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AGENDA

Date: Thursday, April 11, 2019
Time: 1:00 pm
Place: Department of Fire Services, Stow, MA

Monthly Board Meeting

1. Chairman to open the meeting.
2. Minutes from the January 10, 2019 meeting submitted for approval.

New Business

1. Staff overview of proposed amendment package for 527 CMR 1.00 *Massachusetts Comprehensive Fire Safety Code*

Old Business

2. Committee/ Reports
 - a. Administrative Code Committee
 - i. March 21, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - b. General Requirements Code Committee
 - i. February 8, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - ii. March 14, 2019 draft meeting minutes.
 - iii. April 10, 2019 draft meeting minutes.
 - c. Occupancy Code Committee
 - i. February 11, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - d. Processing Code Committee
 - i. March 11, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - e. Equipment Code Committee
 - i. February 22, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - f. Hazardous Code Committee
 - i. February 26, 2019 approved meeting minutes.
 - ii. March 14, 2019 draft meeting minutes.
 - iii. April 10, 2019 draft meeting minutes.
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a. 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
 - i. 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.
 - ii. 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?
- (2) Communication from the Executive Director Board of State Electrical Examiners requesting no action on Mr. Hartwell's communication until pending litigation is resolved.

3. Items not reasonably anticipated by the Chair

The next meeting of the Board of Fire Prevention Regulations will be held on Thursday, May 2, 2019 at 1:00 pm at the Department of Fire Services, Boards and Commissions Room, Stow, MA.

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