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The word “DELETE” preceding a provision of this section means that such provision deletes the reference section from the International Fuel Gas Code/2009.

The word “AMEND” preceding a provision of this section means that such provision amends the referenced section of the International Fuel Gas Code/2009 to read as provided and that such provision is added to and made a part of such code as though fully set forth at the referenced number.

CHAPTER 1 – SCOPE AND ADMINISTRATION

SECTION 101 (IFGC) GENERAL

AMEND: **101.1 Title.** These regulations shall be known as the Fuel Gas Code of the City of Champaign, hereinafter referred to as “this code.”

SECTION 105 (IFGC) APPROVAL

DELETE: **105.1 Modifications.**

SECTION 106 (IFGC) PERMITS

AMEND: **106.3.2 Time limitation of application.** An application for a permit for any proposed work shall be deemed to have been abandoned 180 days after the date of filing, unless such application has been pursued in good faith or a permit has been issued; except that the code official shall have the authority to grant one or more extensions of time for additional periods not exceeding ~~180~~ **90** days each. The extension shall be requested in writing and justifiable cause demonstrated.

AMEND: **106.5.1 Approved construction documents.** Approved construction documents shall not be changed, modified or altered without authorization from the code official. Work shall be done in accordance with the approved construction documents.

The code official shall have the authority to issue a permit for the construction of a part of an installation before the entire construction documents for the

whole installation have been submitted or approved, provided adequate information and detailed statements have been filed complying with all pertinent requirements of this code. The holder of such permit shall proceed at their own risk without assurance that the permit for the entire installation will be granted.

AMEND: 106.5.3 Expiration. Every permit issued by the code official under the provisions of this code shall expire by limitation and become null and void if the work authorized by such permit is not commenced within 180 days from the date of such permit, or if the work authorized by such permit is suspended or abandoned at any time after the work is commenced for a period of 180 days. Before such work recommences, a new permit shall be obtained and the fees paid.

AMEND: 106.5.4 Extensions. A permittee holding an unexpired permit shall have the right to apply for an extension of the time within which the permittee will commence work under that permit when work is unable to be commenced within the time required by this section for good and satisfactory reasons. The code official shall extend the time for action by the permittee for a period not exceeding 90 days if there is reasonable cause. A permit shall not be extended more than once.

DELETE: 106.5.6 Retention of construction documents.

DELETE: 106.5.7 Previous approvals.

DELETE: 106.6 Fees.

DELETE: 106.6.1 Work commencing before permit issuance.

DELETE: 106.6.2 Fee schedule.

DELETE: 106.6.3 Fee Refunds.

ADD: 106.6 Fee schedule. The fees for all work requiring a permit shall be calculated by the criteria of Section 106.5 Fee Schedule of the 2009 International Mechanical Code as amended.

For all work commenced without a permit for which a permit is required, the fee shall be double the regular permit fee and all work shall be made to comply with the provisions of this code.

SECTION 107 (IFGC) INSPECTIONS AND TESTING

AMEND: 107.4.1 Revocation. The code official is authorized to, ~~in writing,~~ suspend or revoke a notice of approval issued under the provisions of this code wherever the notice is issued in error, on the bases of incorrect information supplied, or where it is determined that the building or structure, premise or portion thereof is in violation of any ordinance or regulations or any of the provisions of this code.

SECTION 108 (IFGC) VIOLATIONS

AMEND: 108.4 Violation penalties. Persons who shall violate a provision of this code or shall fail to comply with any of the requirements thereof of who shall erect, install, alter or repair work in violation of the approved construction documents or directive of the code official, or of a permit or certificate issued under the provisions of this code, shall be subject to the penalties set out in Section 1-21 of the Municipal Code of Champaign, 1985, as amended.

AMEND: 108.7.3 Connection after order to disconnect. A person shall not make energy source connections to installations regulated by this code which have been disconnected or ordered to be disconnected by the code official, or the use of which has been ordered to be discontinued by the code official until the code official authorizes the reconnection and use of such mechanical system.

SECTION 109 (IFGC) MEANS OF APPEAL

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ADD: SECTION 109 MEANS OF APPEAL. Pursuant to Sections 2-444 through 2-447 of the Municipal Code of Champaign, 1985, as amended, the owner of a building or structure or any other aggrieved person may appeal in writing to the Code Enforcement Board of Appeals a decision of the Fire Chief or Fire Chief's designee refusing to issue a permit or grant a modification of the provisions of this code.

CHAPTER 4 – GAS PIPING INSTALLATIONS

SECTION 403 (IFGS) PIPING MATERIALS

DELETE: 403.4.3 Copper and brass.

DELETE: 403.4.4 Aluminum.

DELETE: 403.5 Metallic tubing.

DELETE: 403.5.1 Steel tubing.

DELETE: 403.5.2 Copper and brass tubing.

DELETE: 403.5.3 Aluminum tubing.

SECTION 404 (IFGC) PIPING SYSTEM INSTALLATION

AMEND: 404.1 Prohibited locations. Piping shall not be installed in or through a circulating air duct, clothes chute, chimney or gas vent, ventilating duct, dumbwaiter, elevator shaft, or return air plenum. Piping installed downstream

of the point of delivery shall not exceed through any townhouse unit other than the unit served by such piping.

ADD: **404.1.1 Return air plenum installations.** Piping shall not be installed in return air plenums unless it is welded steel piping conforming to NFPA 54 or other materials approved for plenum installation.

CHAPTER 6 - SPECIFIC APPLIANCES

DELETE: **SECTION 603 (IFGC) LOG LIGHTERS**

DELETE: **SECTION 621 (IFGC) UNVENTED ROOM HEATERS**