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Prior to adoption and gubernatorial/legislative review of a proposed PERMANENT rulemaking action, an agency must publish a Notice of Rulemaking Intent in the *Register*. In addition, an agency may publish a Notice of Rulemaking Intent in the *Register* prior to adoption of a proposed EMERGENCY or PREEMPTIVE rulemaking action.

A Notice of Rulemaking Intent announces a comment period, or a comment period and public hearing, and provides other information about the intended rulemaking action as required by law, including where copies of proposed rules may be obtained.

For additional information on Notices of Rulemaking Intent, see 75 O.S., Section 303.

TITLE 25. OKLAHOMA AERONAUTICS COMMISSION CHAPTER 15. OAC GRANT PROGRAM

[OAR Docket #20-14]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

25:15-1-2. Definitions [AMENDED]

25:15-1-3. Planning [AMENDED]

25:15-1-4. Programming Implementation Airport Grant Program Requirements and Procedures [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed permanent rules will modify the definition of Airport Layout Plan/Drawing and add the definition for Project Sketch. It will also alphabetize the already established definitions. A change made to planning will identify the letter of interest requirement for a projects potential inclusion into the Airport Construction Program. Changes made to programming implementation include a signatory requirement when an airport's administration and/or operation is performed by a Trust and clarifying language regarding the type of account a sponsor's share of a project must be deposited in. The amendments will allow staff to consider line-item change orders. The amendments will allow for inclusion of engineering costs incurred pursuant to submitting a completed grant application. The amendments will stipulate the Engineer-of-record is to sign the tabulation of all bids. The amendments will clarify the documentation requirements for reimbursement requests and the Commission's obligation until a satisfactory financial report is completed by the Commission.

All of these changes to the permanent rules are to help clarify and ensure efficiency with the Commission's airport grant program. More specifically, we want our airport grant administration processes to be easily understood by those airports and communities we provide grant funding to across the State of Oklahoma.

AUTHORITY:

3 O.S. Section 85; Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so from February 4, 2020, through March 6, 2020, at the following address: Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102, or by email to mbouziden@oac.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, March 9, 2020, at the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N. Robinson Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73102. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 9:05 a.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained from the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102 after February 4, 2020. The proposed rules will also be available on the OAC website at <https://oac.ok.gov>.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 3 O.S. Section 85, a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission at the above address beginning Monday, February 10, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Michelle Bouziden, Grants Administrator, Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N. Robinson, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102, mbouziden@oac.ok.gov (405) 604-6912.

[OAR Docket #20-14; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 25. OKLAHOMA AERONAUTICS COMMISSION CHAPTER 40. WIND ENERGY REGULATIONS

[OAR Docket #20-13]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 1. General Provisions [NEW]

25:40-1-1 [NEW]

25:40-1-2 [NEW]

Subchapter 3. Submittal Requirements for Federal Aviation Administration and Department of Defense Documentation [NEW]

25:40-3-1 [NEW]

25:40-3-2 [NEW]

Subchapter 5. Aeronautics Commission actions to the Oklahoma Strategic Military Planning Commission [NEW]

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25:40-5-1 [NEW]

SUMMARY:

The permanent rule will set the requirements and procedures to be followed as a result of House Bill (HB) 2118. This legislation provided requirements for wind energy companies to submit documentation to the Aeronautics Commission prior to the construction of wind turbines and other structures associated with wind energy facilities. The substance of these rules will detail the submittal timelines, methods, and documentation for wind energy companies to comply with HB2118 as well as further action required by the Aeronautics Commission to other state agencies

AUTHORITY:

17 O.S. Section 160.20 and 160.21; Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so from February 4, 2020, through March 6, 2020, at the following address: Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102, or by email to mbouziden@oac.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, March 9, 2020, at the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 10:05 a.m.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The OAC requests that business entities, if the proposed rules affect such entities, to provide to the Commission in writing, a description of the probable quantitative (costs) and qualitative impact of the proposed rules, economic or otherwise, using quantifiable data to the extent possible, taking into account both short-term and long-term consequences.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained from the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N Robinson Ave, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102 after February 4, 2020. The proposed rules will also be available on the OAC website at <https://oac.ok.gov>.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 17 O.S. Section 160.20 and 160.21, a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission at the above address beginning Monday, February 10, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Michelle Bouziden, Grants Administrator, Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission, 110 N. Robinson, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73102, mbouziden@oac.ok.gov (405) 604-6912.

[OAR Docket #20-13; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 185. CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION BOARD CHAPTER 10. CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION PROGRAM

[OAR Docket #20-9]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Chapter 10. Crime Victims Compensation Program
[AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed revisions to the APR are mostly nonsubstantive and should have little, if any, impact on the regulatory agencies. The rules affected by the changes relate to Oklahoma Crime Victims Compensation Act 21 O.S. 142.1. The rule changes will waive filing deadlines for good cause and will remove restrictive language on crime scene clean up.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma District Attorneys Council; Oklahoma Crime Victims Compensation Act, 21 O.S. 142.1.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to submit written comments must do so by March 4, 2020 by 5:00 P.M. to Tina Harman at the District Attorneys Council, 421 N.W. 13th St., Ste. 290, Oklahoma City, OK 73103.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A hearing is not scheduled. Interested parties may demand a hearing by submitting written comments to the Oklahoma Crime Victims Compensation Board by March 4, 2020 by 5:00 p.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

N/A

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be requested or obtained for review at the District Attorneys Council, Victim Services Division, 421 N.W. 13th St., Ste. 290, OKC, OK, 73103, 405-264-5006.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., section 303(D), a rule impact statement will be available February 3, 2020, and may be obtained from the District Attorneys Council, Victim Services Division at the above address.

CONTACT PERSON:

Tina Harman, Public Information Officer, 405-264-5006.

[OAR Docket #20-9; filed 1-6-20]

**TITLE 325. OKLAHOMA HORSE RACING COMMISSION
CHAPTER 80. GAMING LICENSING REQUIREMENTS**

[OAR Docket #20-10]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 1. General Provisions
325:80-1-2 [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 13. Requirements for Key Executive License or Gaming Employee License and Amendments to Any Employee License
325:80-13-6 [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 15. Requirements for Independent Testing Laboratory License
325:80-15-1 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule amendments revise definitions; provide for revocation of certain licenses upon termination of employee; and change date for renewal of certain license applications.

AUTHORITY:

3A O.S. § 200 et seq.; Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit written comments to Kambi Maddy at kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, P.O. Box 528804, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73152-8804 during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 10:15 a.m., Monday, March 9, 2020, in the ODAFF Board Room, located at the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Kambi Maddy at the address listed above during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained by visiting app.ag.ok.gov/proposedrules/ or by contacting Kambi Maddy at the address listed above.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement is available at the address listed above.

CONTACT PERSON:

Kambi Maddy, (405) 522-5803, e-mail address: kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-10; filed 1-7-20]

**TITLE 325. OKLAHOMA HORSE RACING COMMISSION
CHAPTER 85. GAMING MACHINE SPECIFICATIONS AND USE AND OPERATION REQUIREMENTS**

[OAR Docket #20-11]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 1. General Provisions
325:85-1-2 [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 15. Use and Operation Requirements Applicable to Electronic Amusement Games, Electronic Bonanza-Style Bingo Games and Electronic Instant Bingo Games
325:85-15-14 [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 20. Use and Operation Requirements Applicable to Compact Electronic Games and Non-Compact Electronic Games
325:85-20-6 [AMENDED]
- Subchapter 25. Transportation, Receipt, Installation and Disposal of Gaming Machines
325:85-25-2 [AMENDED]
325:85-25-3 [AMENDED]
325:85-25-4 [AMENDED]
325:85-25-5 [AMENDED]
325:85-25-6 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule amendments revise definitions; clarify language; modify requirements for transportation, delivery, and removal of gaming machines; and conform language.

AUTHORITY:

3A O.S. § 200 et seq.; Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit written comments to Kambi Maddy at kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, P.O. Box 528804, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73152-8804 during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, March 9, 2020, in the ODAFF Board Room, located at the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar

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amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Kambi Maddy at the address listed above during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained by visiting app.ag.ok.gov/proposedrules/ or by contacting Kambi Maddy at the address listed above.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement is available at the address listed above.

