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PRESS RELEASE

On October 13, 2017, the amended Putnam County Plumbing and Mechanical Trades Board local law was recorded in Albany. As part of the updated law, a new license was created: Refrigeration. A copy of the law is posted on the Consumer Affairs website for your review.

All tradesmen offering Refrigeration services (who are not already licensed Master HVAC technicians) are required to obtain a Putnam County License. This license requires Putnam County testing and all refrigeration and tradesmen have until June of 2018 to become licensed. At present, this license is reciprocal with Rockland County.

Please go online to www.putnamcountyny.com/consumer-affairs/plumbing or contact the Plumbing Department at the Office of Consumer Affairs at (845) 808-1617 ext. 46026 to receive information on how to qualify for testing and obtain the appropriate license application forms.