

# PENNSYLVANIA

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Web Address of State Fire Marshal: <https://www.osfc.pa.gov/AboutOSFC/Pages/default.aspx>

State Fireworks Law: [https://www.psp.pa.gov/public-safety/Documents/Title\\_35\\_Chapter\\_13A\\_Fireworks\\_and\\_Explosives.pdf](https://www.psp.pa.gov/public-safety/Documents/Title_35_Chapter_13A_Fireworks_and_Explosives.pdf)

State Fireworks Regulation(s): Title 35 Health and Safety Chapter 13 A Fireworks and Explosives

State Fireworks Codes Referenced (i.e. NFPA 1123 / 1124) 1123 1124, 1126, 160

## State Fireworks Requirements

- Public Display License Required (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a fee? No license- .  
“Displays must be operated by a competent individual”
- Commercial General Liability Insurance Coverage (Min per occurrence) Bond of minimum \$500.00 for Permits
- \$2 Million commercial General Liability minimum
- HazMat Transportation Insurance – DOT Compliant (1.4 – \$1M / 1.3 \$5M) Federal Minimums apply
- State Transportation Permit Required (Yes or No) No Federal Regulations apply
- Worker Compensation Insurance – Statutory or Other Statutory
- Import/Export License to bring products into the state (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a fee? NO
- Wholesale License to purchase or sell products in the state (Yes or No) If Yes, is there a fee? YES must register annually with the Secretary of state. Consumer Retail permit is \$5000.00 per year
- Registration of individuals authorized to represent License holder in the state (Yes or No) No
- Permit from Local AHJ for each display (Yes or No) – Fee dependent upon location. YES local permits are required fees vary by location
- Permit Filing Period for Local: How many days prior? Varies By local jurisdiction. But typically 14 -30 days
- Permit Filing Period for State: How many days? Not Applicable.
- State Bond Required (Yes or No) NO Only local bonds

## State Pyrotechnic Operator Requirements

- Minimum Age: 21
- Minimum of Documented displays: Not codified at the state Level. “Displays must be operated by a competent individual”
- Minimum Experience: Not codified at the state Level. “Displays must be operated by a competent individual”

- Letters of Recommendation (Yes or No) If Yes, How many and from whom NO
- Written Test Required (Yes or No) If Yes, how often? None
- Minimum Passing Score: NOT APPLICABLE
- New Operator License Fee (\$ Amount) NOT APPLICABLE
- Renewal Operator License Fee (\$ Amount) NOT APPLICABLE
- Renewal Period for Licensed Operator NOT APPLICABLE

**OTHER:**