



PA 25-157 Codes and Standards Membership Working Group

Minutes, Thursday, March 5, 2026, 10:00am (Teams Meeting – Online)

1. Call to Order

2. Attendance

Jenna Padula, Chair
Michael Marino
Jeffrey Pooler
Robert Hanbury
Michael Nealy
Patrick Tourville
Joseph V. Cassidy
Brian Baril
Terrence Dunn

- 3. Approval of February 5, 2026, Minutes:** Bob Hanbury makes motion to approve minutes. Joe Cassidy seconds motion. All in favor.
- 4. Discussion of history of Codes and Standards Committee membership** Nothing further to discuss from last month's meeting regarding the history of membership.
- 5. State-by-state comparison of code-making bodies (presented by Peter Zvingilas, DAS Assistant Director of Regulatory Compliance)** Presentation on state-by-state comparison of code making bodies.
- 6. Introduction of regulations for discussion at next meeting** Codes and Standards regs to be sent to all members for discussion at April 9, 2026 meeting.
- 7. Adjournment/Next Meeting April 9, 2026, 10:00 am.** Terrance Dunn makes motion to adjourn. Joe Cassidy seconds motion. All in favor.



Public Act 25-157

Sec. 12. (Effective from passage) (a) The Commissioner of Administrative Services shall convene a working group within the Department of Administrative Services to study the Codes and Standards Committee. Such study shall include, but need not be limited to, a review of the membership of, and procedures utilized by, the Codes and Standards Committee, for the purpose of recommending any needed changes to such membership or procedures. (b) The working group shall consist of the following members, none of whom shall be a current member of the Codes and Standards Committee: (1) Four appointed by the Commissioner of Administrative Services; (2) one appointed by the Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection; (3) two designated by the Connecticut Building Officials Association; and (4) two designated by the Connecticut Fire Marshals Association. (c) Not later than July 1, 2026, the working group shall submit a report on its findings and recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to public safety and security, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes. The working group shall terminate on the date that it submits such report or July 1, 2026, whichever is later.

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