FORM 6

South Dakota Electrical Commission Notice of Public Hearing to Adopt Rules

A public hearing will be held via Microsoft Teams on August 27, 2024, at 9:00am (CDT), to consider the adoption and amendment of proposed Administrative Rules of South Dakota numbered:

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§§ 20:44:14:01, 20:44:16:24, 20:44:18:01, 20:44:20:02, 20:44:20:03, 20:44:20:04, 20:44:20:05, 20:44:20:06, 20:44:20:07, 20:44:20:08, 20:44:20:09, 20:44:20:10, 20:44:22:07, 20:44:23:05, and 20:44:24:05.
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The effect of the rules will be the adoption of the 2023 National Electrical Code (NEC), implementing standards for the approval and management of third-party inspectors, and applying the statutory minimum inspection fee of \$100 under SDCL 36-16-30 to all electrical installations permitted by the commission.

The reasons for adopting the proposed rules are to adopt the 2023 NEC, align the feerelated rules with the \$100 minimum fee required under SDCL 36-16-30, and formalize the third-party inspector process.

Persons interested in presenting amendments, data, opinions, and arguments for or against the proposed rules may appear at the hearing, or mail or e-mail them to South Dakota Electrical Commission, 217 W Missouri Ave, Pierre, SD 57501 and electrical@state.sd.us. The deadline to submit any such written comments for consideration by the commission is August 23, 2024.

After the written comment period, the Electrical Commission will consider all written and oral comments it receives on the proposed rules. The Electrical Commission may modify or amend a proposed rule at that time to include or exclude matters that are described in this notice.

For Persons with Disabilities: This hearing will be located at a physically accessible place. Please contact Electrical Commission at least 48 hours before the public hearing if you have special needs for which special arrangements can be made by calling 605-733-3573.

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Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge from:

Electrical Commission and/or rules.sd.gov 217 W Missouri Ave, Pierre, SD 57501 electrical@state.sd.us 605-733-3573

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