# ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS ALABAMA ENERGY AND RESIDENTIAL CODES BOARD

# NOTICE OF INTENDED ACTION

## **RULE NO. & TITLE:**

305-2-4-.07 "Definitions"

305-2-4-.08 "Commercial Energy Code"

305-2-4-.09 "Residential Building and Energy Code"

#### **INTENDED ACTION:** Amend

**SUBSTANCE OF PROPOSED ACTION:** The Alabama Energy and Residential Codes Board, under the Alabama Department of Economic and Community Affairs, proposes to amend the rules:

- 305-2-4 -.07 "Definitions": The intent of the proposed amendment is to clarify the definitions of "Residential" and "Commercial."
- 305-2-4-.08 "Commercial Energy Code": The intent of the proposed amendment is to clarify which buildings are subject to the Alabama Energy and Residential Codes.
- 305-2-4-.09 "Residential Building and Energy Code": The intent of the proposed amendment is to provide an easier, safer, and cost effective means of insulating the attic access opening while maintaining the intent of the energy code.

### TIME, PLACE, MANNER OF PRESENTING VIEWS:

A public hearing will be held on January 16, 2014 at 1:00 pm in Suite 342 of the Alabama Center for Commerce located at 401 Adams Avenue, Montgomery, AL 36104. Copies of the proposed rule can be obtained at <a href="http://adeca.alabama.gov/energycodes">http://adeca.alabama.gov/energycodes</a>.

All interested parties must present their views in writing to Heather Goggin, ADECA Energy Division, P.O. Box 5690, Montgomery, AL 36103-5690. Individuals may speak to their comments previously submitted in writing at the public hearing on January 16, 2014.

#### **FINAL DATE FOR COMMENT AND COMPLETION OF NOTICE:**

January 16, 2014 at the public hearing

## **CONTACT PERSON AT AGENCY:**

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