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OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL**

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OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL
Fire Extinguisher Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes
July 20, 2011

Committee Goal: To provide a means of communications between the Offices of the State Fire Marshal, representatives of industry, the public and the fire service; and to seek comments and specific views on proposed regulations and intended future action.

Members Present:

Majority used conference call

I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order by Chairperson James Parsegian at 10:10 a.m. on January 26, 2011.

II. ROLL CALL and INTRODUCTIONS

Introductions were made by each individual.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes from the previous meeting are not available at this time. They will be sent out in the time to review for within two weeks.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

1. Committee Updates

The Office of the State Fire Marshal will utilize the CAL SAFE Certificate of Registration Training Program.

The exchange program has two propositions left on the table. We tabled the issues and sent it back to the workgroup with more diversity of participants. The objective is to define a scope. It was agreed that five industry, five fire service, and two end users:

- i. Anthony Ramiro
- ii. Bob Gibel
- iii. Kent Miller
- iv. Bob Franck

CONSERVATION IS WISE-KEEP CALIFORNIA GREEN AND GOLDEN

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CONSERVE ENERGY. FOR TIPS AND INFORMATION, VISIT "FLEX YOUR POWER" AT WWW.CA.GOV.

- v. Edie Wade
- vi. Chris Gilbert
- vii. Darrell H
- viii. Dan F
- ix. Nancy A
- x. Robert C.

2. **Regulations Updates**

A. **Vehicle Marking**

some wording. Statement of Reasons for California Vehicle Code – Fire on Vehicles. CA Vehicle Code 27905

B. **Enforcement**

Regulation package, legal has signed off. James Parsegian to complete initial statement of reasons.

C. **Title 19/NFPA 10**

Regulation package, going through final review

D. **California Fire Code Update**

Workgroup on California Fire Code Update reestablished. 2012 IFC CODE 906/47 vs. California Fire Code. The workgroup consists of the following:

- i. Darrell Hefley
- ii. Edie Wade
- iii. Craig Voelkert
- iv. Anthony
- v. Dan F.
- vi. Bob G.

A workgroup meeting was scheduled for Wednesday, August 17th at 1:00 PST. Conference call scheduled for July 25th, 1;00 PST

There will be more information available fir the Pink Power Issue in a few weeks.

V. NEW BUSINESS

1. **Type L License/Certificate of Registration, a discussion on the possibility of developing a Limited Certificate of Registration for technician of Limited Concerns. The group felt that this was not a good idea, however**

proposed language in the license concerning the experience requirement. James Carver and Robert Noland will develop some language and submit it to the committee.

2. Requirements for Selling Portable Fire Extinguisher

3. UL 711A and UL 299D

A presentation was made by team from Kidde Co. concerning UL711A and UL299D. The Committee was asked to approve wording. Workgroup was created to review:

- i. Edie
- ii. Kent
- iii. JR
- iv. John
- v. Randy).

711A – creates requirement for cooking media- no splash requirements

299D – requirements to range to prevent conflict

VI. OPEN FORUM

Gauges—Gauges must be aligned with nameplate...nameplate is 170 degrees and is defined by where gauge is Solution is for technician to service right in the first place.

2013 New NFPA 10—In its cycle now.

Reappointment letters—Advisory Committee members letter of reappointment are due now. Committee members should send new letters to Chief Hoover and CC to James.

VII. NEXT MEETING

Next meeting date – October 27th, 10:00 a.m.