

# New Section 608 EPA Certification

Revised to Meet New Regulations

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## EPA Section 608 Certification

EPA refrigerant regulations now address issues including HFCs and HFOs, revised allowable leak rates, and expanded record keeping guidelines, none of which were covered on the old EPA Section 608 certification exam.

To address these issues, the EPA released a new bank of test questions to all approved testing organizations, and tasked them with developing new exams and preparatory materials, that replace the old ones.

**The ESCO Institute's EPA Section 608 Certification Program has been revised to include all new regulatory changes.**



**Section 608 of the Federal Clean Air Act requires that all persons who maintain, service, repair or dispose of appliances that contain ozone depleting refrigerants be certified in proper refrigerant handling techniques.**

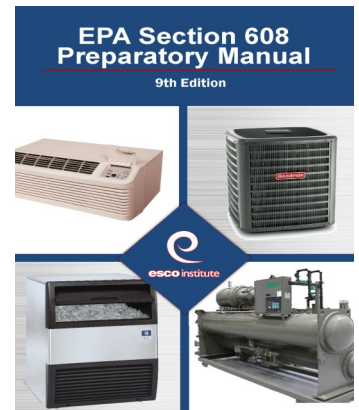
## EPA Section 608 Training Resources

### Preparatory

The ESCO Institute's 28-page EPA Section 608 Preparatory Manual, 9th Edition, has been revised to include all new regulatory changes.

Registered Proctors using ESCO Institute's EPA Section 608 Certification Program are authorized to download the manual free of charge from our online Resource Center.

Copies of the bound printed version may be purchased by proctors for \$7.00 each. The manual carries a suggested retail price of \$16.95, and is available in English (Item 608PM9) and Spanish (Item 608SPM9).



### Instructor

ESCO Institute offers instructors a PowerPoint that includes speaker notes designed to keep the program on track. This presentation has been revised to include all new regulatory changes.

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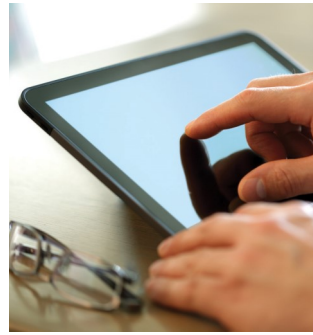
### Free

Institute offers practice exams online. Simply visit [www.escogroup.org](http://www.escogroup.org), and click "Free Practice Exams".



## EPA Section 608 Online Testing

ESCO Online is the quickest and simplest way for HVACR educational programs and HVACR wholesalers to offer the Section 608 Universal closed-book exam. Test takers receive their results immediately, and official documents are mailed the next business day.



## EPA Section 608 Paper Testing

ESCO Institute will provide HVACR educational programs and HVACR wholesalers a kit containing: reusable exam books, answer sheets and postage paid envelopes, free of charge.

Exams are to be stored securely in proctor's office until needed. Exams are paid for when submitted for grading by including a purchase order, check, or credit card for \$35.00 per exam.

Paper tests are graded within one business day of receipt.

**Note:** Interested in purchasing pre-paid packets? No problem. tact us at 800 726-9696.

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Viewing > Exams

Welcome to Exams Online

To begin testing either select an exam from the list below or click one of the buttons on the right to purchase exams.

Please Note  
Unless otherwise stated, all exams provided through this service must be supervised by a registered proctor and are to be administered as closed-book.

Available Exam Credits by Order #  
Select an exam credit below to begin testing:

Order # C5783592 from Dec 21, 2010	Quantity	View Printable
Select EPA Section 608 (B22)	1	
Select EPA Section 608 (I25)	5	

Order # C5974573 from May 18, 2016	Quantity	View Printable
Select Certified Air Conditioning Educator	5	
Select Certified Electrical Educator	5	
Select Certified Light Commercial Air Conditioning Educator	5	
Select Certified Technical Educator	5	

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 Click here to begin an exam where the student pays.  
Student credit card required.

