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ALABAMA BUILDING COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

CHAPTER 170-X-2 ALABAMA STATE BUILDING CODE

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170-X-2-.01 Adopted Standard Codes.

- (1) The minimum building standard codes adopted by reference and enforced by the Alabama Building Commission are all of the following:
 - (a) 2006 International Building Code.
 - (b) 2006 International Plumbing Code.
 - (c) 2006 International Fuel Gas Code.
 - (d) 2006 International Mechanical Code.
 - (e) 2008 National Electrical Code.
 - (f) 2006 International Fire Code.
 - (g) 2004 Alabama Building Energy Conservation Code.
- (h) Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and Facilities: State and Local Governments (ADAAG).
 - (i) ABC Code Supplements.
- (2) The requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines for Buildings and

Facilities supersede the handicapped requirements contained in the Standard Building Code.

Author: Kippy Tate, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, \$\$21-4-3, 41-9-161, 41-9-171.

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170-X-2-.02 Official "Recommendations". The Commission adopts by reference, as official "recommendations" rather than as mandated regulations, Chapter 5 of the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board (ATBCB) publication; "Recommendations for Accessibility Standards for Children's Environments".

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §\$21-4-3, 41-9-161.

History: Repealed and Replaced: Filed August 29, 1997; effective October 3, 1997.

170-X-2-.03 Obtaining The Adopted Codes. The Technical Staff shall publish in the Manual of Procedures the necessary information to obtain copies of the adopted codes and official recommendations.

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, \$\$41-9-141, 41-9-161, 41-9-171.

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170-X-2-.04 Applicability Of Adopted Codes.

- (1) Except as stated in paragraphs (2) and (3), the STATE BUILDING CODE applies only to the following construction in Alabama:
- (a) STATE BUILDING and CONSTRUCTION: All buildings and other structures erected or acquired by or in behalf of the State of Alabama or any of its agencies or instrumentalities.

- (b) SCHOOLHOUSES: Any building or other structure erected or acquired by the public schools of Alabama and also shall mean any private building in which 25 or more persons are congregated regularly for the purpose of instruction in any branch of knowledge.
- (c) HOTELS: Any public inn or lodging house of 15 or more bedrooms, in which transient guests are lodged for pay.
- (d) MOVING PICTURE THEATERS: Any building in which moving pictures are featured regularly for charge of admission.
- (2) The ALABAMA BUILDING ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE applies only to all buildings constructed or remodeled with state appropriated funds or funds from any other instrumentality of the state.
- (3) The Commission's responsibility to review plans and specifications for compliance with handicapped accessibility standards prescribed by the State Fire Marshal applies only to all buildings and facilities used by the public which are constructed in whole or in part by the use of state, county, or municipal funds, or the funds of any political subdivision of the state. (See §21-4-6 for shared jurisdiction.)

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

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170-X-2-.05 Precedence Of Codes.

- (a) In case of conflict between the State Building Code, local codes, the Life Safety Code enforced by the State Fire Marshal, or other codes, the most stringent requirements shall prevail.
- (b) All food preparation facilities, private water systems, and sewage disposal systems shall also meet the requirements of and be approved by the applicable county health department.

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §41-9-141.

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170-X-2-.06 Responsibility For Compliance. The compliance of plans and specifications with code requirements, is the responsibility of the primary design professional and the awarding authority and approval of these documents by the Technical Staff does not relieve the primary design professional or the awarding authority of this responsibility.

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §§41-9-141.

History: Repealed and Replaced: Filed August 29, 1997; effective October 3, 1997.

170-X-2.-07 <u>ABC Code Supplements</u>. To minimize reoccurring problems on public construction and improvement projects, from time to time the Commission will adopt and publish specific design and construction requirements or recommendations to supplement the State Building Code. The following requirements and recommendations are adopted and bound at the end of this chapter:

(a) ABC Code Supplement No. 1, <u>LABELING OF FIRE DOORS</u> AND FRAMES

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

Statutory Authority: Code of Ala. 1975, §§41-9-141, 41-9-161.

