

FIREFIGHTERS SAFETY AND HEALTH TASK FORCE MEETING  
April 8, 2002

**PRESENT: NAME**

James Angle, Palm Harbor Special Fire Control Dist.  
David Casey, Clay County Fire Rescue  
John Drago, City of Longwood  
Les Hallman, South Walton Fire Dist.  
Stuart Kauffman  
Steven Peavey, FI Fire Marshals and Inspectors Assoc.  
Michael Randolph, Tallahassee FD  
Donna Reed, Orange County Fire Rescue  
Stockton Reeves VI, Insight Orlando  
Shayne Stewart, Okaloosa Island Fire Dist.  
Charles "Scotty" Taylor Jr., Gainesville Fire Rescue  
Ron Williams, Lake County Vo-Tech

**Appointed by**

FI Assoc. of Special Districts  
FI Fire Chiefs' Assoc.  
FI League of Cities  
FI Fire Chiefs' Assoc.  
State Fire Marshal  
FI Fire Marshals & Inspectors Assoc.  
State Fire Marshal  
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FI Professional Firefighters  
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State Fire Marshal

**ABSENT:**

Dave Harrawood, Emergency Services of Sarasota Co.      FI Association of Counties

**DIVISION:**

Randall Napoli	Director, State Fire Marshal
Gabe Mazzeo	Division Attorney

**AUDIENCE:**

Tim Pilson	Palm Harbor Fire Rescue
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Quorum was present and the meeting was called to order by Chairman Randolph at 12:00 p.m. On a motion duly made, minutes from February 1, 2002 were approved.

**Report from the Division**

Director Napoli stated that HB135 did not pass but the task force will continue to operate under Rule 4A-62.

Division Attorney Gabe Mazzeo advised that 87 requests for automatic exemption were received; four of which were departments that indicated they would be able to implement 2 in-2 out by September 30<sup>th</sup> (Brooksville, Cape Canaveral, Englewood and Lynn Haven) Surveys were sent to the remaining 83; 54 responded, the Division is still waiting on 29 to be returned. Copies of the surveys were distributed, including a spreadsheet listing the departments and dates of correspondence.

**Old Business:**

The Sub-Committee for Special Exemptions discussed in length the best way to contact the 54 departments that returned surveys. It was decided by members that the departments should be contacted by phone and asked a list of formatted questions. Members will forward questions to staff by April 19 to be assembled and will meet at the Florida State Fire College on May 2 – 3, 2002 to contact the

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departments. Staff will notice the sub-committee meeting and send the list of questions to all task force members prior to the meeting, including a summary document from Shayne Stewart. Members will use several venues to notify that these departments will be contacted by phone prior to the meeting. The sub-committee will submit a report to Chairman Randolph by May 15, 2002.

Members will put together a summary document to educate departments on what the task force is doing and what they're trying to accomplish.

Staff will work on an implementation document for 2 in-2 out.

**New Business:** None

**Audience:** None

**Next meeting:** May 17, 2002, 11:30 a.m.  
Florida State Fire College

Sub-Committee will meet on May 2 – 3, 2002; 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Adjourn** On a motion duly made, the meeting adjourned at 1:30 p.m.