

FINAL REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY ANALYSIS

Department of Commerce

CLEARINGHOUSE RULE NO.: 07-008

RULE NO.: Chapter Comm 67

RELATING TO: Rental Unit Energy Efficiency

Final regulatory flexibility analysis not required. (Statement of determination required.)

1. Reason for including or failing to include the following methods for reducing impact of the rule on small businesses: Less stringent compliance or reporting requirements; less stringent schedules or deadlines for compliance or reporting requirements; simplification of compliance or reporting requirements; establishment of performance standards to replace design or operational standards; exemption from any or all requirements.

No special reporting or operational requirements were created.

2. Issues raised by small businesses during hearings, changes in proposed rules as a result of comments by small businesses and reasons for rejecting any alternatives suggested by small businesses.

A comment raised by small business was to establish a minimum inspection fee in lieu of the maximum fee. Under s. 101.122 (2) (c), Stats. a maximum fee must be established and the current wording under s. Comm 2.35 (5) has now been included under s. Comm 2.35 (3).

3. Nature and estimated cost of preparation of any reports by small businesses.

No new reports required by small businesses have been included in this rule update.

4. Nature and estimated cost of other measures and investments required of small businesses.

None known

5. Additional cost to agency of administering or enforcing a rule which includes any of the methods in 1. for reducing impact on small businesses.

Not applicable

6. Impact on public health, safety and welfare caused by including any of the methods in 1. for reducing impact on small businesses.

Not applicable