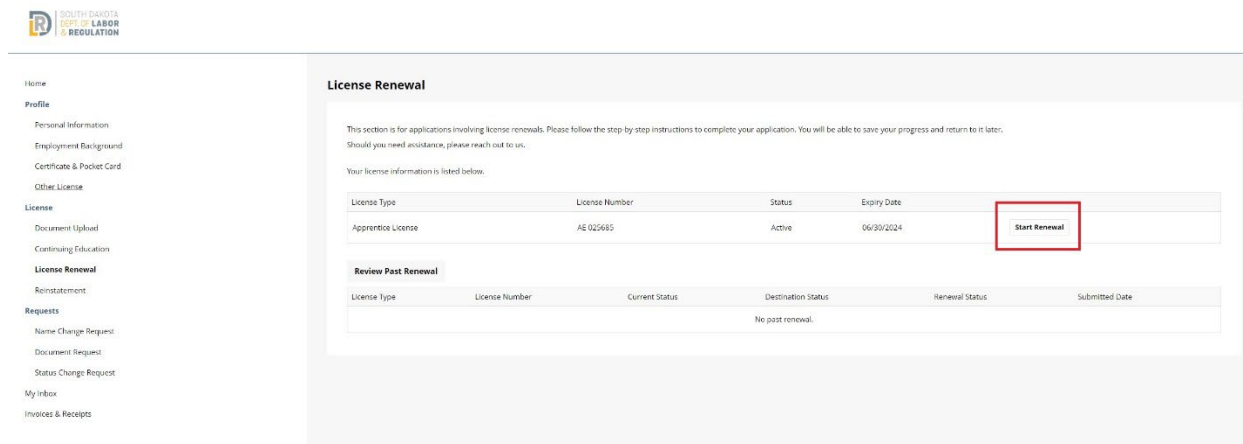
The system will guide you through the process and return you to the Licensee Portal.

If you receive an error message when you attempt to log in, please email electrical@state.sd.us or call the Electrical Commission office at 605.773.3573 with your license number and correct email information so that we may update your account.

Once you are logged into the Licensee Portal, you will select **License Renewal** on the left-hand side.



Your license(s) information should be listed to the right. Click **Start Renewal** next to the license you are attempting to renew.



Step 1 – Personal Information

Ensure your demographic information is correct. All required items will have a red asterisk next to them.

Step 2 – Employment Background

Ensure your employment information is up to date.

If there is no employment listed, click **+ Add New** and enter the required information. Once the required information is entered, click **Save & Continue**.

If an employer is listed but you need to update the information, click **Update**.

If you are self-employed, check the box next to **"I am self-employed."**

Step 3 – Status Change Request

If your license is currently active, it should be set to **Active**.
 If you'd like to close your license, choose **Closed** from the drop-down.
 If you'd like to change it to inactive, choose **Inactive** from the drop-down.
 After you've made your selection, click **Save & Continue**.

Step 4 – Continuing Education Summary

If you received your license after July 1, 2023, you are not required to meet the CE requirements and will click the **"Obtaining a license in the second year of the biennium"** box under CE Exemptions and then **Save & Continue**.

If you received your license prior to July 1, 2023, you must visit the **Continuing Education (CE)** page and add your CE credits before you can proceed with your renewal.

! There were some errors handling your submission.

- You cannot continue with your renewal as the continuing education program requirements have not been met.

Below is your Continuing Education Summary for the most recent CE period.
To add or change a continuing education activity, please visit the **Continuing Education** page.

Status: Open

Once on the Continuing Education page, click **View** next to the license you are renewing.

Continuing Education

For further information regarding continuing education requirements, please visit our website at the following link:
https://thentia.com/Continuing_Education/index.html

CE Period	License	License Status	Status	
05/20/2024 - 06/30/2024	Electrical Contractor License	Active	Open	Q View
05/20/2024 - 06/30/2026	Apprentice License	Active	Open	Q View
05/20/2024 - 06/30/2024	Apprentice License	Active	Submitted	Q View

Continuing Education Summary

Below is a summary of your continuing education program.

Status: Open

License	CE Period	Hours Required	Total Submitted	Hours Remaining
Electrical Contractor License	05/20/2024 - 06/30/2024	16	0	16

Credits By Category

Category	Maximum Required	Maximum Permitted	Total Submitted
Non - Code	0	N/A	0
Code	0	N/A	0

Program Activities

CE Category	Activity Provider	Activity Type	Date of Completion	Units
No activity records have been added. Click + Add New to add a new activity.				
+ Add New				

CE Exemptions

Please enter a CE exemption label, if applicable.

- Active Military Duty
If a licensee is on active military duty, they would be exempt for one year since their return.
- Obtaining a license in the second year of the biennium
Electicians obtaining a license in the second year of the biennium are not required to meet the scheduled continuing education requirements until the second renewal of their license or registration.
Example: If my registration expires on October 2022, I would need the relative 16 hours of CE during renewal in 2024 but if my initial registration was between July 1st 2022 and June 30th 2023 I would not need CE.

Click **+ Add New** in the middle of the page and enter the required information. If the provider is not listed, click any of the ones listed and upload your certificate. After the required information is entered, click **Save & Back**. Repeat for any additional CE credits. Once all CE credits are loaded, click **License Renewal** on the left-hand side and then **Continue** next to the license you have started a renewal for. Click **Save & Continue**.

Step 5 – Declarations

Answer yes or no to both questions and then click **Save & Continue**.

Step 6 – Attestations

Read and check the box next to each attestation. Draw your signature and then click **Save & Continue**.

Step 7 – Payment

Acceptable methods of payment are check, credit card, or money order. Choose your preferred payment method.

Invoice Item	Amount
Apprentice License Fee	\$20.00
Total	\$20.00

Method of Payment

Please select method of payment

Method of Payment

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To pay by credit card: Select **Credit Card** and click **Process Payment**. enter your credit card information and pay your fees securely online. After your payment has been successfully processed, you'll be returned to the renewal application. Click **Submit** to complete the renewal process.

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Apprentice License Fee	\$20.00
Total	\$20.00

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If paying by check/money order: Select **Pay by Check/Money Order** and click **Submit**. You'll receive an email that your renewal application has been successfully submitted.

Approval of Renewal: Your application will be automatically approved if you pay via credit card. If you pay via check or money order, the Electrical Commission will manually approve your application once your fee(s) has/have been received.

Once approved, you will receive an email titled SDEC – Renewal – Approved. This completes the renewal cycle for 2024.