UNIFORM BUILDING CODE COMMISSION

ELECTRICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING

March 13, 2014 1:00
Room 402 Heber M Wells Bldg
160 E 300 S Salt Lake City, UT

MINUTES

STAFF
Dan S Jones, Bureau Manager
Sharon Smalley, Board Secretary

ELECTRICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Christopher Jensen	David Wesemann (excused)
Mike Thomas	Gary Beckstrand
Chris Joyal, Liaison	Rhett Butler (excused)
Kevin Phillips	David Winger

VISITORS

SWEAR IN NEW MEMBERS	Dan Jones administer the oath of office to David Winger. Rhett Butler will be sworn in at the next meeting.
MINUTES	A motion was made by Chris Jensen to approve the minutes from the February 13, 2014 meeting as written. The motion was seconded by Mike Thomas and passed unanimously.
REVIEW 2014 NEC	The committee reviewed the ten articles that were determined to need further review during the February training on the significant changes to the 2014 NEC. During the review of Article 100, Chris Jensen gave an explanation for the change as being a clarification and not an actual change in the definition since selective coordination has been in the code for years. The decision on this Article was tabled until the next meeting. The committee felt that the changes to Articles 110.26(C)(3) and 210.12 were an incidental cost

increase and that they do not need to be addressed due to the fact that the safety factors far out way the cost and they need no further review or change.

During the review of Article 210.64 it was felt that the change does not present a significant problem, however, further clarification should be considered. Gary suggested that a possible amendment could be drafted stating, "The enforcement of this section shall be permitted to be altered on a case to case basis by the authority having jurisdiction." The committee will consider this wording for proposing an amendment and will vote on it at the next meeting.

The committee felt that there is no cost increase to the changes for Article 590.4(J) but that there were significant safety improvements due to the change and that no further review was needed.

The changes made to Articles 625 and 680.21(C) are not controversial and need no further review.

Gary pointed out that the exception in Article 680.25(A)(1) has been removed and this change has been done in the errata.

The discussion on Articles 240.87, 700.8, 700.28, and 701.27 was tabled for further review. Chris Jensen was asked to do some research and give this committee a report on the ROPs and the ROCs with comments and an evaluation recommendation. He was also asked to contact Noel Williams for his opinion on the changes to these articles.

The meeting adjourned at 2:45.

Note: These minutes are not intended to be a verbatim transcript but are intended to record the significant features of the business conducted in this meeting. Discussed items are not necessarily shown in the chronological order they occurred.

NEC ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

4/14/2014

~~Gary Beckstrand, Chair~~
David Wesemann, Vice Chair

Date

4-14-14

Dan S Jones, Bureau Manager

Date