CONTACT PERSON:

Kambi Maddy, (405) 522-5803, e-mail address: at kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-11; filed 1-7-20]

TITLE 325. OKLAHOMA HORSE RACING COMMISSION CHAPTER 90. GAMING OPERATIONS

[OAR Docket #20-12]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 5. Unresolved Patron Disputes
325:90-5-1 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rule amendments increase dollar amount of patron disputes to be resolved by Gaming Agent; require certain records to be provided in certain patron disputes; and update language.

AUTHORITY:

3A O.S. § 200 et seq.; Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit written comments to Kambi Maddy at kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, P.O. Box 528804, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73152-8804 during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 10:45 a.m., Monday, March 9, 2020, in the ODAFF Board Room, located at the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry, 2800 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules.

Business entities may submit this information in writing to Kambi Maddy at the address listed above during the period beginning February 3, 2020, and ending March 9, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of proposed rules may be obtained by visiting app.ag.ok.gov/proposedrules/ or by contacting Kambi Maddy at the address listed above.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement is available at the address listed above.

CONTACT PERSON:

Kambi Maddy, (405) 522-5803, e-mail address: at kambi.maddy@ag.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-12; filed 1-7-20]

TITLE 405. OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARIES CHAPTER 10. PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEMS

[OAR Docket #20-1]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 5. Library System Reporting and Development
405:10-5-2. Annual audit and inventory [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The Department proposes to amend OAC 405:10-5-2 in order to raise the dollar amount of the cost of equipment, from \$100 to \$1,000, that must be included in the inventory of a Library System. The inventory is required for annual audits.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Department of Libraries Board; 65 O.S. §2-106(m)

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments will be accepted through March 4, 2020 at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, Attn: Jan Davis, or by email to jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 4, 2020, at the offices of the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, in the South Conference Room, second floor, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 9:05 a.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The Department requests that business entities affected by these proposed rules provide the Department, within the comment period and in dollar amounts if possible, the increase or decrease in the level of direct costs such as fees and the indirect costs such as reporting, record keeping, equipment, construction, labor professional services, revenue loss, or

other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Jan Davis, at the above addresses, before the close of the comment period on March 4, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the contact person, may be viewed on the Department of Libraries website at: libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ or may be viewed at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

The Rule Impact Statement for the proposed rules will be on file at the Department of Libraries and may be requested from the contact person, or viewed on the Department of Libraries website at libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ on and after February 3, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Jan Davis, Rules Liaison, (405) 522-3191, jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #20-1; filed 1-2-20]

**TITLE 405. OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARIES
CHAPTER 30. DISTRIBUTION OF MAILING LABELS**

[OAR Docket #20-2]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking
PROPOSED RULES:

- 405:30-1-1. Purpose [REVOKED]
- 405:30-1-2. Mailing label distribution [REVOKED]

SUMMARY:

The Department proposes to revoke OAC 405:30-1-1 and OAC 405:30-1-2 as the Department no longer produces mailing labels from an automated list and no longer provides mailing labels to other groups.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Department of Libraries Board; 65 O.S. §2-106(m)

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments will be accepted through March 4, 2020 at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, Attn: Jan Davis, or by email to jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 4, 2020, at the offices of the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, in the South Conference Room, second floor, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 9:05 a.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The Department requests that business entities affected by these proposed rules provide the Department, within the comment period and in dollar amounts if possible, the increase or decrease in the level of direct costs such as fees and the indirect costs such as reporting, record keeping, equipment, construction, labor professional services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Jan Davis, at the above addresses, before the close of the comment period on March 4, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the contact person, may be viewed on the Department of Libraries website at: libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ or may be viewed at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

The Rule Impact Statement for the proposed rules will be on file at the Department of Libraries and may be requested from the contact person, or viewed on the Department of Libraries website at libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ on and after February 3, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Jan Davis, Rules Liaison, (405) 522-3191, jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #20-2; filed 1-2-20]

**TITLE 405. OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARIES
CHAPTER 35. FEES**

[OAR Docket #20-3]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking
PROPOSED RULES:

- 405:35-1-2. Fee schedule [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The Department proposes to amend OAC 405:35-1-2 in order to remove fees for services that are no longer provided by the Department.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Department of Libraries Board; 65 O.S. §2-106(m)

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written comments will be accepted through March 4, 2020 at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, Attn: Jan Davis, or by email to jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov.

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PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 4, 2020, at the offices of the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, in the South Conference Room, second floor, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 9:05 a.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The Department requests that business entities affected by these proposed rules provide the Department, within the comment period and in dollar amounts if possible, the increase or decrease in the level of direct costs such as fees and the indirect costs such as reporting, record keeping, equipment, construction, labor professional services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Jan Davis, at the above addresses, before the close of the comment period on March 4, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the contact person, may be viewed on the Department of Libraries website at: libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ or may be viewed at the Oklahoma Department of Libraries, 200 N.E. 18th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

The Rule Impact Statement for the proposed rules will be on file at the Department of Libraries and may be requested from the contact person, or viewed on the Department of Libraries website at libraries.ok.gov/proposed-rules/ beginning February 3, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Jan Davis, Rules Liaison, (405) 522-3191, jan.davis@libraries.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #20-3; filed 1-2-20]

TITLE 605. OKLAHOMA REAL ESTATE COMMISSION CHAPTER 10. REQUIREMENTS, STANDARDS AND PROCEDURES

[OAR Docket #20-24]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 3. Education and Examination Requirements

605:10-3-2 [AMENDED]

605:10-3-7 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 5. Instructor and Entity Requirements and Standards

605:10-5-1 [AMENDED]

605:10-5-2 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 7. Licensing Procedures and Options

605:10-7-2 [AMENDED]

605:10-7-9 [AMENDED]

605:10-7-10 [AMENDED]

605:10-7-11 [NEW]

Subchapter 9. Broker's Operational Procedures

605:10-9-3.2 [AMENDED]

605:10-9-5 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 11. Associate's Licensing Procedures

605:10-11-2 [AMENDED]

605:10-11-3 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed amendments to Subchapter 3 remove superseded requirements for good moral character, submission of a photograph with applications, modifies post-license continued education requirements and adds a one-time application processing fee.

The proposed amendments to Subchapter 5 reduce the fees for entities seeking approval of a continuing education course, increase the fee for instructor applications and clarifies language related to guest instructors.

The proposed amendments to Subchapter 7 increase license fees, clarifies requirements for certain brokers seeking reinstatement or activation of a license, and incorporates all current licensure options for active duty military and military spouse applicants.

The new Section 605:10-7-11 codifies and incorporates newly implemented laws requiring state agencies to keep a transparent list of felony crimes which disqualify an applicant upon conviction, and provides applicants with the means to request an initial determination from the agency as well as an appeals process.

The proposed amendments to Subchapters 9 and 11 modify the fee for changing information which requires issuance of a new license and provides that team members must hold an active license and that sales associates must only register one entity for the purpose of receiving compensation.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Real Estate Commission; 59 O.S., § 858-208.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to make written or comments may do so in person, by mail, or by email through March 5, 2020 at: Oklahoma Real Estate Commission, 1915 North Stiles Ave., Suite #200, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, or Grant@orec.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held to provide a means by which persons may offer oral input on the content of the proposed rules: 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, March 11, 2020 at the Oklahoma Real Estate Commission, 1915 North Stiles Ave., Suite #200, Oklahoma City, OK 73105.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed

rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing by 5:00 p.m., March 5, 2020, at the Oklahoma Real Estate Commission, 1915 North Stiles Ave., Suite #200, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, or Grant@orec.ok.gov.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Interested persons may request copies of the proposed rules at the Oklahoma Real Estate Commission, 1915 North Stiles Ave., Suite #200, Oklahoma City, OK 73105.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. Section 303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and will be available in the Oklahoma Real Estate Commission office at the address listed above and on the Board's website at orec.ok.gov after January 12, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Grant Cody, Deputy Director, (405) 521-3387, grant@orec.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #20-24; filed 1-8-20]

**TITLE 710. OKLAHOMA TAX COMMISSION
CHAPTER 65. SALES AND USE TAX**

[OAR Docket #20-23]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Chapter 65. Sales and Use Tax [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

As part of the Commission's ongoing review of its rules, many proposed amendments to the existing rules have been made to implement recent legislation. All legislative references are to the First Regular Session of the 57th Legislature (2019) unless otherwise indicated.

