## CHAPTER 482-2-101

**FIRE CODES; BUILDING CODE**

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(1) Except as specifically provided in paragraphs (2) and (3), the 2013 edition of the National Fire Codes®, as promulgated by the National Fire Protection Association, is adopted by reference as a regulation of the State Fire Marshal.

(2) The following portions of the 2013 edition of the National Fire Codes® are not adopted:

(a) NFPA 11
(b) NFPA 11A
(c) NFPA 11C
(d) NFPA 13E
(e) NFPA 18
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(g) NFPA 58
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(iiippi) NFPA 1989
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(kkkkk) NFPA 1992
(llllll) NFPA 1994
(mmmmmm) NFPA 1999
(nnnnnn) NFPA 2112
(oooooo) NFPA 5000
(3) NFPA 921 of the most current edition is not adopted as a mandatory provision but rather is to be used as a guide in conjunction with numerous other fire and explosive investigation guidelines available throughout the United States.

Author: State Fire Marshal
Statutory Authority: Ala. Code §§ 27-2-17, 36-19-9


(1) Except as specifically provided in paragraph (2), the 2015 edition of the International Fire Code® and Appendices B, C, D, E, and M, as promulgated by the International Code Council®, are adopted by reference as a regulation of the State Fire Marshal. Said code shall be used for projects on which the date of the architectural services contract is on or after the effective date of this rule as revised.

(2) The following portions of the 2015 edition of the International Fire Code® are not adopted:

(a) Part 2 of Chapter 1 (“Administration and Enforcement”).
(b) Appendix A.
(c) Section D107 of Appendix D is not adopted but is recommended.
(d) Appendix F.
(e) Appendix G.
(f) Appendix H.
(g) Appendix I.
(h) Appendix J.
(i) Appendix K.
(j) Appendix L.

Author: State Fire Marshal
Statutory Authority: Ala. Code §§ 27-2-17, 36-19-9
History: New November 9, 2010, effective November 22, 2010; Revised November 10, 2016, effective January 1, 2017
482-2-101-.03 Adoption of International Building Code® (2015 edition); exceptions.

(1) Except as specifically provided in paragraph (2), the 2015 edition of the International Building Code®, including Appendices E, H, I, and J, as promulgated by the International Code Council®, is adopted by reference as a regulation of the State Fire Marshal. Said code shall be used for projects on which the date of the architectural services contract is on or after the effective date of this rule as revised.

(2) The following portions of the 2015 edition of the International Building Code® are not adopted:

(a) Part 2 of Chapter 1 (“Administration and Enforcement”).
(b) Appendix A.
(c) Appendix B.
(d) Appendix C.
(e) Appendix D.
(f) Appendix F.
(g) Appendix G.
(h) Appendix K.

Author: State Fire Marshal
Statutory Authority: Ala. Code §§ 27-2-17, 36-19-9

482-2-101-.04 Severability; conflict with State statutes or laws.

(1) The provisions of this chapter are severable. If any provision or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, the invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other application of this chapter which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application.

(2) Any portion of any code adopted in this chapter which conflicts with Alabama statutes or law will be interpreted, applied, or enforced so as to conform with such statutes or law if practicable, or will be deemed null and void only to the extent of such conflict if conflict cannot be avoided. Invalidity of a portion of an adopted code due to conflict with Alabama statutes or law shall not affect the validity of the remainder of the code.
482-2-101-.05 Use of later code editions. In his discretion and upon request in connection with particular projects, the State Fire Marshal may allow use of later editions of fire or building codes promulgated by the NFPA® or the International Code Council® than those specified in this chapter.

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