

Question: Am I required to attend?

How to tell if you need the training offered by TAAD's Chief Appraiser Institute

Chapter 1151.164, Occupations Code, states:

- **Section 5.042, Tax Code, applies only to a chief appraiser appointed on or after July 1, 2006** (see actual text below).
- A person may not serve as a chief appraiser for an appraisal district unless the person has completed the course of training prescribed by Section 1151.164, Occupations Code and approved by the TDLR.
- A person may serve in a temporary, provisional, or interim capacity as chief appraiser for a period of up to one year without completing the training required by this section.
- This section does not apply to a county assessor-collector who serves as chief appraiser under Section 6.05(c).

The Texas Association of Appraisal Districts provides this training through its annual **Chief Appraiser Institute**.

5.042. REQUIRED TRAINING FOR CHIEF APPRAISERS.

Text of section effective July 1, 2006

(a) Except as provided by this section, a person may not serve as a chief appraiser for an appraisal district unless the person has completed the course of training prescribed by Section 1151.164, Occupations Code.

(b) A person may serve in a temporary, provisional, or interim capacity as chief appraiser for a period of up to one year without completing the training required by this section.

(c) This section does not apply to a county assessor-collector who serves as chief appraiser under Section 6.05(c).

Added by Acts 2005, 79th Leg., ch. 1111, § 2, eff. July 1, 2006.