Section 710:65-7-15 has been amended to update references to entities which receive certification of a specific statutory sales tax exemption for purposes of documenting a vendor's relief from liability to collect sales tax.

Section 710:65-13-158 has been amended to implement the provisions of SB 18 which expanded the meaning of sales and leases for purposes of the sales tax exemption for rolling stock sales. [68:1357(41)]

Sections 710:65-13-169, 710:65-13-170, 710:65-13-171, 710:65-13-173 have been amended and new Section 710:65-19-316 has been added to implement the provisions of HB 1262 which exempted from the sales tax levy, sales of medical equipment including prosthetic devices, durable medical equipment and mobility enhancing equipment when administered, distributed or prescribed by a practitioner, who is authorized by law to administer distribute or prescribe such items. [68:1357.6]

New Section 710:65-13-366 has been adopted to implement the provisions of HB 2530 which affords a sales tax exemption to organizations which are exempt from taxation pursuant

26 U.S.C., Section 501(c)(3), who are official members of the Fab Lab Network in compliance with the Fab Charter as verified by a letter from the MIT Fab Foundation and whose primary and principal purpose is to provide community access to advanced 21st century manufacturing and digital fabrication tools for science, technology, engineering, art and math ("STEAM") learning skills, developing inventions, creating and sustaining businesses and producing personalized products. [68:1356(80)]

New Section 710:65-13-367 has been adopted to implement the provisions of HB 1003 which granted a sales tax exemption to the American Legion. [68:1356(79)]

Other sections may be amended to clarify policy, improve readability, correct scrivener's errors, remove obsolete language, update statutory citation, and ensure accurate internal cross-references.

AUTHORITY:

68 O.S. § 203; Oklahoma Tax Commission

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so before 4:30 p.m. on March 4, 2020, at the following address: Lisa Haws, Tax Policy and Research Division, Oklahoma Tax Commission, 2501 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, OK 73194, or lhaws@tax.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 5, 2020, at the Oklahoma Tax Commission, 2501 North Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in the Conference Room on the 4th floor. Those wishing to make oral comments at the public hearing should request placement on the docket well in advance of the hearing date by calling Lakesha Mackie at (405) 521-3133. Time limitations may be imposed on oral presentations to ensure that all persons who have filed written requests for placement on the docket will have an opportunity to speak.

In order to facilitate entry into the building, those wishing to appear should contact Lakesha Mackie at (405) 521-3133 at least 24 hours prior to the hearing date to complete their visitor pre-registration. Entry to the M.C. Connors' building must be made through the doors located on the east side of the building. In order to gain access to the 4th floor hearing room, attendees must register at the information desk in the lobby by presenting a driver license or other photo identification. A name badge and floor access card will be issued once registration is completed.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Although nothing in this rulemaking action has been determined to adversely impact small business, the Oklahoma Tax Commission (OTC) requests that, pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(B)(6), business entities affected by these rules provide the OTC, within the comment period, in dollar amounts, if possible, information on any increase in direct costs, such as fees, and indirect costs, such as those associated with reporting, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional

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services, revenue loss, or other costs expected to be incurred by a particular entity due to compliance with the proposed rules.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the Oklahoma Tax Commission, Tax Policy Division, 5th floor, M. C. Connors Building, 2501 North Lincoln Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. The proposed rules are also available on the OTC website at www.tax.ok.gov.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a Rule Impact Statement will be prepared and available for review from the same source listed above for obtaining copies of proposed rules on and after the date of publication of this Notice of Rulemaking Intent.

CONTACT PERSON:

Lisa R. Haws, Agency Liaison, 405-521-3133, lhaws@tax.ok.gov

[OAR Docket #20-23; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 725. OKLAHOMA TOURISM AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT CHAPTER 35. THE OKLAHOMA FILM AND MUSIC OFFICE

[OAR Docket #20-25]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 1. Oklahoma Film Enhancement Rebate Program

725:35-1-1. Purpose [AMENDED]

725:35-1-2. Definitions [AMENDED]

725:35-1-3. Program requirements and qualification [AMENDED]

725:35-1-4. Items not eligible for rebate [AMENDED]

725:35-1-5. Procedures for submission and review of rebate claims [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed revisions amend the rules to account for High-Impact Production designation under revisions to the Statutes done in the 2019 legislative session. The proposed revisions provide for a streamlined review process for the Oklahoma Film and Music Office by having a more thorough review done by a Certified Public Accountant and clarify language.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department; 74 O.S. § 2204.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so before 4:30pm on March 4, 2020, at the following address: Brett Thomas, Deputy General Counsel, 900 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73104; or at Brett.Thomas@TravelOK.com

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing will be held at 3:00 p.m. on March 5, 2020, at the Oklahoma Department of Commerce Building located at 900 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73104. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 2:45 p.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing through March 4, 2020 at the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department, 900 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73104, Attn: Brett Thomas, or by email to Brett.Thomas@TravelOK.com.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from online at otr.travelok.com, or hard copies may be requested by mail or in person at Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department, 900 N. Stiles, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73107, Attn: Brett Thomas, or emailed to Brett.Thomas@TravelOK.com.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S., §3030(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department at the above address beginning February 17, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Brett Thomas, Deputy General Counsel, (405) 522-9575 or Brett.Thomas@TravelOK.com.

[OAR Docket #20-25; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-15]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 1. IBC® 2015

748:20-1-1. Adoption of International Building Code®, 2015 Edition (IBC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-1]

748:20-1-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-2]

748:20-1-3. IBC® 2015 and Other Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-3]

748:20-1-4. IBC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-4]

