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ANTHONY P. CAPUTO CHAIRMAN

AGENDA

Date: Thursday December 5, 2019

Time: 1:00 pm

Place: Department of Fire Services, Stow, MA

Statutory Public Hearing

- 1. Open Hearing and member introductions.
- 2. Receipt of comments or petitions for changes to the Massachusetts Electrical Code, 527 CMR 12.00.
- 3. Adjourn the hearing.

Open Monthly Board Meeting

- 1. Members introductions
- 2. Minutes from the September 19, 2019 meeting submitted for approval.
- 3. Minutes from the October 8, 2019 statutory public hearing for approval.

New Business

- 1. Request for interpretation relative to 527 CMR 1.00:13.7.5.1.2 (wireless smoke and CO devices) received from James Mailloux on September 18, 2019.
- 2. Information received from the Town of Ludlow, MA as required by M.G.L. c.148 s. 9 relative to storage permit fees.
- 3. Request for interpretation relative to article 300.5(J) received from Mr. Coleman Costello on October 2, 2019.
- 4. Code committee membership review.

Old Business

- 1. Committee/Reports
 - a. Administrative Code Committee (No Meetings)
 - b. General Requirements Code Committee (No Meetings)

- c. Occupancy Code Committee (No Meetings)
- d. Processing Code Committee (No Meetings)
- e. Equipment Code Committee (No Meetings)
- f. Hazardous Code Committee (No Meetings)
- g. Electrical Code Committee
 - (1) Two communications from Frederic P. Hartwell, President of Hartwell Electrical Services, Inc. regarding the Board of Electricians' case BEA-18-00006-AP Appeals (Tabled)
 - (2) Requesting the Superior Court to remand this matter, in order that it be allowed to reopen with respect to streetlights in the Town of Millis for further proceedings not inconsistent with its position on the extent to which 527 CMR 12 applies to municipal street lighting. (**Tabled**)
 - (3) Requesting the following interpretation, does the conversion of ownership of a luminaire installed pursuant to c. 164 §34A and made subject to "an alternative tariff approved by the department" result in the luminaire becoming subject to provisions in the National Electrical Code as it applies in Massachusetts? (**Tabled**)
 - (4) Communication from the Executive Director Board of State Electrical Examiners requesting no action on Mr. Hartwell's communication until pending litigation is resolved. (**Tabled**)
 - (5) Request for interpretation relative to article 250.140 received from Mr. Sandy Mclardy on September 12, 2019.
- 2. Discussion regarding electrical code public hearing and promulgation timelines
- 3. Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair