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**BOARD OF TECHNICAL REGISTRATION**

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David Cox, CEO  
NCEES  
200 Verdae Boulevard  
Greenville, S.C. 29607

RE: Adding a Plumbing Option to the Mechanical PE

Dear Mr. Cox:

At its regularly scheduled meeting today, and at the request of the American Society of Plumbing Engineers' Arizona Chapter, the Arizona Board of Technical Registration voted to support their efforts to have a plumbing/piping option included in the NCEES Mechanical Engineering Principles and Practices Examination.

The Board voted to support the Society's request because, based upon the Society's estimates, 8 to 10 of the 156 Arizona candidates who took the Mechanical PE this past year might have taken a discipline specific plumbing option as part of the exam if NCEES offered one.

Very Truly Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Melissa Cornelius".

Melissa Cornelius  
Executive Director

cc: Christoph Lohr