- 748:20-1-5. IBC® 2015 Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-5]
- 748:20-1-6. IBC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-6]
- 748:20-1-8. IBC® 2015 Chapter 3 Use and Occupancy Classification [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-8]
- 748:20-1-9. IBC® 2015 Chapter 4 Special Detailed Requirements Based on Use and Occupancy [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-9]
- 748:20-1-11. IBC® 2015 Chapter 9 Fire Protection Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-14]
- 748:20-1-12. IBC® 2015 Chapter 10 Means of Egress [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-15]
- 748:20-1-13. IBC® 2015 Chapter 16 Structural Design [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-21]
- 748:20-1-14. IBC® 2015 Chapter 18 Soils and Foundations [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-23]
- 748:20-1-15. IBC® 2015 Chapter 29 Plumbing Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-34]
- 748:20-1-16. IBC® 2015 Chapter 32 Encroachments into the Public Right-of-Way [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-37]
- 748:20-1-18. IBC® 2015 Chapter 35 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-2-40]
- 748:20-1-19. Appendix N, Supplemental Storm Shelter Requirements [REVOKED]
- Subchapter 2. IBC® 2018 [NEW]
- 748:20-2-1. Adoption of the International Building Code®, 2018 Edition (IBC® 2018) [NEW]
- 748:20-2-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-2-3. IBC® 2018 and other Appendices [NEW]
- 748:20-2-4. IBC® 2018 Provisions Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-2-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
- 748:20-2-6. IBC® 2018 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [NEW]
- 748:20-2-7. IBC® 2018 Chapter 2 Definitions [NEW]
- 748:20-2-8. IBC® 2018 Chapter 3 Use and Occupancy [NEW]
- 748:20-2-9. IBC® 2018 Chapter 4 Special Detailed Requirements Based on Use and Occupancy [NEW]
- 748:20-2-10. IBC® 2018 Chapter 5 General Building Heights and Areas [NEW]
- 748:20-2-11. IBC® Chapter 6 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-12. IBC® 2018 Chapter 7 Fire and Smoke Protection Features [NEW]
- 748:20-2-13. IBC® Chapter 8 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-14. IBC® 2018 Chapter 9 Fire Protection Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-2-15. IBC® 2018 Chapter 10 Means of Egress [NEW]
- 748:20-2-16. IBC® Chapter 11 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-17. IBC® Chapter 12 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-18. IBC® Chapter 13 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-19. IBC® Chapter 14 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-20. IBC® 2018 Chapter 15 Roof Assemblies and Rooftop Structures [NEW]
- 748:20-2-21. IBC® 2018 Chapter 16 Structural Design [NEW]
- 748:20-2-22. IBC® 2018 Chapter 17 Special Inspections and Tests [NEW]
- 748:20-2-23. IBC® 2018 Chapter 18 Soils and Finishes [NEW]
- 748:20-2-24. IBC® Chapter 19 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-25. IBC® Chapter 20 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-26. IBC® Chapter 21 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-27. IBC® Chapter 22 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-28. IBC® 2018 Chapter 23 Wood [NEW]
- 748:20-2-29. IBC® Chapter 24 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-30. IBC® Chapter 25 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-31. IBC® Chapter 26 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-32. IBC® 2018 Chapter 27 Electrical [NEW]
- 748:20-2-33. IBC® Chapter 28 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-34. IBC® 2018 Chapter 29 Plumbing Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-2-35. IBC® Chapter 30 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-36. IBC® 2018 Chapter 31 Special Construction [NEW]
- 748:20-2-37. IBC® 2018 Chapter 32 Encroachments into the Public Right-of-Way [NEW]
- 748:20-2-38. IBC® Chapter 33 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-39. IBC® Chapter 34 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-2-40. IBC® 2018 Chapter 35 Referenced Standards [NEW]
- SUMMARY:**
- 748:20-1-1., 748:20-1-2., 748:20-1-3., 748:20-1-4., 748:20-1-5., 748:20-1-6., 748:20-1-8., 748:20-1-9., 748:20-1-11., 748:20-1-12., 748:20-1-13., 748:20-1-14., 748:20-1-15., 748:20-1-16., and 748:20-1-18., have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 2 entitled "IBC® 2018." 748:20-1-19., has been revoked.
- 748:20-2-1., 748:20-2-2., 748:20-2-3., 748:20-2-4., and 748:20-2-5., adopt the IBC® 2018 edition without appendices and establishes the IBC® 2018 edition as the statewide minimum code for commercial building construction in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-2-6. adopts Chapter 1 of the IBC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-2-7., 748:20-2-8., 748:20-2-9., 748:20-2-10., 748:20-2-12., 748:20-2-14., 748:20-2-15., 748:20-2-20., 748:20-2-21., 748:20-2-22., 748:20-2-23., 748:20-2-28., 748:20-2-32., 748:20-2-34., 748:20-2-36., 748:20-2-37., and 748:20-2-40., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IBC® 2018 edition in Chapters 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 23, 27, 29, 31, 32, and 35, respectively.
- 748:20-2-11., 748:20-2-13., 748:20-2-16., 748:20-2-17., 748:20-2-18., 748:20-2-19., 748:20-2-24., 748:20-2-25.,

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748:20-2-26, 748:20-2-27, 748:20-2-29., 748:20-2-30., 784:20-2-31., 748:20-2-33., 748:20-2-35, 748:20-2-38., and 748:20-2-39., have been reserved for possible future changes to the IBC® in Chapters 6, 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 30, 33, and 34, respectively.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Written and oral comments will be accepted beginning Tuesday, February 4, 2020, and will be accepted through Friday, March 6, 2020, during regular business hours at the offices of the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission (the "OUBCC"). Written comments may be hand delivered to the OUBCC at, 2401 NW 23rd Street, Suite 2F, Oklahoma City, OK 73107 or may be mailed to the following address: Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission, P.O. Box 12540, Oklahoma City, OK 73157.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing on these proposed rules will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17, 2020 at a regular meeting of the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at 2401 NW 23rd Street, Suite 2F, Oklahoma City, OK 73107. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 1:35 p.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission requests that business entities affected by these proposed rules provide the OUBCC, within the comment period set forth and described above, in dollar amounts if possible, the increase in the level of direct costs, such as administrative fees, and the indirect costs such as report, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs that the business entity expects to incur due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Kathy Hehnlly at the above address, before the close of the comment period on Friday, March 6, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained from the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at: 2401 NW 23rd Street, Suite 2F, Oklahoma City, OK 73107, before the close of the comment period on Friday, March 6, 2020. Proposed rules can be found on the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission website at: http://www.ok.gov/oubcc/Codes_&_Rules/Proposed_Rules/index.html.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (D), a rule impact statement has been prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at the above physical address.

CONTACT PERSONS:

Billy Pope, Chief Executive Officer 405.521-6501

Kathy Hehnlly, Commission Secretary 405.521-6506

[OAR Docket #20-15; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-16]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 3. IFC® 2015

748:20-3-1. Adoption of International Fire Code®, 2015 Edition (IFC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-1]

748:20-3-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-2]

748:20-3-3. IFC® 2015 and Other Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-3]

748:20-3-4. IFC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-4]

748:20-3-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-5]

748:20-3-6. IFC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-6]

748:20-3-7. IFC® 2015 Chapter 2 Definitions [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-7]

748:20-3-7.1. IFC® 2015 Chapter 3 General Requirements [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-8]

748:20-3-8. IFC® 2015 Chapter 5 Fire Service Features [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-10]

748:20-3-11. IFC® 2015 Chapter 9 Fire Protection Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-14]

748:20-3-12. IFC® 2015 Chapter 10 Means of Egress [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-15]

748:20-3-13. IFC® 2015 Chapter 11 Construction Requirements for Existing Buildings [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-16]

748:20-3-13.2. IFC® 2015 Chapter 23 Motor Fuel-Dispensing Facilities and Repair Garages [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-28]

748:20-3-13.3. IFC® 2015 Chapter 55 Cryogenic Fluids [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-60]

748:20-3-13.4. IFC® 2015 Chapter 57 Flammable and Combustible Liquids [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-62]

748:20-3-13.5. IFC® 2015 Chapter 61 Liquefied Petroleum Gases [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-66]

748:20-3-14. IFC® 2015 Chapter 80 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-85]

