

## Chapter 15.16

### CALIFORNIA ELECTRICAL CODE\* \*\*

#### Sections:

- 15.16.010 Adoption of code.
- 15.16.015 Subsection 230.79(C) One-Family Dwelling - amended.
- 15.16.020 Subsection 334.12(A) Types NM, NMC and NMS – new paragraph added.
- 15.16.025 Paragraph 89.108.4.2 Fees – new subparagraphs added.

\* For state law relating to the authority of towns to regulate electrical wiring, see Gov. C.A. §§38601 and 38660. For adoption of codes by reference, see Gov. C.A. §§50022.1--50022.10.

\* \* Prior history: Ords. 291, 347 and 508 and prior code §§7200 and 9200.

15.16.010 Adoption of code. The 2010 California Electrical Code (Title 24, Part 3), based upon the 2008 National Electrical Code and published by the National Fire Protection Association, 1 Batterymarch Park (P.O. Box 9146), Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9959 and the California Building Standards Commission, 2525 Natomas Park Drive, Suite 130, Sacramento, California 95833-2936, is adopted by reference hereto, subject to any amendments, deletions or additions as set forth in this chapter. A copy of this document is maintained in the office of the Building Official. (Ord. 621 (part) 2010; Ord. 603 (part), 2007; Ord. 571 §2(part), 2002; Ord. 549 (part), 1999; Ord. 532 (part), 1996).

15.16.015 Subsection 230.79(C) One-Family Dwelling - amended. Subsection 230.79(C) “One-Family Dwelling” is amended to read as follows:

(C) One-Family Dwelling. For a one-family dwelling, the service disconnecting means shall have a rating of not less than 100 amperes, 3-wire, under any condition.

(Ord. 621 (part) 2010; Ord. 603 (part), 2007; Ord. 571 §2(part), 2002; Ord. 549 (part), 1999; Ord. 532 (part), 1996).

15.16.020 Subsection 334.12(A) Types NM, NMC and NMS – new paragraph added. Paragraph 334.12(A)(11) is hereby added to Subsection 334.12(A) “Types NM, NMC and NMS” is hereby added to read as follows:

(11) In non-residential applications.

(Ord. 621 (part) 2010; Ord. 603 (part), 2007; Ord. 571 §2(part), 2002; Ord. 549 (part), 1999; Ord. 532 (part), 1996).

15.16.025 Paragraph 89.108.4.2 Fees – new subparagraphs added. Subparagraphs 89.108.4.2.1 and 89.108.4.2.2 are hereby added to Paragraph 89.108.4.2 “Fees” to read as follows:

89.108.4.2.1. Fees shall be set forth in the fee schedule adopted by the latest resolution of the Town Council.

89.108.4.2.2. Any person who commences any electrical work for which a permit by the Town Code or resolution is required, without first having obtained a permit therefore, shall pay in addition to any other penalty or fine, a special investigation fee equal to 10% of the market value of the project commenced without a permit. This provision shall not apply to emergency work when it is proved to the satisfaction of the Building Official that the work was urgently necessary and that it was not practical to obtain the required permit before commencement of the work. In all such emergency cases, a permit must be obtained as soon as it is practical to do so, and if there is an unreasonable delay in obtaining such permit, the investigation fees provided shall be charged, notwithstanding the earlier emergency.

(Ord. 621 (part) 2010; Ord. 603 (part), 2007; Ord. 571 §2(part), 2002; Ord. 549 (part), 1999; Ord. 532 (part), 1996).