

New Hampshire Department of Safety
Fire Protection Advisory Committee
November 5, 2008

Meeting opened at approximately 9:15 AM. Present were Steve Mango, Lawrence Thibodeau, Len Daniels, Ron DeBlois, John Mooney, Robert Musil, Deborah Pendergast, and Chris Burns. Absent were Mr. Hoisington, Mr. Burbank, and Mr. Farley. A quorum was present.

The minutes of the October, 8 2008 meeting were reviewed with the following changes being made: on page 3 after ...for the Fire Marshal's office. Add the following sentence.. Money goes to Fire Standard training and EMS established in RSA 21-P:12-D. No other changes being made the minutes were approved unanimously.

A review of the October 8, 2008 draft rules was started on Page 1. It was discussed and noted that all the changes and notations would be voted on at the end of end in one motion to accept instead of individually.

Page 1 Accept red lined deletion of para Saf C 1202.04

Page 2 Accept red lined deletion of para Saf C1202.05

Saf C 1202 .08 becomes .04

Accept red lined deletion of Saf C 1202.09

Saf C1202.10 becomes .05

“ .11 becomes .06

“ .12 becomes .07

Accept Saf C1202.08 adding at the end after technicians. This does not include the repair, programming and testing of systems in accordance with applicable codes and standards.

Page 3 Saf C1202.13 becomes .09

“ .14 becomes .10

“ .15 becomes .11

“ .16 becomes .12

“ .17 becomes .13

“ .18 becomes .14

“ .19 becomes .15

Accept Saf C1202.16 that is in red but change 1202.04 in the body to 1202.08

Saf C1202.20 becomes .17

Page 4 Accept red lined deletion of Saf C1203.01(c)(5)

Page 5 Accept red lined b. and added (5) and change added b. to read Has four thousand (4000) hours of total experience and who has successfully completed a three (3) hour NFPA 72 course with a test, or

Accept Federal Employer identification number;

Page 6 OK

Page 7 OK

Page 8 Saf C 1204.02 (3) a. 1. realign with 2. and 3.

(5), (6), (7) become (4) (5) and (6)

Accept last red lined sentence and Capitalize the word Commissioner.

Page 9 At this point Mr. DeBlois brought up Limited Fire Alarm qualifications.

Much discussion ensued.

Mr. Mango explained the compromise made by the subcommittee with the electricians.

Mr. Burns noted that this was voluntary and a compromise on training and continuing education to follow.

Mr. Rancourt was recognized and spoke on the qualifications and the compromise and also spoke of RSA 319

Mr. DeBlois concerned with electrical companies doing work without qualifications.

Mr. Burns responded with the compromise that had been reached.

More minor discussions. Revert to Saf C 1202.08 in the document

Page 9 (8) becomes (7)

b. electrical or approved

c. 2. approved

(9) becomes (8)

c. 4. reads as follows National Institute for Certification of Engineering Technologies (NICET) Fire Alarm Level II or greater.

Page 10 Accept red strikes and additions. Also remove the word “ resume” and realign letters. Also add “or other document acceptable to the Commissioner.

One member opposed to removing the word “resume”

All were in favor of adding the other wording

Mr. Rancourt was recognized and asked ‘what JELCAR might say about this change’.

Page 11 Accept as changed in red.

Page 12 Accept as changed in red.

Page 13 Accept as changed in red, and change the italicized print to regular print at Saf C1208.01(c)(3)

Page 14 Saf C1208.01 (e) add the word “of” after the word proof

(2) Capitalize the word Commissioner

Saf C1209.03 becomes .01 and add letters al after provision

Saf C1210.01 (c) no more than becomes “not more than”

All other red changes ok

Page 14 Saf C 1210 Trainee Certification

There was a lot of discussion on this and we decided to differ until Mr. Farley was able to take part in the discussion. This was not approved in the blanket approval.

Page 15 Approved with the red notations.

Page 16 Approved.

All changes were approved and all adds and deletes by the Chairman's notes were stated to be approved.

A motion was made by Mr. Deblois to adjourn at 11:50 AM. All approved

Next meeting Dec. 3rd 9:00AM