- 748:20-3-15. Appendix N, Egress Path Markings for Existing Buildings [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-4-86]
- Subchapter 4. IFC® 2018 [NEW]
- 748:20-4-1. Adoption of the International Fire Code®, 2018 Edition (IFC® 2018) [NEW]
- 748:20-4-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-4-3. IFC® 2018 and other Appendices [NEW]
- 748:20-4.4. IFC® 2018 Provisions Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-4.5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
- 748:20-4.6. IFC® 2018 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [NEW]
- 748:20-4-7. IFC® 2018 Chapter 2 Definitions [NEW]
- 748:20-4-8. IFC® 2018 Chapter 3 General Requirements [NEW]
- 748:20-4-9. IFC® 2018 Chapter 4 Emergency Planning and Preparedness [NEW]
- 748:20-4-10. IFC® 2018 Chapter 5 Fire Service Features [NEW]
- 748:20-4-11. IFC® 2018 Chapter 6 Building Services and Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-4-12. IFC® Chapter 7 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-13. IFC® Chapter 8 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-14. IFC® 2018 Chapter 9 Fire Protection Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-4-15. IFC® 2018 Chapter 10 Means of Egress [NEW]
- 748:20-4-16 IFC® 2018 Chapter 11 Construction Requirements for Existing Buildings [NEW]
- 748:20-4-17. IFC® 2018 Chapter 12 Energy Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-4-18. IFC® Chapter 13 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-19. IFC® Chapter 14 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-20. IFC® Chapter 15 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-21. IFC® Chapter 16 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-22. IFC® Chapter 17 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-23. IFC® Chapter 18 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-24. IFC® Chapter 19 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-25. IFC® Chapter 20 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-26. IFC® Chapter 21 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-27. IFC® Chapter 22 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-28. IFC® 2018 Chapter 23 Motor Fuel Dispensing Facilities and Repair Garages [NEW]
- 748:20-4-29. IFC® Chapter 24 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-30. IFC® Chapter 25 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-31. IFC® Chapter 26 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-32. IFC® Chapter 27 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-33. IFC® Chapter 28 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-34. IFC® Chapter 29 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-35. IFC® Chapter 30 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-36. IFC® Chapter 31 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-37. IFC® Chapter 32 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-38. IFC® Chapter 33 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-39. IFC® Chapter 34 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-40. IFC® Chapter 35 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-41. IFC® Chapter 36 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-42. IFC® Chapter 37 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-43. IFC® Chapter 38 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-44. IFC® 2018 Chapter 39 Processing and Extraction Facilities [NEW]
- 748:20-4-45. IFC® Chapter 40 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-46. IFC® Chapter 41 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-47. IFC® Chapter 42 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-48. IFC® Chapter 43 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-49. IFC® Chapter 44 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-50. IFC® Chapter 45 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-51. IFC® Chapter 46 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-52. IFC® Chapter 47 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-53. IFC® Chapter 48 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-54. IFC® Chapter 49 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-55. IFC® Chapter 50 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-56. IFC® Chapter 51 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-57. IFC® Chapter 52 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-58. IFC® 2018 Chapter 53 Compressed Gases [NEW]
- 748:20-4-59. IFC® Chapter 54 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-60. IFC® 2018 Chapter 55 Cryogenic Fluids [NEW]
- 748:20-4-61. IFC® Chapter 56 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-62. IFC® 2018 Chapter 57 Flammable and Combustible Liquids [NEW]
- 748:20-4-63. IFC® Chapter 58 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-64. IFC® Chapter 59 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-65. IFC® Chapter 60 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-66. IFC® 2018 Chapter 61 Liquefied Petroleum Gases [NEW]
- 748:20-4-67. IFC® Chapter 62 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-68. IFC® Chapter 63 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-69. IFC® Chapter 64 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-70. IFC® Chapter 65 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-71. IFC® Chapter 66 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-72. IFC® Chapter 67 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-73. IFC® Chapter 68 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-74. IFC® Chapter 69 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-75. IFC® Chapter 70 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-76. IFC® Chapter 71 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-77. IFC® Chapter 72 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-78. IFC® Chapter 73 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-79. IFC® Chapter 74 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-80. IFC® Chapter 75 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-81. IFC® Chapter 76 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-82. IFC® Chapter 77 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-83. IFC® Chapter 78 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-84. IFC® Chapter 79 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-4-85. IFC® 2018 Chapter 80 Referenced Standards [NEW]
- 748:20-4-86. Appendix O, Egress Path Markings for Existing Buildings [NEW]

Notices of Rulemaking Intent

SUMMARY:

748:20-3-1., 748:20-3-2., 748:20-3-3., 748:20-3-4., 748:20-3-5., 748:20-3-6., 748:20-3-7., 748:20-3-7.1., 748:20-3-8., 748:20-3-11., 748:20-3-12., 748:20-3-13., 748:20-3-13.2., 748:20-3-13.3., 748:20-3-13.4., 748:20-3-13.5., 748:20-3-14., and 748:20-3-15., have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 4 entitled "IFC® 2018."

748:20-4-1., 748:20-4-2., 748:20-4-3., 748:20-4-4., and 748:20-4-5., adopt the IFC® 2018 edition, without appendices and establishes the IFC® 2018 edition as the statewide minimum code for residential and commercial fire prevention and fire protection systems in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-4-6., adopts Chapter 1 of the IFC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-4-7., 748:20-4-8., 748:20-4-9., 748:20-4-10., 748:20-4-11., 748:20-4-14., 748:20-4-15., 748:20-4-16., 748:20-4-17., 748:20-4-28., 748:20-4-44., 748:20-4-58., 748:20-4-60., 748:20-4-62., 748:20-4-66., 748:20-4-85 and 748:20-4-86., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IFC®, 2018 in Chapters 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 23, 39, 53, 55, 57, 61, 80 and the OUBCC created appendix entitled "Appendix O, Egress Path Markings for Existing Buildings," respectively.

748:20-4-12., 748:20-4-13., 748:20-4-18., 748:20-4-19., 748:20-4-20., 748:20-4-21., 748:20-4-22., 748:20-4-23., 748:20-4-24., 748:20-4-25., 748:20-4-26., 748:20-4-27., 748:20-4-29., 748:20-4-30., 748:20-4-31., 748:20-4-32., 748:20-4-33., 748:20-4-34., 748:20-4-35., 748:20-4-36., 748:20-4-37., 748:20-4-38., 748:20-4-39., 748:20-4-40., 748:20-4-41., 748:20-4-42., 748:20-4-43., 748:20-4-45., 748:20-4-46., 748:20-4-47., 748:20-4-48., 748:20-4-49., 748:20-4-50., 748:20-4-51., 748:20-4-52., 748:20-4-53., 748:20-4-54., 748:20-4-55., 748:20-4-56., 748:20-4-57., 748:20-4-59., 748:20-4-61., 748:20-4-63., 748:20-4-64., 748:20-4-65., 748:20-4-67., 748:20-4-68., 748:20-4-69., 748:20-4-70., 748:20-4-71., 748:20-4-72., 748:20-4-73., 748:20-4-74., 748:20-4-75., 748:20-4-76., 748:20-4-77., 748:20-4-78., 748:20-4-79., 748:20-4-80., 748:20-4-81., 748:20-4-82., 748:20-4-83., and 748:20-4-84 have been reserved for possible future changes to the IFC® in Chapters 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, and 79, respectively.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

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RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (D), a rule impact statement has been prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at the above physical address.

CONTACT PERSONS:

Billy Pope, Chief Executive Officer 405.521-6501
Kathy Hehnlly, Commission Secretary 405.521-6506

[OAR Docket #20-16; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-17]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking
PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 5. IRC® 2015

748:20-5-19. IRC® 2015 Chapter 29 Water Supply and Distribution [AMENDED]
748:20-5-24.1. IRC® 2015 Chapter 44 Referenced Standards [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

748:20-5-19 modifies the adoption of the 2015 IRC® to add three exceptions to Section P2904.1.1 for where sprinkler systems shall be installed in a townhouse dwelling unit.

748:20-5-24.1 modifies the edition year reference from 2015 to 2018 for the International Building Code®, International Fire Code®, International Fuel Gas Code®, International Mechanical Code®, and International Plumbing Code®; and the edition year from 2014 to 2017 for the National Electrical Code®.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

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TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-18]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 7. IEBC® 2015

748:20-7-1. Adoption of International Existing Building Code®, 2015 Edition (IEBC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-1]

748:20-7-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-2]

748:20-7-3. IEBC® 2015 Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-3]

748:20-7-4. IEBC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-4]

748:20-7-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-5]

748:20-7-6. IEBC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-6]

748:20-7-8. IEBC® 2015 Chapter 14 Performance Compliance Methods [REVOKED]

748:20-7-9. IEBC® 2015 Chapter 16 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-8-21]

Subchapter 8. IEBC® 2018 [NEW]

748:20-8-1. Adoption of the International Existing Building Code®, 2018 Edition (IEBC® 2018) [NEW]

748:20-8-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]

748:20-8-3. IEBC® 2018 Appendices [NEW]

748:20-8-4. IEBC® 2018 Provisions Adopted and Modified [NEW]

748:20-8-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]

748:20-8-6. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [NEW]

748:20-8-7. IEBC® Chapter 2 [RESERVED]

748:20-8-8. IEBC® Chapter 3 [RESERVED]

748:20-8-9. IEBC® Chapter 4 [RESERVED]

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- 748:20-8-10. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 5 Prescriptive Compliance Methods [NEW]
- 748:20-8-11. IEBC® Chapter 6 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-12. IEBC® Chapter 7 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-13. IEBC® Chapter 8 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-14. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 9 Alterations, Level 3 [NEW]
- 748:20-8-15. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 10 Change of Occupancy [NEW]
- 748:20-8-16. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 11 Additions [NEW]
- 748:20-8-17. IEBC® Chapter 12 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-18. IEBC® Chapter 13 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-19. IEBC® Chapter 14 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-20. IEBC® Chapter 15 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-8-21. IEBC® 2018 Chapter 16 Referenced Standards [NEW]

SUMMARY:

748:20-7-1., 748:20-7-2., 748:20-7-3., 748:20-7-4., 748:20-7-5., 748:20-7-6., and 748:20-7-9., have been amended and renumbered into Subchapter 8. 748:20-7-8., has been revoked.

