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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

333 MARKET STREET, 14TH FLOOR, HARRISBURG, PA 17101

December 10, 2009

Honorable Sandi Vito, Secretary Department of Labor and Industry 1700 Labor and Industry Building Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Regulation #12-89 (IRRC #2804)
Department of Labor and Industry
Uniform Construction Code

Dear Secretary Vito:

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at www.irrc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

Arthur Coccodrilli

Chairman

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable John R. Gordner, Majority Chairman, Senate Labor and Industry Committee Honorable Christine M. Tartaglione, Minority Chairman, Senate Labor and Industry Committee

Honorable Robert E. Belfanti, Jr., Majority Chairman, House Labor Relations Committee Honorable Gene DiGirolamo, Minority Chairman, House Labor Relations Committee

INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION APPROVAL ORDER

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held December 10, 2009

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Regulation No. 12-89 (#2804) Department of Labor and Industry Uniform Construction Code

On October 23, 2009, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this regulation from the Department of Labor and Industry (Department). This rulemaking amends 34 Pa. Code Chapters 401 and 403. Notice of proposed rulemaking was omitted for this regulation; it will become effective upon publication in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*.

This final-omitted regulation updates the Uniform Construction Code by adopting the 2009 versions of the International Code Council codes, makes amendments from several acts (Act 157 of 2006, Acts 9 and 37 of 2007) and corrects some minor errors in existing regulation.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Department (35 P.S. § 7210.304) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.



Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman