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MEMORANDUM

TO: NFPA Technical Committee on Electronic Safety and Equipment
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DATE: February 28, 2011
SUBJECT: NFPA 1801 ROP TC FINAL Ballot Results (A2012)

The Final Results of the NFPA 1801 ROP Letter Ballot are as follows:

21	Members Eligible to Vote
5	Not Returned (Hull, Parkulo, Roche, Spoons, and Wolf)
16	Affirmative on All
0	Negatives
0	Abstentions

There are two criteria necessary to pass ballot [(1) affirmative $\frac{2}{3}$ vote and (2) simple majority].

- (1) The number of affirmative votes needed for the proposal/comment to pass is 11.
(21 eligible to vote - 5 not returned - 0 abstentions = $16 \times 0.66 = 10.56$)
- (2) In all cases, an affirmative vote of at least a simple majority of the total membership eligible to vote is required. This is the calculation for simple majority:
[21 eligible $\div 2 = 10.5 = (11)$]

According to the final ballot results, all ballot items received the necessary $\frac{2}{3}$ required affirmative votes to pass ballot.