

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Proposed Amendment  
to the Rules Governing the Adoption of the  
2012 International Fire Code, Minnesota  
Rules, Chapter 7511

**CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE  
LAW JUDGE'S ORDER ON  
REVIEW OF RULES UNDER MINN.  
STAT. § 14.26, SUBD. 1 AND  
MINN. R. 1400.2300, SUBP. 8.**

This matter came on for review by the Chief Administrative Law Judge pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 14.26, subd. 1 (2014) and Minn. R. 1400.2300, subp. 8 (2015).

On February 18, 2016, the Office of Administrative Hearings received submissions from the State Fire Marshall Division of the Minnesota Department of Public Safety (hereafter referred to collectively as the Department) under Minn. Stat. § 14.26 (2014) and Minn. R. 1400.2310 (2015).

On February 25, 2016, the Administrative Law Judge issued the Order on Review of Rules. As set forth in that Order, portions of the rules were disapproved. By way of an Order dated March 1, 2016, the finding of a legal defect was affirmed by the Chief Administrative Law Judge.

On March 23, 2016, the Office of Administrative Hearings received a set of revised submissions under Minn. Stat. § 14.26, subd. 1 and Minn. R. 1400.2300, subp. 8.

Based upon a review of the written submissions and filings, and the revised Order Adopting Rules,

**IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED:**

1. The agency has the statutory authority to adopt the rules.
2. The rules were adopted in compliance with all of the procedural requirements of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 14 (2014), and Minnesota Rules, chapter 1400 (2015).
3. The final proposed rules are not substantially different from those published in the *State Register* on January 4, 2016.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

1. The proposed rules, dated January 4, 2016, and revised by the Department on March 2, 2106 (AR 4148), are approved as to legality.

Dated: April 1, 2016

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TAMMY L. PUST  
Chief Administrative Law Judge

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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Rachel Youness, certifies that on April 1, 2016, she served a true and correct copy of the attached **Chief Administrative Law Judge's Order on Review of Rules**; by placing it in the United States mail or by courier service with postage prepaid, addressed to the following individuals:

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