NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

The State Fire Marshal Division/ Nevada State Police is proposing the adoption, amendment and repeal of regulations pertaining to Chapter 477 of the Nevada Administrative Code.

A workshop has been scheduled for 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 20, 2022, at the Nevada State Fire Marshal Division, 107 Jacobson Way, Classroom C, Carson City, NV 89711. The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topic(s) that may be addressed in the proposed regulations:

**TOPIC**

Proposed changes to regulations (NAC 477) may include but not limited to fireworks transactions, fee increases including fees for Certificates of Compliance, Plans Examination, and Inspections. Proposed changes may include replacing or updating words in the text, clarifying language, simplifying categories and other possible suggestions to include document retention of fireworks sales.

**NAC REGULATION**

NAC 477.310

Creation 477.667 (fireworks)

This Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulations has been sent to all listed meeting locations, all persons on the agency’s mailing list for administrative regulations, all Nevada fire service agencies, agency single points of contact and posted at the following:

Nevada State Fire Marshal, Carson City
Nevada State Library and Archives, Carson City
https://fire.nv.gov/
http://notice.nv.gov
http://leg.state.nv.us
Electronically Posted pursuant to NRS 241.020(4)

Board of Architecture Interior Design and Residential Design, 2080 E Flamingo Road, Suite 120, Las Vegas, NV
Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, 1755 East Plumb Lane, Suite 258, Reno, NV
Carson City Fire Department, 777 South Stewart Street, Carson City, NV
Carson City Public Library, 901 North Roop Street, Carson City, NV
Central Lyon County Fire Department, 231 Corral Drive, Dayton, NV
Churchill Fire Department, 20 N. Carson Street, Fallon, NV
Clark County Fire Department, 575 East Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV
Clark County Fire Department Training Center, 4425 West Tropicana Avenue, Las Vegas, NV
Department of Public Safety, 555 Wright Way, Carson City, NV
East Fork Fire Protection District, 1694 County Road, Minden, NV
Elko Fire Department, 911 West Idaho Street, Elko, NV
Ely Fire Department, 1780 Great Basin Blvd., Ely, NV
Henderson Fire Department, 240 Water Street, Henderson, NV
Las Vegas Fire and Rescue, 500 N. Casino Center Blvd., Las Vegas, NV
Lyon County Public Library, 20 Nevin Way, Yerington, NV
Nevada State Library, 100 South Stewart Street, Carson City, NV
Pursuant to NRS 241.020(2)(c), a copy of supporting materials for the meeting may be obtained by contacting Connie Etchison, Executive Administrative Assistant, State Fire Marshal Division, at 775-684-7525, 107 Jacobsen Way, Carson City, NV 89701 or call Connie Etchison at (775) 684-7525 no later than 2 working days prior to the meeting.

NOTE: We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify the Nevada State Fire Marshal Division, 107 Jacobsen Way, Carson City, NV 89701.
June 1, 2022

Proposed Regulation of the State Fire Marshal

Small Business Impact Statement

Pursuant to NRS 233B.0609 (1), the State Fire Marshal is required to make a determination whether its proposed regulations will: (a) impose a direct and significant economic burden upon small business, and (b) directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of small business. NRS 233B.0382 defines Small business: “Small business” means a business conducted for profit which employs fewer than 150 full-time or part-time employees.

The State Fire Marshal has considered the two factors in NRS 233B.0608 (1) and has determined that a Small Business Impact Statement is not required pursuant to NRS 233B.0609 based upon the following:

1. The State Fire Marshal is statutorily directed by NRS 477.030(1) and 477.033, NRS 459.773 and NRS 233B.050(1)(e) to create, amend or delete regulations regarding the protection from fire and other life safety issues and the licensing of contractors in fire protection-related fields.

2. The base fee schedule adopted by the State Fire Marshal has remained unchanged since 2001, with the exception of the elimination in 2011 of a license discounts for some licensees whereby some licensees paid differing amount for the same licenses category. This proposed change to regulation may include an increase to fees. The State Fire Marshal proposes a 20% fee increase for plan review, 10% increase for inspections, and fee increase from $22 to $55 for certificate of compliance.

Last increase of Plan Review was 2-14-2002, Certificate of Compliance fees have not been increased since 7-16-1985

3. Any proposed regulation amendments, including #2 above, will not impose a direct and significant economic burden upon small business and will not directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of small business. Proposed fee increases will continue to be below the industry standard fees from other fire and building agency standards.
I certify that to the best of my knowledge or belief, the information contained in the statement was prepared properly and is accurate. NRS 233B.0609(2)

Respectfully Submitted,

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