

(II) WHETHER STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS HAVE COMPLIED WITH THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION CODE.

(E) COPIES OF STATE FIRE PREVENTION CODE.

THE COMMISSION SHALL MAKE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION A COPY OF THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION CODE, AND ANY AMENDMENTS TO THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION CODE, IN EACH COUNTY COURTHOUSE IN THE STATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 38A, §§ 3(a), (b), (c), (d), and (e) and 4(b).

Subsection (a)(1)(i) of this section is revised to require the Commission to adopt regulations as a State Fire Prevention Code. Consequently, the former power of the Commission to "promulgate, amend, and repeal" regulations is deleted as included in the requirement to "adopt" them. Also, the former requirement to promulgate regulations "by September 1, 1964" is deleted as obsolete.

In subsections (a)(1)(i) and (d)(1) of this section, the words "[t]o protect" are substituted for the former reference to "safeguarding" for clarity.

In subsection (a)(1)(iii) of this section, the former references to the "several counties" and "cities" are deleted as included in the general reference to the "political subdivisions of the State".

In subsection (c)(1) of this section, the reference to "adopting a regulation" is substituted for the former reference to "promulgation, amendment, or repeal of any additional regulation" for consistency with terminology used throughout the revised articles of the Code. See Title 10, Subtitle 1 of the State Government Article. Consequently, the former references to the "amendment" and "repeal" of a regulation are deleted as included in the concept of "adopting" regulations. See SG § 10-101(g). Similarly, in subsection (c)(2)(iii) of this section, the former references to the "amendment" or "repealer" are deleted.

Also in subsection (c)(1) of this section, the former phrase "to be separately submitted" is deleted as implicit in the requirement to hold a hearing on the proposed regulation.

Subsection (c)(2)(i) and (ii) of this section is revised in the active voice to clarify that the Commission is responsible for publishing and sending notice of hearings on proposed regulations.

In subsection (c)(2)(ii) of this section, the former words "firm" and "corporation" are deleted as included in the defined term "person". See § 1-101 of this article.

In subsection (d)(1), (2), and (3)(ii) of this section, the reference to the "State Fire Prevention Code" is substituted for the former references to the "regulations promulgated under this chapter", "regulations promulgated