



MEMORANDUM

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EXAMINATION INFORMATION ALERT

Professional Engineering Promotional Titles Announcement and Testing Schedule 2026

This alert is intended to notify the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) and candidates of the timeframes that will apply to the New Jersey Civil Service Commission (NJCS) 2026-2028 announcement and testing schedule for the Professional Engineering Promotional titles. Providing these dates in advance will assist NJDOT and potential promotional candidates with their respective planning needs.

NOTE: ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL ONLY BE POSTED FOR TITLES WHERE VACANCIES EXIST.

Engineering Title	Employer Requests Announcement No Later Than	NJCSC Issues Announcement	Application Filing Deadline	Tentative Test Date
Principal Engineer (any variant)	Jul 1, 2026	Aug 1, 2026	Aug 21, 2026	Mar 2027
Principal Engineer (any variant)	Jul 1, 2027	Aug 1, 2027	Aug 21, 2027	Mar 2028
Project Engineer (any variant)	Jul 1, 2026	Aug 1, 2026	Aug 21, 2026	Mar 2027
Project Engineer (any variant)	Jul 1, 2027	Aug 1, 2027	Aug 21, 2027	Mar 2028
Supervising Engineer (any variant)*	Oct 1, 2026	Dec 1, 2026	Dec 23, 2026	Jun 2027
Supervising Engineer (any variant)*	Oct 1, 2027	Dec 1, 2027	Dec 22, 2027	Jun 2028
Senior Engineer (any variant)	Nov 1, 2026	Dec 1, 2026	Dec 23, 2026	Jun 2027
Senior Engineer (any variant)	Nov 1, 2027	Dec 1, 2027	Dec 22, 2027	Jun 2028
Engineer Specifications Transportation	Nov 1, 2026	Dec 1, 2026	Dec 23, 2026	Jun 2027
Engineer Specifications Transportation	Nov 1, 2027	Dec 1, 2027	Dec 22, 2027	Jun 2028
Engineer, Structures, Plans & Specifications	Nov 1, 2026	Dec 1, 2026	Dec 23, 2026	Jun 2027
Engineer, Structures, Plans & Specifications	Nov 1, 2027	Dec 1, 2027	Dec 22, 2027	Jun 2028
Assistant Engineer (any variant)	Nov 1, 2026	Dec 1, 2026	Dec 23, 2026	Jun 2027
Assistant Engineer (any variant)	Nov 1, 2027	Dec 1, 2027	Dec 22, 2027	Jun 2028

Note to NJDOT:

- NJDOT must contact NJCSC during the month indicated above to have an announcement posted the following month.
- Late or amended requests may NOT be announced/tested within the timeframes specified and may delay test administration.
- ***SUPERVISING ENGINEER NOTE:** Please specify if the symbol requires a technical component.

Note to Candidates:

- Applications must be filed no later than the application filing date issued on the announcement. Make-up exams for professional engineering titles are only granted as stated in *N.J.A.C. 4A:4-2.9(b)*.
- Examinations will be held during the months indicated on this EIA barring unforeseen circumstances.
- Notifications to report to an exam will be emailed/mailed to eligible candidates a minimum of two weeks prior to the exam dates. Candidates must notify NJCSC of any [changes to contact information](#) (e.g., street address, email address, phone number).