

Facility Planning and Control
State of Louisiana
Division of Administration

JOHN BEL EDWARDS
GOVERNOR



JAY DARDENNE
COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION

April 11, 2017

The Honorable Senator John A. Alario, Jr.
President of the Senate
State of Louisiana
P.O. Box 94183
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9183

Re: **NOTICE OF INTENT**
Office of the Governor
Division of Administration
Facility Planning and Control
Capital Improvement Projects (LAC 34:III, Chapter 1 Subchapter A.)

Dear Senator Alario:

This will constitute our **Second Report to the Oversight Committees**. This Notice of Intent was published in the March 20, 2017 issue, pages 572-573, of the Louisiana Register.

This rule change was the result of a review by Facility Planning and Control of the editions of the codes specified by R.S. 40:1722 and the most recent editions of these codes. This review has led to the determination that new editions of these codes will provide a higher standard than the currently referenced edition. Facility Planning and Control is, therefore, establishing the appropriate editions of these codes as standards.

Facility Planning and Control has received no comments and therefore has not conducted a public hearing pursuant to R.S. 49:953 (A) (2), consequently there is no testimony to report.

Facility Planning and Control has made no changes to the rule.

A copy of the rule as published in the Louisiana Register on the reference date is included below.

Subject to legislative oversight by either the House or Senate, Facility Planning and Control intends to submit a Rule to the Office of the State Register for publication. If you need any further information please contact me at 342-2069 or mark.bell@la.gov

RULE

Title 34

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS, PROCUREMENT AND PROPERTY CONTROL

Part III. Facility Planning and Control

Chapter 1. Capital Improvement Projects

Sub Chapter A. Procedure Manual

§131. Louisiana Building Code

A. RS 40:1722 establishes the Louisiana Building Code and directs that the following codes be established as the standards as minimum standards for this code. These codes shall be established as constituting the code in the editions indicated:

1. the *Life Safety Code*, Standard 101, 2015 Edition as published by the National Fire Protection Association;
2. the *International Plumbing Code*, 2015 Edition as published by the International Code Council and amended by R.S. 40:1730.28.1;
3. the *International Building Code*, 2015 Edition as published by the International Code Council, not including Chapter 1, Administration, Chapter 11, Accessibility, and Chapter 27, Electrical;
4. the *International Mechanical Code*, 2015 Edition as published by the International Code Council;
5. the *National Electric Code* (NFPA No. 70) 2014 Edition as published by the National Fire Protection Association.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 39:1410.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Office of the Governor, Division of Administration, Facility Planning and Control, LR 8:473 (September 1982), amended LR 11:849 (September 1985), LR 33:2649 (December 2007), LR 37:3260 (November 2011), LR 39:86 (January 2013), LR 39:2493 (September 2013), effective on January 1, 2014, LR 43:

Sincerely,



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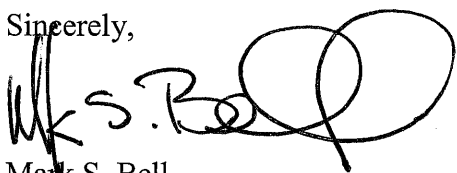
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