

# **Society of Fire Protection Engineers Position Statement P-04-06**

## **Professional Licensure**

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The Society of Fire Protection Engineers encourages individuals engaged in the engineering profession to strive for professional recognition by enhancing their individual credentials through licensure. Licensure demonstrates to the public an individual's competency, qualification and expertise in professional practice. Moreover, licensure implies a commitment to understanding professional, ethical and societal responsibilities, with emphasis on protecting public health, safety and welfare.