

Administrative Rule Analysis



COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS AND VEHICULAR GASEOUS FUEL SYSTEMS

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BACKGROUND & SUMMARY OF PROPOSED RULES SUBMITTED TO JCAR

Rules promulgated under the Fire Prevention Code of 1941 pertaining to compressed natural gas and liquefied natural gas are adopted by reference to national standards published by the National Fire Prevention Association (NFPA) which are intermittently updated. The rules have not been revised since 1996 although the national standards have been updated several times since then. 2013-108-LR rescinds the current rules in their entirety and adopts the current edition of the relevant NFPA standards with specific amendments related to administration by the Bureau of Fire Services. The updated rules will maintain current conduct for the safe dispensing, handling, and use of compressed natural gas and liquefied natural gas while addressing additional fire and explosion hazards and changes in technology.

FISCAL IMPACT OF PROPOSED RULES

The rules rescinded and added by 2013-108-LR would not have a significant fiscal impact on the state or local units of government.

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