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Plumber, Steamfitter/Pipefitter, Sprinkler Fitter

To ITA Training Providers
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Subject **Cross Program Credit – Work-Based Training Hours**

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Information During the activities associated with the harmonization of Plumber, Steamfitter/Pipefitter and Sprinkler Fitter a request was made to review the work-based training hours credit granted to Red Seal Certified Trade Workers for Plumber, Steamfitter/Pipefitter and Sprinkler Fitter who wish to pursue an apprenticeship in one of the other two named piping trades.

Currently work-based training hours credit is granted to Red Seal Certified Trade Workers in Plumber and Steamfitter/Pipefitter who wish to register as apprentices for training in Sprinkler Fitter.

After a consultation with industry, ITA has approved 3,600 work-based training hours credit (in addition to level 1 technical training credit) for Red Seal Certified Trade Workers in Plumber, Steamfitter/Pipefitter and Sprinkler Fitter in one of the other two indicated piping trades.

For more information please refer to the appropriate **Harmonized** Program Profile available at:

<http://www.itabc.ca/program/plumber>

<http://www.itabc.ca/program/steamfitter/pipefitter>

<http://www.itabc.ca/program/sprinklerfitter>

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