

FSA QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

In order to be acceptable as a member of the FSA and to feature in the 'Find a Firm' section of its website, a firm must possess the fire and/or security qualifications set out below.

Electronic Fire Systems Specialists

FSA **Fire Detection and Alarm Systems Specialists** must hold a current certificate obtained under one of the following five schemes:

- BRE Certification's *LPS 1014 Standard for Fire Detection and Alarm System Firms* (obtainable from BRE Certification Ltd);
- BAFE's *SP203 Scheme for Fire Alarm, Detection and Suppression Systems* (currently only obtainable from NSI, SSAIB or BSI);
- IET's *EAS for A3 work (Fire Alarm Systems)* (obtainable from BRE Certification Ltd);
- ECA's *A3 Scheme (Fire Alarm Systems)* (obtainable from ELECSA); or
- SELECT's *A3 Scheme (fire alarms – All Buildings)*.

Security Systems Specialists

FSA **Security System Specialists** must hold a current certificate from either NSI or SSAIB for electronic security systems.

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