April 8, 2011

TO: ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS

FROM: KATHERINE LYNN, DIRECTOR
ALABAMA BUILDING COMMISSION

SUBJECT: ADOPTION OF 2011 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE

1. Effective April 18, 2011, the Alabama Building Commission will adopt, promulgate and
   enforce the 2011 National Electrical Code as the electrical code of the State Building Code.

2. The following grace period shall be provided for plan submittals:
   
   a. All first-time schematic, preliminary and final submittals received on or after April
      18, 2011 must comply with the 2011 National Electrical Code.

   b. All final submittals received before April 18, 2011 must comply with the 2008
      National Electrical Code.

   c. All final submittals received from April 18, 2011 through October 31, 2011 where the
      schematic and/or preliminary submittals were received before April 18, 2011 may be
      completed under the 2008 National Electrical Code or may be revised to comply with
      the 2011 National Electrical Code.