NLSI Class Scheduling Information & Logistics

Please help us organize future classes. For many years our AMMO 48 class has been conducted “on-demand” as determined by and for DoD bases. There is no schedule. Despite attempts to establish fixed times and places, we rely on Air Force, Army and others to work with us at specific locations to arrange classes. By requesting it, you can get onto our “Future Class Hot List Notification” via email. Typical notice is 45-60 days. Some details which may assist you:

1. AMMO 48 is a college level, three day professional training session oriented for explosives safety and electric power reliability at military bases. The class has been conducted about 70-80 times over the past 10 years all over the USA. See the AMMO 48 Course Outline for content details.

2. The class includes 5-6 examinations on lightning protection topics such as air terminals, grounding, bonding, surge protection, maintenance and testing. Hands-on testing for ground resistance is conducted (weather permitting) with 3-Point FOP and Clamp-On tester provided by us. Graduates are Certified by NLSI as competent in understanding the LPS Codes & Standards.

3. Course materials include: AMMO 48 Handbook; NFPA-780; NEC 250; Air Force AFI 32-1065; Army PAM 385-64; and several relevant UFCs. Per attendee cost is $1395, payable in advance via credit card. All NLSI operating, traveling and materials costs are included.

4. Class size is min. 15 and max. 30 students. Generally the host or sponsor provides about half the enrollment. We encourage you to notify other nearby commands of the class in order to alert others about the training. Via our Hot List contacts of other DoD persons wanting the training, we make up the difference.

5. You provide the classroom with white boards or flip charts, etc. We bring our own computer and laptop projector equipment. We do not access your IT systems in any manner whatsoever.

You can help organize a class at your location. Whether you are in weapons safety, the electric shop or elsewhere, this class will help you meet safety requirements and become certified in NFPA-780.

Thank you.

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