

October 31, 2019

VIA EFILING ONLY

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**Re: In the Matter of the Proposed Rules of the Department of Labor and Industry Governing the Adoption of the International Fire Code, Minnesota Rules Chapter 7511
OAH 60-9001-35631; Revisor R-04516**

Dear Ms. Wilson Legge:

Enclosed herewith and served upon you is the **ORDER ON REVIEW OF RULES UNDER MINN. STAT. § 14.26** in the above-entitled matter. The Administrative Law Judge has determined there are no negative findings in these rules.

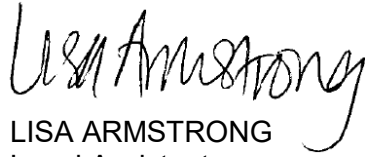
The Office of Administrative Hearings has closed this file and is returning the rule record so that the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry can maintain the official rulemaking record in this matter as required by Minn. Stat. § 14.365. Please ensure that the agency's signed order adopting the rules is filed with our office. The Office of Administrative Hearings will request the finalized rules from the Revisor's office following receipt of that order. Our office will then file the adopted rules with the Secretary of State, who will forward one copy to the Revisor of Statutes, one copy to the Governor, and one to the agency for its rulemaking record. The Department will then receive from the Revisor's office three copies of the Notice of Adoption of the rules.

The Department's next step is to arrange for publication of the Notice of Adoption in the State Register. Two copies of the Notice of Adoption provided by the Revisor's office should be submitted to the State Register for publication. A permanent rule without a hearing does not become effective until five working days after a Notice of Adoption is published in the State Register in accordance with Minn. Stat. § 14.27.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Sheena Denny at (651) 361-7881, sheena.denny@state.mn.us or via facsimile at (651) 539-0310.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lisa Armstrong". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

LISA ARMSTRONG
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Enclosure

cc: Legislative Coordinating Commission
Revisor of Statutes

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Lisa Armstrong certifies that on October 31, 2019, she served a true and correct copy of the attached **ORDER ON REVIEW OF RULES UNDER MINN. STAT. § 14.26** by placing it in the United States mail or by courier service with postage prepaid, addressed to the following individuals:

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OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

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International Fire Code, Minnesota Rules
Chapter 7511

**ORDER ON REVIEW OF
RULES UNDER
MINN. STAT. § 14.26**

This matter is pending before Administrative Law Judge James E. LaFave.

On October 17, 2019, the Department filed documents with the Office of Administrative Hearings seeking review and approval of the above-entitled rules under Minn. Stat. § 14.26 (2018) and Minn. R. 1400.2300 (2019).

Based upon a review of the written submissions by the Department, and all of the documents in the rulemaking record,

IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED:

1. The Department has the statutory authority to adopt the rules.
2. The rules were adopted in compliance with the procedural requirements of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14 (2018), and Minnesota Rules, chapter 1400 (2019).
3. The proposed rules are needed and reasonable.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

The rules are **APPROVED**.

Dated: October 31, 2019



JAMES E. LAFAVE
Administrative Law Judge