

# APPRENTICESHIP AND OCCUPATIONAL CERTIFICATION

## Board Order

*This is an order of the New Brunswick Apprenticeship and Occupational Certification Board made pursuant to section 13 of the Apprenticeship and Occupational Certification Act.*

**Title:** Tasks, Activities and Functions of a Designated Occupation

**Category:** Voluntary

**Occupation:** Arborist

**Board Order Number:** V192.1

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### SCOPE OF THE OCCUPATION

The arborist occupation includes:

- (a) the planting, fertilizing and pruning of trees;
- (b) the removal of trees;
- (c) the operating and maintaining of aerial devices and vegetation management equipment such as chain saws and brush chippers;
- (d) the climbing of trees and working at height;
- (e) the identification and monitoring of trees and woody plants species, their diseases and pests;
- (f) the hoisting and rigging of trees and limbs;
- (g) the interpretation of trees and woody plants;
- (h) the developing of good customer relations;
- (i) the maintaining of a working knowledge of operating regulations, working clearances, and safety regulations;
- (j) the cleaning up of storm damage; and
- (k) the maintenance of utility corridors.



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