



**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**

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William H. Eubanks, Chairman
State Board of Examiners of Plumbing, Heating, and Fire Sprinkler Contractors
Sent via email only: weubanks@ec.rr.com

Re: Objection to Rule 21 NCAC 50 .0415.

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

At its meeting this morning, the Rules Review Commission objected to the above-captioned temporary Rule in accordance with G.S. 150B-21.1(b).

The Rules Review Commission objected to 21 NCAC 50 .0415 for lack of statutory authority. Specifically, the Commission found that the State Board of Examiners of Plumbing, Heating, and Fire Sprinkler Contractors did not have authority under G.S. 87-1.1 to limit the percentage of electrical contracting work in any bid submitted pursuant to that statute.

Please respond to this letter in accordance with the provisions of G.S. 150B-21.1(b1) or (b2). If you have any questions regarding the Rule Review Commission's action, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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Commission Counsel

cc: Reed Fountain, Rulemaking Coordinator

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Senior Administrative Law Judge

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