748:20-8-1., 748:20-8-2., 748:20-8-3., 748:20-8-4., and 748:20-8-5., adopt the IEBC® 2018 without appendices and establishes the IEBC® 2018 edition as the statewide minimum code for commercial existing building construction in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-8-6., modifies the adoption of Chapter 1 of the IEBC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-8-10., 748:20-8-14., 748:20-8-15., 748:20-8-16., and 748:20-8-21., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IEBC® 2018 in chapters 5, 9, 10, 11 and 16, respectively. 748:20-8-7., 748:20-8-8., 748:20-8-9., 748:20-8-11., 748:20-8-12., 748:20-8-13., 748:20-8-17., 748:20-8-18., 748:20-8-19., and 748:20-8-20 have been reserved for possible future changes to the IEBC® in Chapters 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, and 15, respectively.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

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TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-19]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 11. IFGC® 2015

748:20-11-1. Adoption of International Fuel Gas Code® 2015 Edition (IFGC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-1]

748:20-11-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-2]

748:20-11-3. IFGC® 2015 Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-3]

748:20-11-4. IFGC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-4]

- 748:20-11-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-5]
- 748:20-11-6. IFGC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-6]
- 748:20-11-6.1. IFGC® 2015 Chapter 2 Definitions [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-7]
- 748:20-11-7. IFGC® 2015 Chapter 3 General Regulations [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-8]
- 748:20-11-8. IFGC® 2015 Chapter 4 Gas Piping Installations [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-9]
- 748:20-11-10. IFGC® 2015 Chapter 8 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-12-13]
- Subchapter 12. IFGC® 2018 [NEW]
- 748:20-12-1. Adoption of the International Fuel Gas Code®, 2018 Edition (IFGC® 2018) [NEW]
- 748:20-12-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-12-3. IFGC® 2018 Appendices [NEW]
- 748:20-12-4. IFGC® 2018 Provision Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-12-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
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- 748:20-12-9. IFGC® 2018 Chapter 4 Piping Installations [NEW]
- 748:20-12-10. IFGC® Chapter 5 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-12-11. IFGC® Chapter 6 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-12-12. IFGC® Chapter 7 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-12-13. IFGC® 2018 Chapter 8 Referenced Standards [NEW]

SUMMARY:

748:20-11-1., 748:20-11-2., 748:20-11-3., 748:20-11-4., 748:20-11-5., 748:20-11-6., 748:20-11-6.1, 748:20-11-7., 748:10-8., and 748:20-11-10 have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 12 entitled "IFGC® 2018."

748:20-12-1., 748:20-12-2., 748:20-12-3., 748:20-12-4., and 748:20-12-5., adopt the IFGC® 2018 edition, without appendices and establish the IFGC® 2018 edition as the statewide minimum code for commercial fuel gas construction within the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-12-6. adopts Chapter 1 of the IFGC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-12-7., 748:20-12-8., 748:20-12-9., and 748:20-12-13., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IFGC® 2018 in Chapters 2, 3, 4, and 8, respectively.

748:20-12-10., 748:20-12-11., and 748:20-12-12., have been reserved for possible future changes to the IFGC® in Chapters 5, 6, and 7, respectively.

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Notices of Rulemaking Intent

TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-20]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 13. IMC® 2015
- 748:20-13-1. Adoption of International Mechanical Code® 2015 Edition (IMC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-1]
- 748:20-13-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-2]
- 748:20-13-3. IMC® 2015 Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-3]
- 748:20-13-4. IMC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-4]
- 748:20-13-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-5]
- 748:20-13-6. IMC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-6]
- 748:20-13-8. IMC® 2015 Chapter 3 General Regulations [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-8]
- 748:20-13-9. IMC® 2015 Chapter 5 Exhaust Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-10]
- 748:20-13-10. IMC® 2015 Chapter 6 Duct Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-11]
- 748:20-13-10.1. IMC® 2015 Chapter 11 Refrigeration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-16]
- 748:20-13-11. IMC® 2015 Chapter 15 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-14-20]
- Subchapter 14. IMC® 2018 [NEW]
- 748:20-14-1. Adoption of International Mechanical Code® 2018 Edition (IMC® 2018) [NEW]
- 748:20-14-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-14-3. IMC® 2018 Appendices [NEW]
- 748:20-14-4. IMC® 2018 Provisions Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-14-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
- 748:20-14-6. IMC® 2018 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [NEW]
- 748:20-14-7. IMC® CHAPTER 2 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-8. IMC® 2018 Chapter 3 General Regulations [NEW]
- 748:20-14-9. IMC® 2018 Chapter 4 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-10. IMC® 2018 Chapter 5 Exhaust Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-14-11. IMC® 2018 Chapter 6 Duct Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-14-12. IMC® 2018 Chapter 7 [RESERVED]

- 748:20-14-13. IMC® 2018 Chapter 8 Chimneys and Vents [NEW]
- 748:20-14-14. IMC® 2018 Chapter 9 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-15. IMC® 2018 Chapter 10 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-16. IMC® 2018 Chapter 11 Refrigeration [NEW]
- 748:20-14-17. IMC® 2018 Chapter 12 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-18. IMC® 2018 Chapter 13 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-14-19. IMC® 2018 Chapter 14 Solar thermal Systems [NEW]
- 748:20-14-20. IMC® 2018 Chapter 15 Referenced Standards [NEW]

SUMMARY:

748:20-13-1., 748:20-13-2., 748:20-13-3., 748:20-13-4., 748:20-13-5., 748:20-13-6., 748:20-13-8., 748:20-13-9., 748:20-13-10., 748:20-13-10.1., and 748:20-13-11., have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 14 entitled "IMC® 2018."

748:20-14-1., 748:20-14-2., 748:20-14-3., 748:14-4., and 748:20-14-5., adopt the IMC® 2018 edition, without appendices and establishes the IMC® 2018 as the statewide minimum code for commercial mechanical construction in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-14-6. modifies the adoption of Chapter 1 of the IMC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-14-8., 748:20-14-10., 748:20-14-11., 748:20-14-13., 748:20-14-16., 748:20-14-19., and 748:20-14-20., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IMC® 2018, in Chapters 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 14, and 15, respectively.

748:20-14-9. 748:20-14-12., 748:20-14-14., 748:20-14-15., 748:20-14-17., and 748:20-14-18., have been reserved for possible future changes to the IMC® in Chapters 2, 4, 7, 9, 10, 12, & 13, respectively.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

COMMENT PERIOD:

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PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing on these proposed rules will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 17, 2020 at a regular meeting of the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at 2401 NW 23rd Street, Suite 2F, Oklahoma City, OK 73107. Anyone who wishes to speak must sign in at the door by 1:35 p.m.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

The Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission requests that business entities affected by these proposed rules provide the OUBCC, within the comment period set forth and described above, in dollar amounts if possible, the increase in the level of direct costs, such as administrative fees, and the indirect costs such as report, recordkeeping, equipment, construction, labor, professional services, revenue loss, or other costs that the business entity expects to incur due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Kathy Hehnlly at the above address, before the close of the comment period on Friday, March 6, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

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RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303 (D), a rule impact statement has been prepared and may be obtained from the Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission at the above physical address.

