

## JOINT LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON THE HVAC/R INDUSTRY

### **AGENDA**

Wednesday October 22, 2008 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. House Hearing Room A John L. O'Brien Building Olympia, Washington

Chairing: Representative Steve Conway

## **Work Session:**

- 1. Establishing at least 3 levels of mechanics, with the ability to be certified in several specialties, including HVAC, refrigeration, and gas piping.
- 2. Requirements for certifying mechanics (to include education, experience, examination, grandfathering and other means of satisfying requirements).
- 3. Experience requirements for mechanic levels.
- 4. Exemptions to registration or certification requirements (to be focused on exemptions in ESSB 5831 as passed House that are in dispute).
- 5. Methods of registering contractors who qualify for 2 or more registrations or licenses.
- 6. Methods of obtaining training certificates.
- 7. Public comment.
- 8. Next meeting and recommendations.

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