Notice of Rule Making

The Arkansas Economic Development Commission Energy Office is in the process of adopting rules for administering Act 7 of 1981, the Arkansas Energy Code for New Building Construction. The purpose for this rule is to update the commercial energy code from ASHRAE 90.1-2001 to ASHRAE 90.1-2007.

The Arkansas Energy Office is soliciting comments on the proposed rules filed with the Secretary of State on October 7, 2011. A public hearing for the proposed rule will be held at 9:30 am on November 8, 2011 in the Bessie Moore room in the Arkansas State Library, room 2103, 2nd floor, 900 West Capitol, Little Rock, AR. Copies of the proposed rule may be found on the Commission's website www.ArkansasEDC.com, the Energy Office's website www.ArkansasEDC.com, the Energy Office's website www.ArkansasEDC.com, or may be obtained by calling (501) 682-7396. Written comments may be submitted through November 7, 2011 by mailing them to Evan Brown c/o Arkansas Energy Office, 900 West Capitol, Suite 400, Little Rock, Arkansas, 72201 or by faxing them to (501) 682-7499. Comments will also be accepted via email at ebrown@ArkansasEDC.com.