CONTACT PERSONS:

Billy Pope, Chief Executive Officer 405.521-6501
Kathy Hehnlly, Commission Secretary 405.521-6506

[OAR Docket #20-20; filed 1-8-20]

TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-21]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

- Subchapter 15. IPC® 2015
- 748:20-15-1. Adoption of International Plumbing Code® 2015 Edition (IPC® 2015) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-1]
- 748:20-15-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-2]
- 748:20-15-3. IPC® 2015 Appendices [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-3]
- 748:20-15-4. IPC® 2015 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-4]

- 748:20-15-6. IPC® 2015 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-5]
- 748:20-15-7. IPC® 2015 Chapter 2 Definitions [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-7]
- 748:20-15-8. IPC® 2015 Chapter 3 General Regulations [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-8]
- 748:20-15-9. IPC® 2015 Chapter 4 Fixtures, Faucets and Fixture Fittings [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-9]
- 748:20-15-11. IPC® 2015 Chapter 6 Water Supply and Distribution [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-11]
- 748:20-15-12. IPC® 2015 Chapter 7 Sanitary Drainage [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-12]
- 748:20-15-14. IPC® 2015 Chapter 9 Vents [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-14]
- 748:20-15-15. IPC® 2015 Chapter 10 Traps, Interceptors, and Separators [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-15]
- 748:20-15-16. IPC® 2015 Chapter 11 Storm Drainage [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-16]
- 748:20-15-16.1. IPC® 2015 Chapter 13 Nonpotable Water Systems [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-18]
- 748:20-15-17. IPC® 2015 Chapter 15 Referenced Standards [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-16-20]
- Subchapter 16. IPC® 2018 [NEW]
- 748:20-16-1. Adoption of the International Plumbing Code® 2018 Edition (IPC® 2018) [NEW]
- 748:20-16-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-16-3. IPC® 2018 Appendices [NEW]
- 748:20-16-4. IPC® 2018 Provisions Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-16-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
- 748:20-16-6. IPC® 2018 Chapter 1 Scope and Administration [NEW]
- 748:20-16-7. IPC® 2018 Chapter 2 Definitions [NEW]
- 748:20-16-8. IPC® 2018 Chapter 3 General Regulations [NEW]
- 748:20-16-9. IPC® 2018 Chapter 4 Fixtures, Faucets and Fixture Fittings [NEW]
- 748:20-16-10. IPC® Chapter 5 [RESERVED]
- 748:20-16-11. IPC® 2018 Chapter 6 Water Supply and Distribution [NEW]
- 748:20-16-12. IPC® 2018 Chapter 7 Sanitary Drainage [NEW]
- 748:20-16-13. IPC® 2018 Chapter 8 Indirect/Special Waste [RESERVED]
- 748:20-16-14. IPC® 2018 Chapter 9 Vents [NEW]
- 748:20-16-15. IPC® 2018 Chapter 10 Traps, Interceptors, and Separators [NEW]
- 748:20-16-16. IPC® 2018 Chapter 11 Storm Drainage [NEW]

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- 748:20-16-17. IPC® Chapter 12 [RESERVED]
748:20-16-18. IPC® 2018 Chapter 13 Nonpotable Water Systems [NEW]
748:20-16-19. IPC® Chapter 14 [RESERVED]
748:20-16-20. IPC® 2018 Chapter 15 Referenced Standards [NEW]

SUMMARY:

748:20-15-1., 748:20-15-2., 748:20-15-3., 748:20-15-4., 748:20-15-5., 748:20-15-6., 748:20-15-7., 748:20-15-8., 748:20-15-9., 748:20-15-11., 748:20-15-12., 748:20-15-14., 748:20-15-15., 748:20-15-16., 748:20-15-16.1., and 748:20-15-17., have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 16 entitled "IPC® 2018."

748:20-16-1., 748:20-16-2., 748:20-16-3., 748:16-4., and 748:20-16-5., adopt the IPC® 2018 edition, without appendices and establishes the IPC® 2018 as the statewide minimum code for commercial mechanical construction in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-16-6. modifies the adoption of Chapter 1 of the IPC® 2018 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-16-7., 748:20-16-8., 748:20-16-9., 748:20-16-11., 748:20-16-12., 748:20-16-13., 748:20-16-14., 748:20-16-15., 748:20-16-16., 748:20-16-18., and 748:20-16-20., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the IMC® 2018 in Chapters 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, and 15, respectively.

748:20-16-10., 748:20-16-17., and 748:20-16-19 have been reserved for possible future changes to the IPC® in Chapters 5, 12, and 14, respectively.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

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Kathy Hehnlly, Commission Secretary 405.521-6506

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TITLE 748. OKLAHOMA UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION CHAPTER 20. ADOPTED CODES

[OAR Docket #20-22]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 9. NEC® 2014

748:20-9-1. Adoption of National Electrical Code® 2014 Edition (NEC® 2014) [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-1]

748:20-9-2. Effect of Adoption [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-2]

748:20-9-3. NEC® 2014 Informative Annexes [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-3]

748:20-9-4. NEC® 2014 Provisions Adopted and Modified [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-1-4]

748:20-9-5 Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-5]

748:20-9-6. NEC® 2014 Article 90 Introduction [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-6]

748:20-9-6.1. NEC® 2014 Chapter 1 General [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-7]

748:20-9-6.2. NEC® 2014 Chapter 2 Wiring and Protection [AMENDED AND RENUMBERED TO 748:20-10-8]

- 748:20-9-7. NEC® 2014 Chapter 5 Special Occupancies [AMENDED AND RENUMBRED TO 748:20-10-11]
- 748:20-9-8. NEC® 2014 Chapter 6 Special Equipment [AMENDED AND RENUMBRED TO 748:20-10-12]
- Subchapter 10 NEC® 2017 [NEW]
- 748:20-10-1. Adoption of the National Electrical Code®, 2017 Edition (NEC® 2017) [NEW]
- 748:20-10-2. Effect of Adoption [NEW]
- 748:20-10-3. NEC® 2017 Informative Annexes [NEW]
- 748:20-10-4. NEC® 2017 Provision Adopted and Modified [NEW]
- 748:20-10-5. Participation in Federal Programs and/or Federally Funded or Financed Projects [NEW]
- 748:20-10-6. NEC® 2017 Article 90 Introduction [NEW]
- 748:20-10-7. NEC® 2017 Chapter 1 General [NEW]
- 748:20-10-8. NEC® 2017 Chapter 2 Wiring and Protection [NEW]
- 748:20-10-9. NEC® 2017 Chapter 3 Wiring Methods and Materials [NEW]
- 748:20-10-10. NEC® 2017 Chapter 4 Equipment for General Use [NEW]
- 748:20-10-11. NEC® 2017 Chapter 5 Special Occupancies [NEW]
- 748:20-10-12. NEC® 2017 Chapter 6 Special Equipment [NEW]
- 748:20-10-13. NEC® 2017 Chapter 7 Special Conditions [NEW]
- 748:20-10-14. NEC® 2017 Chapter 8 Communication Systems [NEW]

SUMMARY:

748:20-9-1., 748:20-9-2., 748:20-9-3., 748:20-9-4., 748:20-9-5., 748:20-9-6., 748:20-9-6.1., 748:20-9-6.2., 748:20-9-7., and 748:20-9-8., have been amended and renumbered to the new Subchapter 10 entitled "NEC® 2017."

748:20-10-1., 748:20-10-2., 748:20-10-3., 748:20-10-4., and 748:20-10-5., adopt the NEC® 2017 edition, without annexes and establishes the NEC® 2017 as the statewide minimum code for commercial electrical construction in the State of Oklahoma. 748:20-10-6. modifies the adoption of Article 90 of the NEC® 2017 only to the extent its provisions are not inconsistent with other laws or lawfully established code administration and enforcement policies. 748:20-10-7., 748:20-10-8., 748:20-10-9., 748:20-10-10., 748:20-10-11., 748:20-10-12., 748:20-10-13., and 748:20-10-14., set forth the OUBCC's adoption of Oklahoma modifications to the provisions of the NEC® 2017 in Chapters 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, respectively.

748:20-10-15., has been reserved for possible future changes to the NEC® in Chapter 9.

AUTHORITY:

Oklahoma Uniform Building Code Commission; 59 O.S. § 1000.23 and 1000.24.

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CONTACT PERSONS:

- Billy Pope, Chief Executive Officer 405.521-6501
- Kathy Hehnly, Commission Secretary 405.521-6506

[OAR Docket #20-22; filed 1-8-20]

**TITLE 810. OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION
CHAPTER 1. GENERAL INFORMATION**

[OAR Docket #20-5]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

Notices of Rulemaking Intent

PROPOSED RULES:

810:1-1-2 [AMENDED]

810:1-1-6 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed revisions provide a definition for "Electronic equivalent" to reflect the addition of electronic filing methods under the mandatory implementation of the Commission's Electronic Database Interchange System; a streamlined process for filing agency public information requests with either the Clerk of the Commission or the General Counsel; and the correction of two statutory citations, one to reflect a statutory change and one to correct an errant comma.

