Crane License Safety Question and Answer

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Question:
Must a crane operator have a current valid license? What can a crane operator do should the license expire or suspend?

Answer:
A crane operator must have a current valid certificate of competence/license to operate a crane. A person can not operate a crane with an expired/suspended license. Persons operating a crane without a license or with a suspended license are committing a misdemeanor legal offense.

References:
New York Codes, Rules and Regulations require crane operators to be certified and competent crane operators.
The City of New York, Department of Citywide Administrative Services, Hoist Machine Operator License, requires a hoist machine operator license to operate a crane in New York City.