

## Task Group 1

### Chapter 10 Operation, Maintenance and Building Owner Education

PC #	Log ID	Full Name Company Jurisdiction Entity Represented	Section Number Requested Action	Comment	Proposed Resolution	TG Action	Reason
PC 001	743	Susan Gitlin US Environmental Protection Agency US Environmental Protection Agency	1002.1 Training of Building Owners Revise as follows	We are glad to see that recycling practices was added to the training topics. Proper handling of refrigerant-containing appliances in particular should be mentioned. Common refrigerants and insulating foam found in refrigerators and freezers are not only ozone-depleting but are also powerful greenhouse gases. For example, the refrigerant CFC-12 has more than 10,000 times the effect of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere. Further, releasing 1 pound of CFC-11 from the foam in a refrigerator is equivalent to releasing 4,750 pounds of carbon dioxide. Ensuring proper recovery and handling of refrigerant and appliance foam results in benefits to the ozone layer and climate system.			