## Appendix A: BEAP Certification Exam Blueprint

|  |        | Complexity Level and<br>Number of Items |          |        |  |
|--|--------|---|----------|--------|--|
| Building Energy Assessment Professional<br>Certification Examination Content Outline | Recall | Application                             | Analysis | TOTALS |  |
| 1. Communicating With Stakeholders   | 2      | 2                                       | 1        | 5      |  |
| A. Identify the owner's project team.  |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| B. Review the scope and process with the client.                                     |        |   |          | 4      |  |
| 2. Developing The Action Plan  | 3      | 3                                       | 1        | 7      |  |
| A. Conduct pre-audit activities.   |        |   |          | 2      |  |
| B. Generate preliminary list of systems and assemblies to be audited.                |        |   |          | 2      |  |
| C. Determine audit tools and forms.  |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| D. Determine project schedule.   |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| E. Identify safety and access requirements of the facility.                          |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| 3. Conducting Pre-Site Visit Data Collection Activities                              | 1      | 2                                       | 1        | 4      |  |
| A. Obtain utility information.   |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| B. Obtain facility data from point of contact.                                       |        |   |          | 1      |  |
| C. Gather historical weather data.   |        |   |          | 2      |  |
| 4. Collecting Data On-Site   | 7      | 10                                      | 4        | 21     |  |
| A. Obtain information from facility staff.   |        |   |          | 2      |  |
| B. Obtain information from facility occupants.                                       |        |   |          | 2      |  |
| C. Assess the building envelope.   |        |   |          | 7      |  |
| D. Assess building systems and components.   |        |   |          | 10     |  |
| 5. Analyzing Building Performance Data   | 9      | 11                                      | 5        | 25     |  |
| A. Establish energy and cost baseline.   |        |   |          | 6      |  |
| B. Establish benchmarks.   |        |   |          | 6      |  |
| C. Disaggregate the energy end use breakdown.  |        |   |          | 13     |  |
| 6. Identifying Opportunities For Improving Building Performance                      | 10     | 14                                      | 6        | 30     |  |
| A. Identify deviations from best practices.  |        |   |          | 6      |  |
| B. Determine energy impact of each measure.  |        |   |          | 10     |  |
| C. Estimate implementation cost.   |        |   |          | 4      |  |
| D. Conduct an economic analysis.   |        |   |          | 10     |  |
| 7. Producing The Deliverable   | 3      | 3                                       | 2        | 8      |  |
| A. Write a summary audit report.   |        |   |          | 8      |  |
| TOTAL  | 35     | 45                                      | 20       | 100    |  |