**Recover Exam**  
 Click here to recover an incomplete exam.  
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## Registered Proctors using ESCO Institute's EPA Section 608 Online Program can login to:

- Download the **new** Section 608 Preparatory Manual...**Free!**
- Download the **new** instructor PowerPoint Presentation...**Free!**
- Download the **new** P/T Chart...**Free!**
- Conduct online Section 608 practice exams...**Free!**
- Purchase online exam credits (\$25.00 each for schools, \$35.00 each for wholesalers)
- Conduct the **new** Section 608 exams online with instant results!
- Conduct online re-test to students...**Free!** (Schools only, student receives 5 attempts)
- Access detailed performance reports...**Free!**
- Be assured that you're giving the latest version of the exam...**Priceless!**

To address the diverse needs of our proctors, we offer two ways to administer online exams. One allowing a proctor to quickly launch a single exam, another to login up to 35 test-takers at once.



## Proctor Application

Becoming a proctor is easy and free for HVACR educational programs and HVACR wholesalers.

You can fax your completed proctor application to 1-800-546-3726, or visit [www.escogroup.org](http://www.escogroup.org) and click certifications submit your application electronically.

## Custom Solutions

Interested in a customized preparatory manual, certificate with your name and logo on it? Contact a member of our customer assurance team at 800 726-9696.



# Application for Test Administrator

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## Applicant Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Work Title \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home Email \_\_\_\_\_

Proctor Experience \_\_\_\_\_

## School or Company Information

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Bus Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Bus Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Ext \_\_\_\_\_

Bus Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different ) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## Billing Information (Department or Person Responsible for Paying Invoices)

Billing Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Ext \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Please include copy of tax exempt or resale license if applicable**

### Notes:

## Type of Business

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Correctional            | <input type="checkbox"/> | Government            |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Manufacturer            | <input type="checkbox"/> | Apartment Trainer MRO |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Testing Center          | <input type="checkbox"/> | Trainer               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other, Explain in Notes | <input type="checkbox"/> | Wholesaler            |

## Certifications You Want To Conduct

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Universal R-410A       | <input type="checkbox"/> | H.E.A.T. Plus           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Green Awareness        | <input type="checkbox"/> | Employment Ready        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Duct and Envelope      | <input type="checkbox"/> | Professional Level      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | System Performance     | <input type="checkbox"/> | Master Specialist       |
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## Refer My Site for Testing

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## Testing Options (Check both boxes for both)

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## Organization Status\*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tax Exempt | <input type="checkbox"/> | Resale License |
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Create Pin Number \_\_\_\_\_

(use 6-16 letters or numbers in any combination)

## Proctor Agreement:

I hereby apply for appointment as a registered proctor. Once I am appointed as an authorized Proctor, I shall at all times be held responsible for the security and safekeeping of all exams. By signing this Proctor Application I agree to, and am legally bound by the following terms: I shall: Keep all exams in a locked and secure area (i.e. safe, cabinet, closet) until needed for testing. At no time give any other person access to Exams online or other secure areas of any website used for testing. At all times strictly adhere to all verbal and written instructions set forth by the ESCO Group, its affiliates and the EPA pursuant to test administration and supervision. I agree to read the proctor manual containing the test administration procedures. I understand that all exams unless otherwise stated - are closed book, proctored exams. I shall give prompt notice of any changes in my address, phone, fax number or e-mail, employment, etc. I acknowledge that if I violate these terms in any manner, the ESCO Group reserves the right to suspend or revoke/terminate my appointment as an authorized Proctor. Upon my revocation/ termination I shall immediately return all testing materials to the ESCO Group. Any changes in program or pricing will be electronically broadcast to the email on file and posted in the proctor login area. The ESCO Group reserves the right to accept or reject any or all portions of this application. My signature means that I have read and agree to the conditions for exam administration.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### For ESCO Use Only

Approved by:		Date:		EID:	
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