

1 AN ACT relating to building trade professions.

2 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:*

3 ➔Section 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 198B IS CREATED TO
4 READ AS FOLLOWS:

5 *(1) The department shall recognize and allow on-the-job training equivalencies of*
6 *internship and cooperative placement hours to count toward the hours necessary*
7 *to obtain licensure in a profession regulated by the department, including but not*
8 *limited to electrician, plumbing, and heating, ventilation, and air conditioning*
9 *licenses.*

10 *(2) The maximum equivalencies to count toward licensure under subsection (1) of*
11 *this section shall be:*

12 *(a) For electrician licenses, up to four thousand (4,000) hours;*

13 *(b) For plumber licenses, up to two (2) years; and*

14 *(c) For heating, ventilation, and air conditioning licenses, up to three thousand*
15 *(3,000) hours.*

16 *(3) The department shall establish a reporting system under this section through the*
17 *promulgation of administrative regulations in accordance with KRS Chapter*
18 *13A.*