

**FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS
FOR
PROPOSED BUILDING STANDARDS
OF THE
CALIFORNIA BUILDING STANDARDS COMMISSION (BSC)

REGARDING INTERVING CYCLE AMENDMENTS TO THE
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS (CCR), TITLE 24, PART 3
2013 CALIFORNIA ELECTRICAL CODE**

The Administrative Procedure Act requires that every agency shall maintain a file of each rulemaking that shall be deemed to be the record for that rulemaking proceeding. The rulemaking file shall include a final statement of reasons. The Final Statement of Reasons shall be available to the public upon request when rulemaking action is being undertaken. The following are the reasons for proposing this particular rulemaking action:

UPDATES TO THE INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS:

There were no changes made from the 45 day public comment period to the final statement of reasons.

MANDATE ON LOCAL AGENCIES OR SCHOOL DISTRICTS

The California Building Standards Commission has determined that the proposed regulatory action would impose a mandate on local agencies or school districts. However, the mandate does not require reimbursement pursuant to Part 7 (commencing with section 17500) of Division 4, Government Code. H&SC section 18928 requires the BSC to adopt the most current edition of the model codes. H&SC 18938(b) makes applicable the most current edition of the model electrical code to all occupancies throughout the State of California as prescribed.

OBJECTIONS OR RECOMMENDATIONS MADE REGARDING THE PROPOSED REGULATION(S).

The CBSC did not receive any objections or recommendations regarding the proposed regulations.

DETERMINATION OF ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED AND EFFECT ON PRIVATE PERSONS

The BSC has determined that no alternative considered would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulation is proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted regulations.

REJECTED PROPOSED ALTERNATIVE THAT WOULD LESSEN THE ADVERSE ECONOMIC IMPACT ON SMALL BUSINESSES:

There were no proposed alternatives. The BSC has determined that the proposed regulations will have no adverse impact on small businesses.