

**HB 1402 - DIGEST**

Revises the state building code act by adding to the list of purposes for the act as follows: (1) To foster innovation; and

(2) To aid in demonstrating compliance with adopted codes by ensuring that materials, building products, methods of construction, designs, and systems receiving a listing or evaluation from a product certification agency is an acceptable method that demonstrates compliance with the requirements of the code or standard.

Authorizes a product certification agency to certify building materials, products, methods of construction, designs, and systems for modern technical methods, devices, products, and improvements.

Requires the certification to include a listing of the acceptance criteria referenced in the evaluation or listing report.