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**BOARD OF STATE EXAMINERS OF
PLUMBERS AND GAS FITTERS
GAS CODE REVIEW SUB-COMMITTEE
MINUTES**

January 10, 2024

Participants

PARTICIPANTS	APPOINTMENT	PRESENT	ABSENT
Mr. Joseph McNamee	Chairman, Master Gas Fitter	X	
Mr. John Cruz	Member, LP Installer	X	
Mr. Joseph V. Waskiewicz	Member, Master Plumber	X	
Mr. Wayne Thomas	Member Journeyman Gasfitter	X	
Mr. Joseph Peluso	Participant, Master Plumber	X	
STAFF			
Mr. Charles Kilb	Board Legal Counsel	X	
Mr. Kenneth Peterson	Executive Director	X	
Mr. Michael Guida	Board Code Consultant	X	

AGENDA REVIEW:

By Chairman Joseph McNamee

- 1- Sub-Committee meeting times/dates
- 2- Scope of Review, Review Process
- 3- Code Review of 248 CMR 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, and 8.00

The chair called the subcommittee to order at 2:00 p.m. The chair commenced the meeting by indicating that the participants should select a base model code. The committee members noted that the existing code utilized the 2012 edition of NFPA 54 and 58. Counsel indicated that the members should consider how these codes have been changed over the years, and should also consider if there are any other codes worth considering, such as NFPA 2 for hydrogen, as well as codes referenced in 248 CMR 7.00, which include NFPA 84, and NFPA 85. As part of this, counsel distributed a link provided by NFPA to allow free public access to its code online.

Members agreed to generally review these codes for the next meeting. No formal action taken.

Board members discussed scheduling and generally indicated a virtual meeting should be planned for January 18, at 1 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

At 2:37 p.m. a motion was made by JC and seconded by JW to adjourn.
Results: Unanimously approved.

Items relied upon

Agenda