AUTHORITY:

Workers' Compensation Commission; 85A O.S. §§ 19, 22, 101, 120.

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit data, views, or arguments in writing before 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2020, to the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission, Attn: General Counsel at 1915 N. Stiles, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, or by email to rules@wcc.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing to afford a comment period for all interested persons to submit data, views, or arguments, orally will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 5, 2020, in Commission Chambers on the 2nd floor of the Denver N. Davison Building, 1915 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Interested parties must sign in at the door.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

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COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained for review by the public from the Workers' Compensation Commission, 1915 N. Stiles, Suite 231, Oklahoma City, OK 73105. Copies of proposed rules may be obtained at a cost of 10 cents per page. The proposed rules will also be available at <http://www.ok.gov/wcc>.

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Workers' Compensation Commission at the above address beginning February 13, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Lauren Hammonds Johnson, Commission General Counsel, 405-522-3222, LaurenH.Johnson@wcc.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-5; filed 1-3-20]

TITLE 810. OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION CHAPTER 10. PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE

[OAR Docket #20-6]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 1. General Provisions

810:10-1-3 [AMENDED]

810:10-1-9 [AMENDED]

Subchapter 5. Hearings Conducted by Administrative Law

Judges and Commissioners

Part 1. Commencement of Claims

810:10-5-2 [AMENDED]

810:10-5-3 [AMENDED]

810:10-5-7 [AMENDED]

Part 3. Subsequent Pleadings

810:10-5-15 [AMENDED]

810:10-5-16 [AMENDED]

810:10-5-17 [AMENDED]

810:10-5-18 [AMENDED]

Part 5. Prehearing Proceedings

810:10-5-30 [AMENDED]

Part 7. Initial and Subsequent Proceedings

810:10-5-49 [AMENDED]

Part 9. Post Order Relief

810:10-5-66 [AMENDED]

Part 15. Settlements

810:10-5-95 [AMENDED]

Part 17. Fees

810:10-5-105 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed rules: add a definition for "Electronic equivalent" to the Definitions section; add references regarding the ability to file certain forms through an electronic equivalent; remove the requirement to file in quadruplicate; correct language to reflect the current process for assigning a file number to claims for discrimination or retaliation, and provide that attorneys may provide an email address to receive electronic docket notices and orders, which reflect the addition of electronic filing methods under the mandatory implementation of the Commission's Electronic Database Interchange System.

The proposed revisions also reflect changes made by HB 2367 to: 85A O.S. § 7 which provide that the Commission retains exclusive jurisdiction to hear and decide claims related to employer discrimination or retaliation stemming from injuries occurring on or between February 1, 2014 and May 27, 2019; and also to 85A O.S. § 118, regarding the payment of the filing fee for Joint Petitions or medical fee disputes by the employer.

Other proposed revisions correct language regarding a Commission Vice Chair, and changes it to "an available

Commissioner," since there is no designated Vice Chair at the Commission; update language regarding the retention and disposition of exhibits, since they are part of the record, and judges do not maintain a separate list; and provide procedure for when a party fails to appear at oral argument without leave of the Commission.

Other non-substantive revisions to correct formatting and grammar errors are included.

AUTHORITY:

Workers' Compensation Commission; 85A O.S. §§ 7, 19, 22, 45, 50, 73, 86, 101, 118, 120; Oklahoma Attorney General Opinion 2019-10

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CONTACT PERSON:

Lauren Hammonds Johnson, Commission General Counsel, 405-522-3222, LaurenH.Johnson@wcc.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-6; filed 1-3-20]

TITLE 810. OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION CHAPTER 15. MEDICAL SERVICES

[OAR Docket #20-7]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 9. Independent Medical Examiners
810:15-9-1 [AMENDED]
810:15-9-5 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed revisions are designed to ensure the most experienced and competent physicians participate as independent medical examiners (IMEs) with the Commission. The proposed revisions would: remove the requirement that qualified IMEs hold an Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control registration and a federal Drug Enforcement Agency registration; provide an exception to the set reimbursement rate for IME medical testimony when good cause is shown; and delete an errant comma in a statutory citation.

AUTHORITY:

Workers' Compensation Commission; 85A O.S. §§ 19, 22, 112

COMMENT PERIOD:

Persons may submit data, views, or arguments in writing before 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2020, to the Oklahoma Workers' Compensation Commission, Attn: General Counsel at 1915 N. Stiles, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, or by email to rules@wcc.ok.gov.

PUBLIC HEARING:

A public hearing to afford a comment period for all interested persons to submit data, views, or arguments, orally will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 5, 2020, in Commission Chambers on the 2nd floor of the Denver N. Davison Building, 1915 N. Stiles Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Interested parties must sign in at the door.

REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:

Business entities affected by these proposed rules are requested to provide the agency with information, in dollar amounts if possible, about the increase in the level of direct costs, indirect costs, or other costs expected to be incurred by the business entity due to compliance with the proposed rules. Business entities may submit this information in writing to Lauren Hammonds Johnson at the above address on or before 5:00 p.m. on March 4, 2020.

COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:

Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained for review by the public from the Workers' Compensation Commission, 1915 N. Stiles, Suite 231, Oklahoma City, OK 73105. Copies of proposed rules may be obtained at a cost of 10 cents per page. The proposed rules will also available at <http://www.ok.gov/wcc>.

Notices of Rulemaking Intent

RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and may be obtained from the Workers' Compensation Commission at the above address beginning February 13, 2020.

CONTACT PERSON:

Lauren Hammonds Johnson, Commission General Counsel, 405-522-3222, LaurenH.Johnson@wcc.ok.gov.

[OAR Docket #20-7; filed 1-3-20]

TITLE 810. OKLAHOMA WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION CHAPTER 25. WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE AND SELF INSURANCE

[OAR Docket #20-8]

RULEMAKING ACTION:

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

PROPOSED RULES:

Subchapter 7. Enforcement of Workers' Compensation Insurance Requirements

810:25-7-1 [AMENDED]

810:25-7-2 [AMENDED]

SUMMARY:

The proposed revisions reflect changes to 85A O.S. § 40 made by HB 2367 for the enforcement of workers' compensation insurance coverage, specifically related to the cap on penalties for failing to maintain coverage and the Commission's ability to institute certain collection or garnishment proceedings. The proposed rule revisions also remove restrictions on what the Commission must consider to reduce a penalty, delete errant commas in statutory citations, and correct a grammar error.

AUTHORITY:

Workers' Compensation Commission; 85A O.S. §§ 19, 22, 40

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[OAR Docket #20-8; filed 1-3-20]

**DEPUTY TREASURER FOR DEBT MANAGEMENT
NOTICE OF STATE CEILING AMOUNT FOR THE
CALENDAR YEAR 2020**

In accordance with Title 62 O.S, Section 695.25, the maximum total volume (also referred to as "Volume Cap" or "State Ceiling Amount") of Private Activity Bonds that may be issued pursuant to federal law by the State of Oklahoma during calendar year 2020 is \$415,481,955. From the first business day of 2020 through September 1, 2020, the Volume Cap is subdivided into the following categories ("Pools") and amounts: (1) Qualified Small Issue Pool, \$49,857,835; (2) Exempt Facility Pool, \$10,387,049; (3) Beginning Agricultural Producer Pool, \$4,154,820; (4) Student Loan Pool, \$64,399,703; (5) Economic Development Pool, \$49,857,835; (6) Oklahoma Housing Finance Agency Pool, \$62,322,293; (7) State Issuer Pool, \$16,619,278; (8) Metropolitan Area Housing Pool, \$51,935,244; (9) Rural Area Housing Pool, \$33,238,556; and (10) Local Issuer Single Family Pool, \$72,709,342. From September 2, 2020, to 9:00 a.m., December 20, 2020, any amount remaining to be allocated from these pools is combined and managed from the Consolidated Pool. On or after 9:00 a.m. on December 20, 2020, certain Private Activity Bond issuing authorities may apply to the Deputy Treasurer for Debt Management to carry forward a portion of any remaining State Ceiling Amount.

[OAR Docket #20-4; filed 1-2-20]

