

HISTORY OF THE CONNECTICUT FIRE SAFETY CODE

September 29, 1947 - Connecticut Fire Safety Code

Established the first Fire Safety Code as authorized by the Connecticut General Assembly pursuant to Public Act 419 of the Public Acts of 1947. This code was published in progressive installments as follows:

September 29, 1947

Added Sections 172-1-1 to 172-1-25 dealing with Places of Assembly to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

January 19, 1948

Revised current regulations and added Sections 172-1-26 to 172-1-67 dealing with Hotels, Outside Stairs and Heating and Cooking Facilities to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

June 28, 1948

Revised current regulations and added Sections 172-1-68 to 172-1-134 dealing with Hospitals and Convalescent Homes to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

December 15, 1953

Revised current regulations and added Sections 172-1-135 to 172-1-175 dealing with Schools to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

April 27, 1954

Revised current regulations and added Sections 172-1-176 to 172-1-203 dealing with Boarding Homes to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

August 10, 1954

Revised current regulations added Sections 172-1-204 to 172-1-213 dealing with Rooming Houses to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

January 11, 1955

Revised current regulations added Sections 172-1-214 to 172-1-230 dealing with Child Day Care Centers to the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

1956 Connecticut Fire Safety Code

(Revised to January 1, 1956 – various effective dates)

The Connecticut Fire Safety Code had been published in progressive installments since September of 1947. This edition was a compilation of all regulations and amendments as of January 1, 1956.

1971 State Fire Safety Code

(Effective November 30, 1971)

Sections 29-41-1.01 to 29-41-18.25 and Appendix, inclusive, of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

1981 Connecticut State Fire Safety Code

(Effective September 1, 1981)

Section 29-41-19 of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

1987 Connecticut Fire Safety Code

(Effective April 15, 1987)

Section 29-292-1 of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies *(see Connecticut Law Journal March 10, 1987 page 48C)*

- Adopts 1985 edition of National fire Protection Association Standard No. 101, Life Safety Code, (NFPA 101) with Connecticut Amendments

1989 Connecticut Fire Safety Code

(Effective October 16, 1989)

Section 29-292-1b of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

- Adopts 1988 edition of NFPA 101 with Connecticut Amendments

1994 Connecticut Fire Safety Code

(Effective June 15, 1994)

Section 29-292-1c of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

- Adopts 1991 edition of NFPA 101 with Connecticut Amendments
- ***Effective April 25, 1997, errata and revisions were issued for the 1994 Connecticut Fire Safety Code***

1999 Connecticut State Fire Safety Code

(Effective May 1, 1999)

Sections 29-292-1d to 29-292-9d, inclusive, of the Administrative Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies

- Adopts 1997 edition of NFPA 101 with Connecticut Amendments

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