

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, LABOR & ECONOMIC GROWTH
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION CODES
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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Michigan Elevator Safety Board General Rules (SOAHR# 2008-005 LG)
Construction Code – Part 7. Plumbing Code (SOAHR# 2009-007 LG)

The Department of Energy, Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes, will hold a public hearing on January 20, 2010, at 9:30 a.m. in Conference Room 3, 1st floor, 2501 Woodlake Circle, Okemos, MI 48864. The proposed effective date of the Elevator Rule Set is August, 2010, and the proposed effective date of the Plumbing Rule Set is September, 2010.

The public hearing is to receive public comments on the proposed amendments to the administrative rules noted above. Testimony will be taken for each rule set in the order the rules are listed above. Individuals who are not present during testimony for a particular rule set will be provided an opportunity to testify after final testimony on the Plumbing Code rule set.

The proposed Michigan Elevator Safety Board General Rules will adopt the ASME A17.1-2007, ASME A18.1-2008, and ANSI A10.4-2007. The code covers the design, construction, operation, inspection, testing, maintenance, alteration, and repair of elevating devices. The hearing is being conducted by authority conferred on the director of the Department of Energy, Labor and Economic Growth by section 8 of 1967 PA 227 and section 8 of 1976 PA 333, Executive Reorganization Order No. 2008-4, MCL 445.2025.

The proposed Michigan plumbing rules will adopt the 2009 edition of the International Plumbing Code with amendments, deletions, and additions as deemed necessary for use in Michigan. The hearing is being conducted by the Department under the authority of Section 4 of 1972 PA 230, MCL 125.1504, and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 2003-1 and 2008-4, MCL 445.2011 and MCL 445.2025.

The proposed rules will be published in the January 1, 2010, *Michigan Register*. Copies of the proposed Michigan amendments to the Michigan Elevator Safety Board General Rules and Construction Code – Part 7. Plumbing Code may be obtained for a fee of \$3.00 each by submitting a check or money order, made payable to the State of Michigan, to the Bureau at the address below. You may download a free copy of the proposed amendments by visiting our website at www.michigan.gov/bcc. The amendments are located under the What's New section.

Oral or written comments may be presented in person at the hearing on January 20, 2010, or submitted in writing by mail, email, or facsimile no later than 5:00 p.m., January 20, 2010. If your presentation is in written form, please provide a copy to a rules analyst at the conclusion of your testimony.

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