COLORADO
Department of Education
School Finance and Operations Division

Mandatory
FORM # STU-3
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Application for Certification or Recertification of Annual Inspector Hands-On Tester

2026-2027

All information requested on this form is required, including selections, applicable initials, signature, and date.

Applicant Information			
Name of Applicant (Please Print):		**Phone:**	
Hands-On Tester # (Recertification Only):		**Annual Inspector #:**	
Mailing Address:		**City / Zip Code:**	
District Name:		**Email Address:**	

Applicant shall initial each applicable item completed for qualification or recertification.

Initial	Rule	Requirement / Acknowledgment
	9.3.1(A)(1)	Maintained an active CDE Annual Inspector certificate for a minimum of two consecutive years. Date of initial qualification:
	9.3.1(A)(2)	Satisfactorily completed the prescribed CDE Annual Inspector Hands-On Tester training. Date:
	9.3.1(A)(3)	Completed at least four hours of verifiable medium/heavy-duty brake-system training within the previous three years. Date:
	OR	Maintains a current ASE School Bus, Medium/Heavy Duty Truck, or Transit Bus Brake Certification, 9.3.1(A)(3)(a)(ii).
	9.3.2(A)(1)	Conducted at least two hands-on performance tests for CDE Annual Inspector candidates within the three-year certification period.
	OR	Attended and successfully completed a CDE Annual Inspector Hands-On Recertification training within the three-year certification period, 9.3.2(A)(2). Date:

Certification

I verify that I have completed all requirements above and maintain documentation in a Hands-On Tester Qualification File. I request that CDE issue the Annual Inspector Hands-On Tester Certificate/Recertification Certificate.

Applicant Signature:	**Date:**