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**NOTICE OF MEETING**

In accordance with the provisions of G.L. c. 30A § 20, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the *Fire Protection Fire Prevention Committee (FPFP) of the Board of Building Regulations and Standards* will be held on:

May 19, 2021 beginning @ 9 am and ending @ approximately Noon.

*virtual meeting (see next page)*

*It is anticipated that the topics shown below will be discussed at the aforementioned meeting:*

**Roll Call.**

Robert Carasitti, Chair       present    absent  
Dave LeBlanc                     present    absent  
Commissioner DPL designee    present    absent  
Paul Donga                       present    absent  
Fredrick L. Tustin               present    absent

Louise Vera                       present    absent  
<Architect -Vacant>             present    absent  
Fire Marshal designee         present    absent  
Joseph Castronovo             present    absent

**Agenda:**

1. Review Draft Meeting Minutes from April 28, 2021 Meeting.
2. **FPFP Task #21-002.C9** - Review of 2021 IBC Chapter 9 for the 10<sup>th</sup> Edition of 780 CMR
3. **FPFP Tasks #21-002.C4, C14, C26 & C34.** Review for conflicts and recommendations on fire protection criteria in the following:
  - a. 2021 IBC Chapter 4 (FPFP Task #21-002.C4)
  - b. 2021 IBC fire protection provisions for exterior walls in Chapters 14 & 26 (FPFP Task #21-002.C14 & C26).
  - c. 2021 IEBC fire protection provisions and Chapter 34 Committee review conclusions for conflicts or recommendations (FPFP Task #21-002.C34).
4. Discuss other matters not reasonably anticipated 48 hours in advance of meeting.



**FPFP Task #21-001. - Tabled until Further Notice.**

Follow up efforts on the use of fire testing standards not referenced in 780 CMR. Workshop on developing methodology for use by designers and officials in reviewing nonprescriptive approaches as follows:

- a.* New Construction - Modifications 780 CMR 104.10,
- b.* New Construction - Alternate Materials, Design and Methods of Construction and Equipment 780 CMR 104.11,
- c.* Existing Buildings - Modifications 780 CMR, Chapter 34 104.10,
- d.* Existing Buildings - Compliance Alternatives in accordance with 780 CMR Chapter 34, Section 104.11

**\*\*\* Public Comments\*\*\***

The public is welcome to make comments during the meeting if recognized by the chair. Please note all members of the public providing verbal comments during the meeting are required to submit the comments in writing within 7 days subsequent to the meeting.

Written comments may also be provided in advance of the meeting (preferably a week in advance). This request is necessary in order for committee members to have enough time to review in advance of the discussion.

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