Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Board
Administrative Rules Committee
May 10, 2012

Committee Members Present: , Chuck Thomas, Brita Van Horne, Cindy Houlson, Matt Oetker, September Lau and Mary Swinehart

Absent: Ron Masters

There was a discussion of Standings Bill 2465.
Questions to consider:
Does Municipal or block exam include Prometric exams?
Does an application have to be submitted, along with documentation of passed exam?
What about CEU requirements?

2012-91 John Houghton: Mr. Houghton has submitted a waiver from rest room facilities. The space is currently 1940 sq. ft. with one restroom. Separate restroom facilities are based on occupancy load, based on square footage.
John Kelly commented he had spoken with this gentleman about two months ago, at that time there was no floor plan provided. John will call Mr. Houghton and ask if Urbandale has weighed in on this and ask if there is anything to prevent all stations from being occupied at the same time. John will invite Mr. Houghton to the May Board Meeting.
The Committee is leaning toward denial but would like to get a better understanding of the waiver.

John Kelly briefly discussed a waiver submitted by the National Guard. It was determined that that request is outside our authority.

2012-92 Brenton Kennett; Mr. Kennett is asking for approval of rules that have not been adopted and may not be adopted. The Committee has no recommendation at this time, until results of Standings Bill 2465 is made apparent. That Bill may have an impact on this waiver.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill not pass.

2012-93 James Capps: Mr. Capps stated he didn't know he had to apply for renewal. The Committee has no recommendation at this time, until results of Standings Bill 2465 is made apparent. That Bill may have an impact on this waiver.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill not pass.

2012-94 Joel Werley: The Committee has no recommendation at this time, until results of Standings Bill 2465 is made apparent. That Bill may have an impact on this waiver.
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The following three are from C&J Bulldozing, LLC
2012-95 Ronald Burch:
The Committee has no recommendation at this time, until results of Standings Bill 2465 is made apparent. That Bill may have an impact on this waiver.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill not pass.
2012-96 Charles L. Hough: Mr. Hough (owner of business) submitted a waiver due to the fact that he overlooked the renewal date for himself and his two employees (Ronald Burch & Eldon Louwsma). He stated the oversight was due to extenuating circumstances with caring for elderly parents.
The Committee has no recommendation as they would like additional information in regards to his parents illnesses.
2012-97 Eldon J Louwsma:

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The following four are from Standard Heating & Air Conditioning

2012-98 Shane Marcum: Mr. Marcum understood that his company was handling renewals.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill 2465 not pass.

2012-99 Brian McDonald Mr. McDonald stated in his waiver that he had heard that the license period had been extended to three years and fees reduced by the Iowa Legislature.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill 2465 not pass.

2012-100 Stephen Goodman: Mr. Goodman understood that his company was handling renewals.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill 2465 not pass.

2012-101 Christopher Miller: Mr. Miller understood that his company was handling renewals.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill 2465 not pass.

2012-102 Michael Foster: Mr. Foster stated the reason he found out his license had expired was when he applied for a permit.
The Committee recommends denial should the Standings Bill 2465 not pass.