Radon is a naturally occurring radioactive gas that forms in the ground and can move into buildings through openings in the ground-contact part of the structure. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) has set an Action Level for radon at 4 picoCuries per liter of air. If the radon concentration is at or above that level in a residence or other building, USEPA recommends mitigation to reduce the occupant radon exposure.

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) - Tennessee Radon Program recognizes the need for training and certification for radon professionals and supports this training program and exam. TDEC sponsors the training, which allows a reduction in the training registration fee and exam. The Southern Regional Radon Training Center (SRRTC) will conduct the training and offer the mitigation exam.

The Radon Technology for Mitigators Training Program offers a comprehensive training approach with classroom lectures and demonstrations and hands-on fieldwork for design and installation of a mitigation system. All participants should come prepared to participate in the diagnostics for mitigation of a home in the Franklin area.

This training is offered for individuals to start the process to become certified in the radon proficiency programs. This certification provides homeowners with qualified mitigation specialists in Tennessee and other states and is a recognized credential that could be a valuable asset for your business. The public will have safer homes and your business will have new revenue-generating potential. This is an excellent opportunity for your business to grow.

MEETING LOCATION – FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE

The hotel for meeting space has not been confirmed – but will be mailed with each registrant’s study confirmation package. A block of sleeping rooms will be reserved at the hotel. The confirmation will include maps and other logistical information.

RADON MITIGATION CLASSROOM TOPICS

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RADON MITIGATION TRAINING TARGET AUDIENCE

Companies already in or associated with the building industry are well suited for the mitigation training. The labor skills and equipment utilized in their trades are adequate for installation of typical mitigation systems. Mitigation services are typically provided by:

- Home Builders
- Plumbing Contractors
- Home Remodelers
- Mechanical Contractor
- Environmental Engineers
- Others interested in certification
SRRTC will offer the Radon Mitigation Exam December 10, 2004, which is a three and one-half hour exam and follows the mitigation training. To become a radon mitigation specialist, you must take the training, pass the exam and then apply for certification and be accepted with one of the radon proficiency programs. To receive more information about radon certification fees and how to apply for certification, please contact the following providers:

**National Radon Proficiency Program (NRPP)**  
National Environmental Health Assn (NEHA)  
PO Box 2109  
313 Banner Farm Rd Ste 1B  
Horse Shoe, NC  28742  
Toll free: 800-269-4174 Fax: 828-890-4161  
Www.radongas.org or E-mail: angel@radon.com  

**National Radon Safety Board (NRSB)**  
PO Box 703  
Athens, TX  75751  
Toll free: 866-329-3474  
Fax: 903-675-3748  
www.nrsb.org  
E-mail: info@nrsb.org

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**REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

To register for the SRRTC training course and exam, please complete the registration form and return it to SRRTC at Auburn University. All registrants will receive a registration study packet including study materials notebook, a confirmation letter, agenda and logistical information. Typically registration fees cover the costs for participant refreshments, two field lunches, notebooks, certificate of participation and other handout information. If you have questions or need further information, contact Jan Carrington at (800) 626-2703 or (800) 446-0382 or E-mail: janc@eng.auburn.edu or check our website at www.eng.auburn.edu/conted/pd/radon for more details.

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

**Franklin, Tennessee**

( ) December 6-10, 2004 -- Radon Technology for Mitigators --Registration Fee - $200  
( ) December 10, 2004 -- Radon Mitigation Examination -- All participants -- $125

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Please forward registration form and payment to:  
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