



TO: IDABO Board Members
FR: Kate Haas
RE: 2013 IDABO Legislative Review
DATE: April 11, 2013

RULES

07-0203-1201 (DBS permit fee schedule - effective upon adjournment of the legislature):

This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th.

07-0204-1201 (Plumbing safety inspections - effective upon adjournment of the legislature):

This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th.

07-0206-1201 (plumbing code rules - effective upon passage of concurrent resolution

3/27/13): Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th. The House struck language that restricted water heaters from being located in a crawl space. This one was hard to follow because it bounced back and forth between subcommittee and full committee. They first moved to approve it and then sent it back to subcommittee.

07-0301-1201 (building codes - generally - effective upon adjournment of the legislature):

This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee.

It was reviewed by Senate committee and passed on voice vote on January 17th. During the discussion, the negotiated rulemaking and collaborative code meetings were noted, and the committee like that DBS was using that process.

07-0301-1202 (building codes - generally - effective upon adjournment of the legislature):

This set of rules was coupled with 1201 and followed the same path out of the House. It was also considered by Senate Commerce on January 17th. However, this set was held for review until January 22 because of clerical errors. After some discussion of flumes v. fireplace dampers, it was passed out of committee on a voice vote.



07-0501-1201 (Public Works Contractors License Board - effective upon adjournment of the legislature): This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on February 14th.

07-0501-1202 (Public Works Contractors License Board - effective upon adjournment of the legislature): This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th.

07-0701-1201 (HVAC Rules - effective upon adjournment of the legislature): This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th.

07-0701-1202 (HVAC Rules - effective upon adjournment of the legislature): This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on January 17th.

07-0312-1201 (Manufactured/Mobile Homes - effective upon adjournment of the legislature): This set of rules was reviewed by the Youngblood Subcommittee of the House Business Committee on January 16th and passed out of the House Business Committee on January 23rd per a vote of full committee based on the recommendation of the subcommittee. Senate Commerce Committee reviewed and passed these rules by voice vote on February 14th.



BILLS

H 26: HVAC Installation – Allowing for certain HVAC jobs to be done by plumbers or plumbing contractors. This bill was signed by the Governor and is now law. *IDABO monitored but did not take a position.*

- House vote: 70-0-0
- Senate vote: 35-0-0
- Signed into law 3/21/13, effective 7/1/13

H 27: Plumbers - This bill which would have amended existing law relating to plumbers to revise provisions relating to exceptions regarding certificates died in committee. *IDABO monitored but did not take a position.*

- Introduced and reported to House Business
- Died in committee – chairman held it in the drawer and never held a vote

H 28: Manufactured home dealer and installer licensing - Amends existing law relating to manufactured home dealer and installer licensing to revise legislative findings, to revise provisions relating to certain license requirements and to revise provisions relating to fees for criminal history background checks; to remove a definition and to remove all references to service companies. *IDABO monitored but did not take a position.*

- House vote 68-1-1
- Senate vote 34-0-1
- Signed into law 3/12/13, effective 7/1/13

H 84: Unsafe school facilities – Amends existing law in very narrow circumstances to for abatement of unsafe school facilities where the state has taken over a failing school. Specifies that permitting, planning and review shall be done in accordance with DBS standards and using DBS personnel. Provides that the Idaho Building Code Board will act as the board of appeals for these specific instances. *IDABO opposed in House Business Committee but stood down on the Floor and Senate side after clarifying that it would only apply in a very limited number of circumstances.*

- House vote: 68-1-1
- Senate vote: 34-0-1
- Signed into law 3/1/13, effective 7/1/13