

Owner/Applicant Statement

(To be completed only when the homeowner is the permit applicant)

I understand the State of Minnesota requires residential contractors, residential remodelers and residential roofers be licensed to work in the State unless they qualify for a specific exemption from the licensing requirements. By signing this statement, I certify that I am building or improving this dwelling myself. I claim to be exempt from state licensing requirements because I am not in the business of building on speculation or for resale. I certify I have not built or improved any other residential structures in the State within the past twenty-four months. I also acknowledge that, because I do not have a state license, I forfeit any mechanic's lien rights to which I may otherwise have been entitled under MS 514.01.

I further acknowledge I may be hiring independent contractors to perform certain aspects of the improvements on this dwelling, and I understand some of these contractors may be required to be licensed by the State. I understand unlicensed residential contracting, residential remodeling and residential roofing activity is a misdemeanor under Minnesota law, and I forfeit my rights to reimbursement from the Contractors Recovery Fund in the event any contractors I hire are unlicensed.

Homeowner's signature _____ Date _____

Homeowner's typed or printed name _____

Contact the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry to determine if a contractor is licensed or exempt or to check on contractor status. Metro 651-284-5005, Outstate: 1-800-342-5354 or www.dli.mn.gov and follow links to License Lookup