Exam Qualifications Committee Agenda December 6, 2021 9:30am – 11:30am

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<u>Agenda:</u>

- WAC 196-12 review of exam equivalency language
- FE exam equivalency form (Alternative Pathway form mockup)
 - Review other states response to foreign equivalency inquiry
 - Notes from Feb 2021 EQC meeting:
 - It was suggested that the EQ work on a form for applicants to fill out that identifies how exams in foreign jurisdictions could be equivalent to the NCEES FE exam. The committee came up

with a partial list of what the form would ask including that the exams must be independently proctored & graded, given through a government agency or recognized NGO, and that the subject matter is equivalent to the subject matter covered on the NCEES FE exam. This information would have to be obtained by the applicant and reviewed by the EQC before any licensing eligibility decisions are reached.

• FE Waiver discussion and determine if RCW changes are needed