History: Repealed and Replaced: Filed August 29, 1997; effective October 3, 1997.

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170-X-2-.07(a)

ABC CODE SUPPLEMENT No. 1

LABELING OF FIRE DOORS AND FRAMES

All door openings in fire resistive walls and partitions requiring a rating shall be protected by assemblies which include doors, frames, hardware, closing devices, anchorage, sills, etc., installed in accordance with the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 80, Standard for "Fire Doors and Fire Windows" and the State Building Code.

To further clarify the basic requirements and/or the correct method of labeling that will be acceptable to the Alabama Building Commission, the labels shall include the following:

- 1. <u>Accessibility</u>: Each component shall bear a label located so as to be accessible after installation.
- 2. <u>Permanence</u>: Each component shall bear a label of a type of material and be so attached that the life of the label and the attachment thereof can reasonably be expected to equal the life of the component to which it is attached. Labels shall be raised or embossed on metal labels or stamped into metal frames. Plastic or paper labels are unacceptable.
- 3. <u>Legibility</u>: The label design shall be such that it can be visible and legible at all times and must be clean of any paint or other coverage making the label illegible.
- 4. Fire Resistance: All approved labels on doors and on frames shall include thereon the fire resistance rating in hours and/or minutes for which the door or frame is labeled. Labels on frames with transoms or sidelights must identify that the opening assembly includes same.
- 5. Other Requirements: The labels or stamps applied to frames must be provided by a manufacturer that has been approved by a laboratory or organization to provide testing and follow-up services for fire-rated opening assemblies.

