

HB 1809 -- Building Codes

Sponsor: Wyatt

This bill authorizes the county commission in any county to adopt regulations to control the construction, reconstruction, alteration or repair of buildings or structures, any electrical wiring or installation, and plumbing or drain laying and to provide for the issuance of building permits, adopt regulations licensing persons, firms, and public utilities and their contractors; provide for inspections; establish a schedule of permit, license, and inspection fees; and a building commission to prepare the regulations. Currently, only county commissions of the first and second classification have this authorization.

The bill also specifically lists by name the codes as published by the International Code Council that a county, fire protection district, or municipality may adopt by reference.