

**CONTRACTORS STATE LICENSE BOARD**

**FINAL APPROVED LANGUAGE**

**California Code of Regulations**

**Title 16, Division 8**

**Article 3. Classification**

**Section 832**

§832. Specialty Contractors Classified

Specialty contractors shall perform their trade using the art, experience, science and skill necessary to satisfactorily organize, administer, construct and complete projects under their classification, in accordance with the standards of their trade.

They are classified into the following subclassifications:

Asbestos Abatement.....	C-22
Boiler, Hot Water Heating and Steam Fitting.....	C-4
Building Moving/Demolition.....	C-21
Cabinet, Mill Work and Finish Carpentry.....	C-6
Concrete.....	C-8
Construction Zone Traffic Control.....	C-31
Drywall.....	C-9
Earthwork and Paving.....	C-12
Electrical.....	C-10
Elevator.....	C-11
Fencing.....	C-13
Fire Protection.....	C-16
Flooring and Floor Covering.....	C-15
Framing and Rough Carpentry.....	C-5
General Manufactured Housing.....	C-47
Glazing.....	C-17
Insulation and Acoustical.....	C-2
Landscaping.....	C-27
Lathing and Plastering.....	C-35
Limited Specialty.....	C-61
Lock and Security Equipment.....	C-28
Low Voltage Systems.....	C-7
Masonry.....	C-29
Ornamental Metal.....	C-23
Painting and Decorating.....	C-33
Parking and Highway Improvement.....	C-32
Pipeline.....	C-34

Plumbing.....	C-36
Refrigeration .....	C-38
Roofing .....	C-39
Sanitation System.....	C-42
Sheet Metal.....	C-43
Sign .....	C-45
Solar .....	C-46
Steel, Reinforcing .....	C-50
Steel, Structural .....	C-51
Swimming Pool.....	C-53
Tile (Ceramic and Mosaic) .....	C-54
Tree and Palm .....	C-49
Warm-Air Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning .....	C-20
Water Conditioning .....	C-55
Welding.....	C-60
Well Drilling (Water).....	C-57

Note: Authority cited: Sections 7008 and 7059, Business and Professions Code.  
Reference: Sections 7058 and 7059, Business and Professions Code

**Section 832.49**

§832.49. Class C-49 – Tree and Palm Contractor

- (a) A tree and palm contractor plants, maintains, and removes trees and palms. The duties include pruning, stump grinding, and tree, palm, or limb guying.
- (b) Effective January 1, 2024, this regulation shall become operative.
- (c) This regulation does not apply to, and a license shall not be required for, incidental pruning of trees or guying of planted trees and their limbs by a nursery person or incidental pruning of trees by a gardener as described in Section 7026.1 of the Code.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 7008 and 7059, Business and Professions Code.  
Reference: Sections 7026.1, 7058, and 7059, Business and Professions Code.