Author: Stedmann B. McCollough, Director

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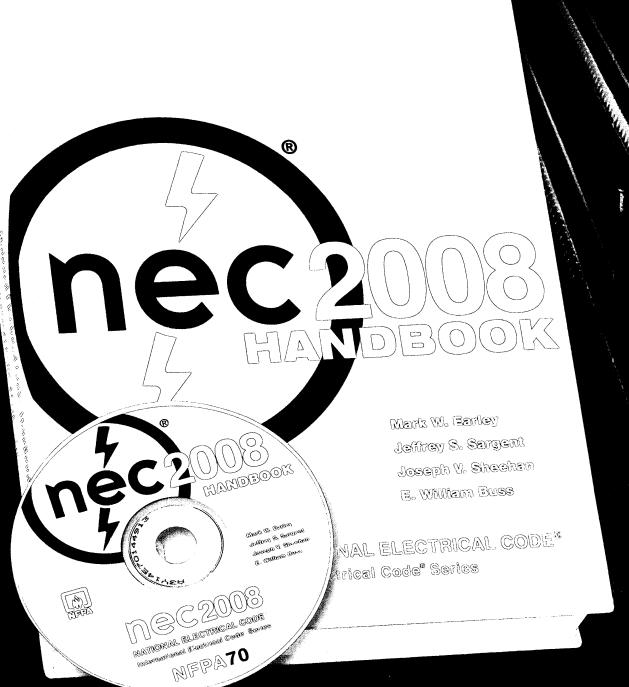
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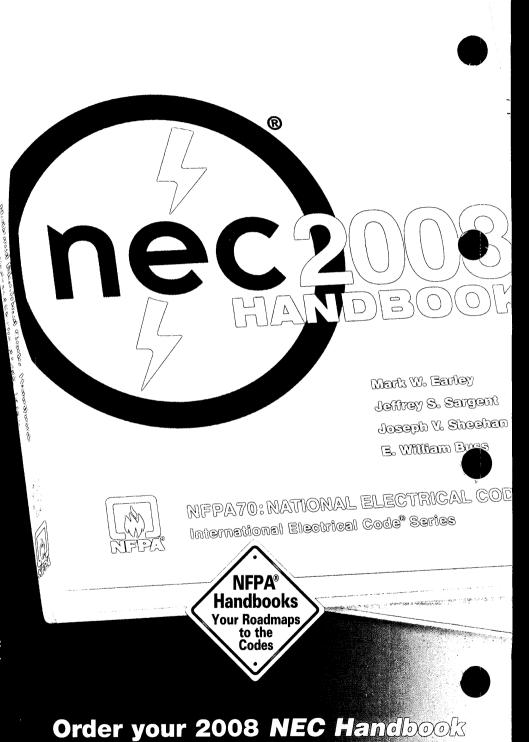
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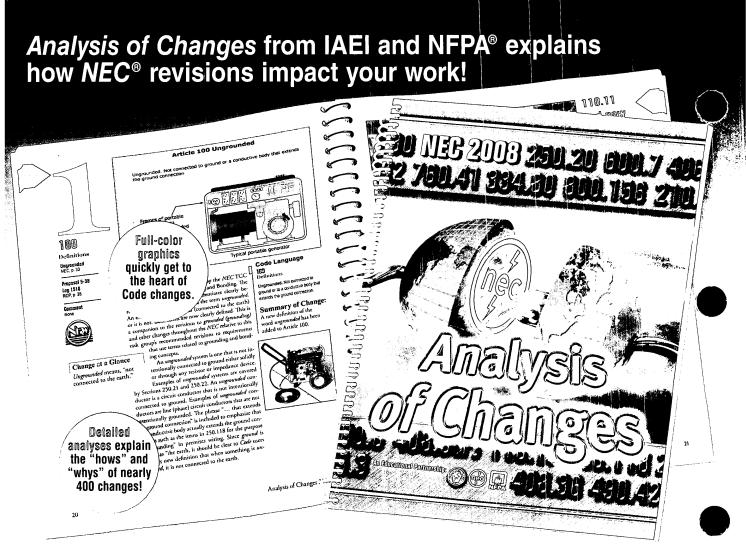
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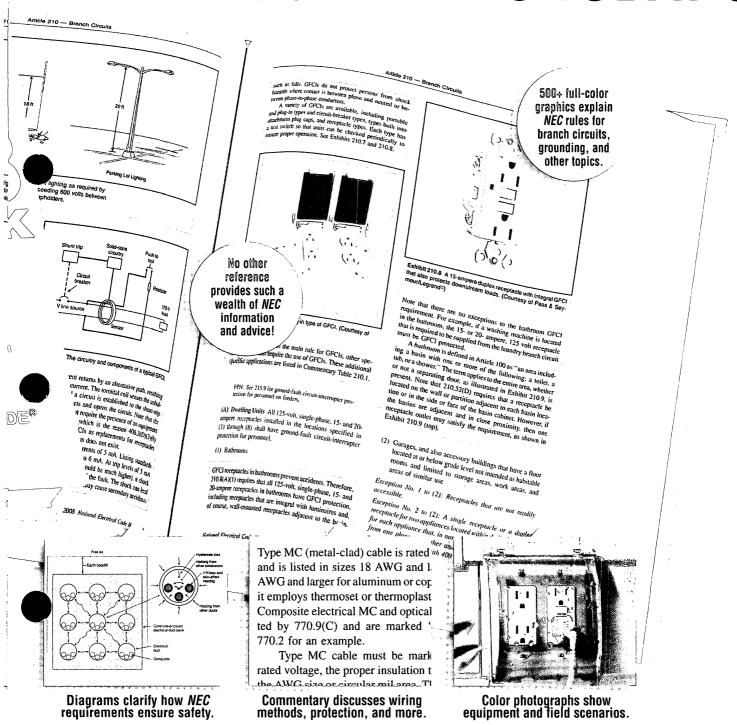
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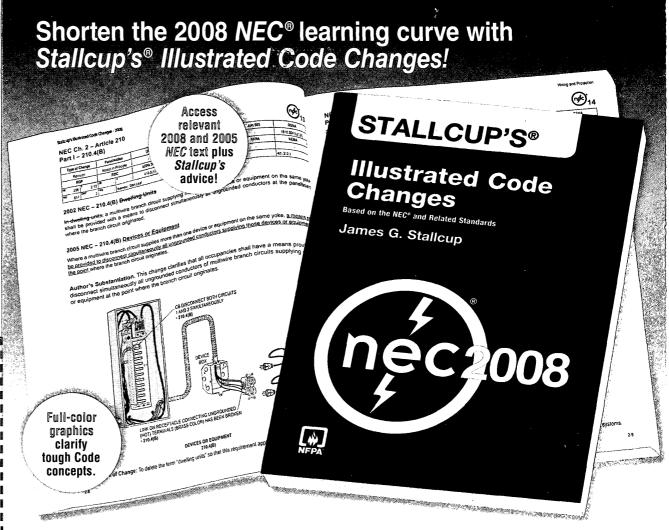
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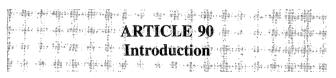
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90.1 Purpose.

