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IAPMO Seeks Technical Committee Members

Ontario, Calif. (March 2, 2016) — The International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials (IAPMO[®]) is seeking volunteers to participate on two technical committees working toward the development of the 2018 editions of the *Uniform Swimming Pool, Spa, and Hot Tub Code (USPSHTC)* and *Uniform Solar Energy and Hydronics Code (USEHC)*. **The deadline to submit an application is July 1, 2016**.

The *USPSHTC* and *USEHC* technical committees each seek members in the following categories: manufacturer, user, installer/maintainer, labor, research/standards/testing laboratory, enforcing authority, consumer, and special expert. These committees are assembled in accordance with the Regulations Governing Consensus Development of the *USPSHTC* and *USEHC* and the Guide for the Conduct of Participants in the IAPMO codes and standards development process. These documents may be viewed at the following URL:

http://codes.iapmo.org/docs/ConsensusCodeDevelopmentCycle.pdf

Within them, prospective technical committee participants can find information on the scope and general guidelines for conduct of these committees.

IAPMO first adopted the *USPSHTC* and *USEHC* in September 1976. The provisions of these codes apply to the erection, installation, alteration, repair, relocation, replacement, addition to or maintenance of any solar energy, hydronic heating/cooling, swimming pool, spa, or hot tub system. The 2009, 2012, and 2015 editions of these codes were produced using a consensus process similar to the one used to develop the *Uniform Plumbing Code*[®] and *Uniform Mechanical Code*[®], which are designated as American National Standards.

Anyone interested in serving on one of these committees can complete the application online at the Code Development web page: <u>http://forms.iapmo.org/iapmo/committee/app_tech_committee_ps.asp</u>

For specific information about the *Uniform Swimming Pool, Spa, and Hot Tub Code* Technical Committee, please contact Enrique Gonzalez at (909) 230-5535 or e-mail your question to <u>enrique.gonzalez@iapmo.org</u>. For the *Uniform Solar Energy and Hydronics Code* Technical Committee, contact Hugo Aguilar at (909) 472-4111 or e-mail your question to <u>hugo.aguilar@iapmo.org</u>.

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