ALABAMA FIRE COLLEGE AND PERSONNEL STANDARDS COMMISSSION

NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

AGENCY NAME: Alabama Fire College and Personnel Standards Commission

<u>RULE NO. & TITLE</u>: 360-X-1-.01 General Regulations and Administrative Procedures

INTENDED ACTION: Amendment of Certification Standards for Fire Service Personnel

SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:

To remove language expiring volunteer fire fighter certifications.

To clarify that upon re-entry to the fire service and successful challenge of the Fire Fighter I certification examination, levels above Fire Fighter I previously held shall be reinstated without examination.

Provide a mechanism by which to automatically convert the expiring Fire Fighter I certification to Certified Volunteer Fire Fighter, which was previously available upon application of the certificate holder.

<u>TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS</u>: Interested persons may present their views orally or in writing to the Deputy Director of the Alabama Fire College and Personnel Standards Commission, 2501 Phoenix Drive, Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35405, at any time from August 29, 2008 through October 15, 2008.

FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:

Comments will be accepted until the close of the public hearing on the matter on October 15, 2008 at 9:00 a.m.

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