- (A) Practical Safeguarding. The purpose of this *Code* is the practical safeguarding of persons and property from hazards arising from the use of electricity.
- (B) Adequacy. This *Code* contains provisions that are considered necessary for safety. Compliance therewith and proper maintenance results in an installation that is essentially free from hazard but not necessarily efficient, convenient, or adequate for good service or future expansion of electrical use.

FPN: Hazards often occur because of overloading of wiring systems by methods or usage not in conformity with this *Code*. This occurs because initial wiring did not provide for increases in the use of electricity. An initial adequate installation and reasonable provisions for system changes provide for future increases in the use of electricity.

- (\mathbb{C}) Intention. This *Code* is not intended as a design specification or an instruction manual for untrained persons.
- (D) Relation to Other International Standards. The requirements in this *Code* address the fundamental principles of protection for safety contained in Section 131 of International Electrotechnical Commission Standard 60364-1, *Electrical Installations of Buildings*.

FPN: IEC 60364-1, Section 131, contains fundamental principles of protection for safety that encompass protection against electric shock, protection against thermal effects, protection against overcurrent, protection against fault currents, and protection against overvoltage. All of these potential hazards are addressed by the requirements in this *Code*.

90.2 Scope.

(A) Covered. This Code covers the installation of electrical conductors, equipment, and raceways; signaling and

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- Public and private premises, including buildings, structures, mobile homes, recreational vehicles, and floating buildings
- (2) Yards, lots, parking lots, carnivals, and industrial substations
- (3) Installations of conductors and equipment that connect to the supply of electricity
- (4) Installations used by the electric utility, such as office buildings, warehouses, garages, machine shops, and recreational buildings, that are not an integral part of a generating plant, substation, or control center.
- (B) Not Covered. This Code does not cover the following:
- Installations in ships, watercraft other than floating buildings, railway rolling stock, aircraft, or automotive vehicles other than mobile homes and recreational vehicles

FPN: Although the scope of this *Code* indicates that the *Code* does not cover installations in ships, portions of this *Code* are incorporated by reference into Title 46, *Code of Federal Regulations*, Parts 110–113.

- (2) Installations underground in mines and self-propelled mobile surface mining machinery and its attendant electrical trailing cable
- (3) Installations of railways for generation, transformation, transmission, or distribution of power used exclusively for operation of rolling stock or installations used exclusively for signaling and communications purposes
- (4) Installations of communications equipment under the exclusive control of communications utilities located outdoors or in building spaces used exclusively for such installations
- (5) Installations under the exclusive control of an electric utility where such installations
 - a. Consist of service drops or service laterals, and associated metering, or
 - b. Are located in legally established easements or rights-of-way designated by or recognized by public service commissions, utility commissions, or other regulatory agencies having jurisdiction for such installations, or
 - c. Are on property owned or leased by the electric utility for the purpose of communications, metering, generation, control, transformation, transmission, or distribution of electric energy.

FPN to (4) and (5): Examples of utilities may include those entities that are typically designated or recognized by governmental law or regulation by public service/utility commissions and that install, operate, and maintain electric supply (such as generation, transmission, or distribution systems) or communication systems (such as telephone, CATV, Internet, satellite, or