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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE LABOR AND
COMMERCE COMMITTEE

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CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 63 (L&C)

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to the plumbing code; and providing
7 for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. AS 18.60.705 is amended to read:

10 Sec. 18.60.705. PLUMBING CODE. The following publications are
11 adopted [DEPARTMENT OF LABOR SHALL ADOPT,] as the official minimum
12 plumbing code for the state: [,]

13 (1) the Uniform Plumbing Code, 1985 [1979] edition, adopted
14 at the 54th [49TH] Annual Conference, September, 1983 [1978], Interna-
15 tional Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, chs. 1 - 13
16 and appendices, Useful Tables, and Installation Standards, but ex-
17 cluding Part I, Administration, pages 1a - 6a, and subject to AS 18.-
18 60.710 - 18.60.740 and the changes specified in (b) of this section;

19 (2) the Uniform Solar Energy Code, 1985 edition, adopted at
20 the 54th Annual Conference, September, 1983, International Association
21 of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, chs. 1 - 9 and appendices, but
22 excluding Part I, Administration, pages 3 - 9; and

23 (3) the Uniform Swimming Pool, Spa and Hot Tub Code, 1985
24 edition, adopted at the 54th Annual Conference, September, 1983,
25 International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, chs.
26 1 - 5, but excluding Part I, Administration, pages 1 - 9.

27 * Sec. 2. AS 18.60.705 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

28 (b) The 1985 edition of the Uniform Plumbing Code adopted under
29 (a)(1) of this section is adopted with the following changes:

1 (1) on page 37, chapter 4, Drainage Systems, section 401,
2 Materials, subsection (a), sub-subsection (2), all material is ex-
3 cluded and the following language is adopted:

4 "(2) ABS or PVC installations are limited to
5 type VN residential construction."

6 (2) on page 45, chapter 5, Vents and Venting, section 503,
7 Materials, subsection (a), sub-subsection (2), all material is ex-
8 cluded and the following language is adopted:

9 "(2) ABS or PVC installations are limited to
10 type VN residential construction."

11 (3) on page 75, chapter 10, Water Distribution, section
12 1004, Materials, subsection (a), the second sentence is not adopted.
13 The third sentence of subsection (a) is excluded and the following
14 language is adopted:

15 "CPVC and PB water pipe and tubing may be used for
16 hot and cold water distribution systems within a type
17 VN residential building."

18 * Sec. 3. AS 18.60.740(1) is amended to read:

19 (1) "code" means the 1985 editions of the Uniform Plumbing
20 Code, the Uniform Solar Energy Code, and the Uniform Swimming Pool,
21 Spa and Hot Tub Code [1979 EDITION], adopted at the 54th [49th] Annual
22 Conference, September, 1983 [1978], International Association of
23 Plumbing and Mechanical Officials, as modified and adopted in
24 AS 18.60.705;

25 * Sec. 4. Notwithstanding secs. 1 - 3 of this Act, the installation of
26 a plastic pipe, made from a substance permitted under the code as amended
27 by this Act, in a plumbing or drainage system before the effective date of
28 this Act may not be held to violate the code as amended by this Act.

29 * Sec. 5. This Act takes effect immediately in accordance with

1 AS 01.10.070(c).