



Department of Labor and Industry Rulemaking Docket

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Possible Amendments to Rules Governing a Means of Egress Regulation Relating to Stairway Width in the 2012 International Residential Code, Minnesota Rules, part 1309.0311, subpart 2					
Subject Matter	The Department of Labor and Industry is considering a possible amendment to correct a drafting error contained in Minnesota Rules, part 1309.0311, subpart 2, discovered after the adoption of the 2012 International Residential Code (“IRC”). This drafting error resulted in the inadvertent deletion of IRC stairway width requirements in the Minnesota Residential Building Code. The error was corrected by an exempt temporary rulemaking which occurred in 2015. The Department must now conduct this rulemaking to make that correction permanent before the exempt temporary rule expires on January 23, 2017.				
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Published Notices and Comment Periods	<p>A Request for Comments was published in the <i>State Register</i> on Monday, August 24, 2015.</p> <p>A copy of the Request for Comments as published in the <i>State Register</i> can be viewed at: http://www.comm.media.state.mn.us/bookstore/stateregister/40_08.pdf.</p> <p>A Notice of Intent to Adopt Rules Without a Public Hearing was published in the <i>State Register</i> on September 19, 2016; the comment period ended at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, October 21, 2016. No comments were received. A copy of the Notice as published in the <i>State Register</i> can be viewed at: www.dli.mn.gov/pdf/docket/1309_0311notice.pdf.</p> <p>The Notice of Adoption was published in the <i>State Register</i> on Monday, December 19, 2016. This Notice can be viewed at: https://www.revisor.mn.gov/state_register/?vol=41&num=25</p>				
Availability of Rule Draft and SONAR	A copy of the draft of the proposed rules can be viewed at: www.dli.mn.gov/pdf/docket/1309_0311rule.pdf . A copy of the Statement of Need and Reasonableness can be viewed at: www.dli.mn.gov/pdf/docket/1309_0311sonar.pdf .				
Requests for Hearing; Date and Location of Hearing	No comments or requests for hearing were received. Therefore, no hearing was held.				



ALJ Report and Order	A copy of the ALJ Report can be viewed at: www.dli.mn.gov/pdf/docket/1309_0311report.pdf
Timetable/Status of the Rule Proceeding; Agency Determinations	The Request for Comments was published in the <i>State Register</i> on August 24, 2015 (see “Published Notices and Comment Periods” above for a link to that publication). A Notice of Intent to Adopt Rules Without a Public Hearing was published in the <i>State Register</i> on September 19, 2016 (see “Published Notices and Comment Periods” above for a link to that intended publication); the comment period for this rulemaking ended at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, October 21, 2016. No comments or requests for hearing were received, therefore no hearing was held. The Notice of Adoption was published in the <i>State Register</i> on Monday, December 19, 2016. A copy of the Notice as published can be viewed at: https://www.revisor.mn.gov/state_register/?vol=41&num=25
Date the Rule was Filed with the Secretary of State; Effective Date of the Rule as Adopted	The rule was filed with the Secretary of State on December 6, 2016. The rule will become effective on January 24, 2017.