

**CODES AMENDMENT SUBCOMMITTEE
AGENDA**

**April 13, 2016
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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ATTENDANCE

3. APPROVAL OF CAS MINUTES

- a. Draft CAS Minutes of March 9, 2016.

4. COMMUNICATIONS

- a. Correspondence
3/11/16

David Bebrin,
Eversource
C & S

Correspondence re energy
codes

ACTION: Sent to full C&S and CAS on
3/10/15

- b.

ACTION: _____

5. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Proposed Final Draft Connecticut State Fire Safety Code 2015 Supplement
(Revised to 3-7-2016)

- i. Status of Modifications for Small 1-2 Homes
- ii. Status of Chapters 50-67, Hazardous Materials
- iii. Status of Agency Legal Review

- b. Proposed Final Draft State Building Code 2015 Connecticut Supplement
(12-7-15)

- i. Status of Agency Legal Review

- c. Raised S.B. No. 388 – An Act Concerning the Department of Administrative
Services' Recommendation Regarding the Adoption of the State Building
and Fire Codes

6. NEW BUSINESS

7. ADJOURNMENT

Next meeting is set for May 11, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. in room G38, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford.

KEY: CFSC	Connecticut Fire Safety Code		
IBC	International Building Code	IMC	International Mechanical Code
IECC	International Energy Conservation Code	IPC	International Plumbing Code
IEBC	International Existing Building Code	IRC	International Residential Code
IFC	International Fire Code	NEC	National Electric Code

CHECKLIST FOR REGULATIONS

1. Draft regulations, statement of purpose and fiscal note.
2. Obtain approval of agency head.
3. Send to Governor's office and OPM for preliminary approval. (No deadline for approval, previous Administration required 3 to 5 months.)
4. Upon receipt of approval of Governor's office/OPM, schedule hearing, prepare notice for Connecticut Law Journal (publication cycle: 2 weeks from notice submittal to publication, plus 30 days to hearing) and send copies to interested persons or groups. Also, prepare and submit small business fiscal note (PA 09-19) and analysis under 4-168a to Department of Economic and Community Development/Commerce Committee. Copy legislative committee of cognizance on hearing notice. (DRAFT MAY NOT BE DISSEMINATED, NOR MAY THE PUBLIC COMMENT PROCESS BE COMMENCED UNTIL GOV./OPM APPROVAL IS RECEIVED.)
5. Conduct public hearing or solicit public comment, review comments, revise regulations as appropriate and inform commenter's of actions taken.
6. Prepare certification documents for agency head's signature and submit with final regulation draft to the Office of the Attorney General for review for legal sufficiency. (AG has 30 days by statute.)
7. Upon approval of the AG's office, file 1 original and an electronic copy with the standing Legislative Regulations Review Committee. (Committee of cognizance and fiscal analysis also get copies.) If filed by deadline of the first Tuesday of the month, item will be considered at the following month's meeting, with is held the fourth Tuesday of the month.
8. If regulation approved the first time (there's a less than even change of this happening), regulation becomes effective upon filing with the Secretary of the State's office or a date certain that the agency has specified on the certification form that is attached as the final page of the regulation.
9. If rejected the first time through (committee will reject if it desires to add or change language, believes the agency has exceeded its statutory authority or if there are too many copy-editing-type issues). Corrections are made and the drafts are submitted to the AG before returning to the committee.