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TRANSMITTAL SHEET FOR NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

Control 420 Department or Agency Alabama Department of Public Health

Rule Number 420-5-22-.04

Rule Title CODE ORGANIZATIONS

New Amend Repeal Adopt by Reference

Would the absence of the proposed rule significantly harm or endanger the public health, welfare or safety? Yes

Is there a reasonable relationship between the state's police power and the protection of the public health, safety or welfare? Yes

Is there another, less restrictive method of regulation available that could adequately protect the public? No

Does the proposed rule have the effect of directly or indirectly increasing the costs of any goods or services involved and, if so, to what degree? No

Is the increase in cost, if any, more harmful to the public than the harm that might result from the absence of the proposed rule? n/a

Are all facts of the rulemaking process designed solely for the purpose of and so they have as their primary effect, the protection of the public? Yes

Does the proposed rule have an economic impact? No

If the proposed rule has an economic impact, the proposed rule is required to be accompanied by a fiscal note prepared in accordance with subsection (f) of §41-22-23, Code of Alabama, 1975.

Certification of Authorized Official

I certify that the attached proposed rule has been in full compliance with the requirements of Chapter 22, Title 41, Code of Alabama, 1975, and that it conforms to all applicable filing requirements of the Administrative Procedure Division of the Legislative Reference Service.

Signature of Certifying Officer Jahiri B... Date 5/17/2013

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**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION**

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Department of Public Health

RULE NUMBER AND TITLE: 420-5-22-.04 CODE ORGANIZATIONS

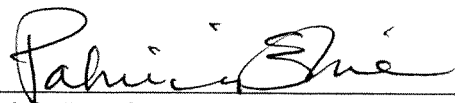
INTENDED ACTION: Amendment to Rule 420-5-22-.04

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION: The proposed amendments revise the contact information needed to purchase a copy of the *Guidelines for Design and Construction of Health Care Facilities*.

TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS: A public hearing will be held on June 11, 2013 at 3:00 pm in Room 1586 (Board Room), 201 Monroe Street, The RSA Tower, Montgomery, Alabama.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENTS AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE: Written or oral comments will be received until the close of the record at 5:00 p.m. on July 5, 2013. All comments and requests for copies of the proposed amendments should be addressed to the contact person listed below.

CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY: Victor Hunt, Director, Office of Facilities Management, Alabama Department of Public Health, 201 Monroe Street, Suite 1550, Montgomery, Alabama. Mailing address is PO Box 303017, Montgomery, AL 36130-3017. Telephone (334) 206-5218.



Patricia E. Ivie, Agency Secretary

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The codes and standards listed above are produced by the following organizations:

- (1) *Guidelines for Design and Construction of ~~Hospitals and~~ Health Care Facilities*

~~Academy of Architecture for Health
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Ave., NW
Washington, DC 20006
www.aia.org~~

Facility Guidelines Institute
1919 McKinney Avenue
Dallas, TX 75201
www.fgiguilines.org

- (2) *International Building Code*

International Code Council
900 Montclair Road
Birmingham, Alabama 35213-1206
Phone 888-422-7233
www.iccsafe.org

- (3) *NFPA National Fire Codes, including the Life Safety Code*

National Fire Protection Association
1 Batterymarch Park
Quincy, MA 02269-9101
Phone 800-344-3555
www.nfpacatalog.org

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Statutory Authority: Code of Alabama, 1975, 22-21-20, et. seq.

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