

REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATION AS A CERTIFIED CRYPTIC LECTURER

There shall be only one class of certified Cryptic Lecturer. To qualify as a Certified Cryptic Lecturer, a Companion shall demonstrate his proficiency in the following:

- 1 - **Open and close a Council of Select Masters** giving all raps, signs, prayer and closing charge.
- 2 - **Select Master:** Give the obligation; password, grip, signs and words of recognition. Give in your own words an explanation of the floor work and equipment used in the Select Master Degree. Also, give an explanation of the deposit within the Ninth Arch.
- 3 - **Suspend Labor:** Suspend labor in Select Master Degree to open a Council of Royal Masters.
- 4 - **Open and close a Council of Royal Masters** giving all raps, signs, prayer and closing charge.
- 5 - **Royal Master:** Give the obligation, password, grip, signs and words of recognition. Give in your own words an explanation of the floor work and equipment used in The Royal Master Degree.

The Certificate shall be valid for a period of five years.

A Companion who desires to be certified or re-certified shall be examined at a time and place convenient to those involved by two Cryptic Lecturers whose certificates are valid at the time of examination. Examinations will also be conducted at the Grand York Rite Annual Meeting on the first day of registration during the Cryptic Board of Lectureship Meeting.

Upon certification and notification to the Chairman of the board of Cryptic Lectureship, a wallet card shall be sent to the newly certified or re-certified lecturer. If he is newly certified, the Cryptic Board of Lectureship shall send a certificate suitable for framing to his District Cryptic Lecturer for presentation with suitable ceremony in open council.

For Certificate of Examination form or other information, please contact the Chairman or Secretary of the Board of Cryptic Lectureship or the Grand Lecturer.

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