NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE BUILDING CODE
PROPOSED AMENDMENT FORM

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Applicable code: __________________________  Applicable code section: __________________________
Select only one code: IEBC-15   IBC-15   IRC-15   IPC-15   IMC-15   IECC-15   IEBC-15   NEC-17 (NFPA 70)

Current language (including section numbers and include prior adopted amendments):

210.12 Arc-Fault Circuit Interrupter Protection. Arc Fault Circuit Interrupter protection shall be provided as required in 210.12 (A), (B) and (C). The arc fault circuit interrupter shall be installed in a readily accessible location.

Current Amendment EL-14-02-15

Exception:
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(2) Notifications. A form available at the NH Electricians Licensing Board website shall be filed with Board and local authority having jurisdiction by the licensed electrician removing the AFCI. The form shall be filed by registered letter or email with read receipt requested within five (5) working days following the AFCI replacement.

Check one:  __________________________________________  __________________________________________
___ Delete without substitution:  __________________________  Add new section to read as follows:
___ Delete section and substitute the following:  __________________________  Revise section to read as follows:
✓ Carry forward existing amendment without modification

Show Line through material to be deleted.  Underline material to be added.
Proposed code language:

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Reason / Justification:
Carry forward amendment EL-14-02-15 and apply it to the 2017 National Electrical Code

Financial Analysis/Fiscal Impact of proposed amendment:
None

For Building Code Review Board Use:
Not approved: _____  Approved: _____  Approved with modifications: _____
Scheduled Hearing Date: ____________________________  Exhibit #: ____________________
Chair’s Signature: _____________________________Date: ______________
Printed Name: ____________________________