Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Mr. Roland Risser, Building Energy Codes Program Manager
U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy
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Washington, DC 20585-0121

Re: State Certification of Residential and Commercial Building Codes Regarding Energy Efficiency

Dear Mr. Risser:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 304(a) of the Energy Conservation and Production Act (ECPA), as amended, this is to certify that the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania has adopted the 2009 International Energy Conservation Code (IECC), and, by reference, ASHRAE 90.1-2007. Enclosed, please find a copy of the public notice issued by the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry (L&I) regarding the adoption of the 2009 IECC as part of the Uniform Construction Code (UCC) (34 Pa. Code §§ 401-405.42), as well as the public notices documenting meetings of the Uniform Construction Code Review and Advisory Council, where the Council discussed and took public comment on whether to adopt any or all of the 2009 ICC codes. L&I’s regulations were promulgated in accordance with Section 304 of the Pennsylvania Construction Code Act (35 P.S. § 7210.304).

Please do not hesitate to contact Daniel Lapato, Department of Environmental Protection, Deputy Director of External Affairs, if any further information is required regarding the Commonwealth’s compliance with Section 304(C) of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act, as amended, by e-mail at dlapato@pa.gov or by telephone at 717.787.6490.

Sincerely,

E. Christopher Abruzzo
Acting Secretary
Department of Environmental Protection

Enclosure

Sincerely,

Julia Hearthrow
Secretary
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