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★ OFFICIAL PROGRAM STANDARDS NOTIFICATION ★

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**Program: RESIDENTIAL STEEP ROOFER**

**To:** ITA Training Providers  
Construction Industry Training Organization (CITO)  
ACE-IT School Districts

**RE: REF: 2012 013**  
**Update to Residential Steep Roofer Program**

**Timing:** Effective Immediately

**Information:** Please be advised that an updated program standard for the Residential Steep Roofer apprenticeship program has been approved by the ITA. The updated Program Profile and Program Outline is posted on the ITA website at [www.itabc.ca](http://www.itabc.ca)

Delivery of training for the Residential Steep Roofer apprenticeship program is to be based on the updated Program Outline as of July 1, 2012.

**Background:**

At the May 14, 2012 Standards Review Committee meeting, SRC approved a proposal submitted by CITO that reflected a complete revision to the Residential Steep Roofer program. In consultation with the steep roofing industry employers, associations and training providers, the program duration was changed from three levels (4 weeks per level) to one level (6 weeks) and the required work-based hours reduced from 3600 to 2400 hours. The revised program model targets the needs of industry more effectively.

The Residential Steep Roofer apprenticeship program is reactivated and available for apprentice registrations. The initial delivery of the program is anticipated to begin in late 2012 or early 2013.

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