

**REGULATION 5 - 2007  
AMENDING SECTIONS I AND II OF REGULATION 1-97**

The Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District met in regular session on the 17th day of September 2007 with the following members present:

Mark A. Rippe, President  
Thomas W. Chatham, Vice President  
Jim Brett  
Kenneth G. Amend, MD  
Tracey A. Puthoff, Esq

*Present*  
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*Jim Brett* moved for the adoption of the following regulation:

**Regulation 5-2007 amending Regulation 1-97, Rules and Regulations for the Maintenance, Installation, and Inspection of Plumbing Sections I, and Section II (B) pursuant to Ohio Revised Code (ORC) section 3709.21**

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District has the authority, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3709.21, to make such Orders and Regulations as are necessary for its own government, for the public health, the prevention or restriction of disease, and the prevention, abatement and suppression of nuisances; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Health of Hamilton County General Health District is mandated to adopt such rules and regulations as it deems necessary for the public health, the prevention or restriction of disease, and the prevention abatement and suppression of nuisances; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District has determined it is necessary to amend Plumbing Regulation 1-97, by adding the following to Regulation 1-97:

Section I-Definitions:

*Specialty Contractor - a contractor restricted to install only outside water service mains and outside sanitary sewer piping.*

Section II-Registration and Bond, Paragraph B:

*All contractors obtaining a residential plumbing permit must show proof of their Ohio Plumbing Contractors License issued by the Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board except those obtaining a "Homeowners" permit or contractors registered as a "Specialty Contractor"*

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District hereby amends Regulation 1-97, Rules and Regulations for the Maintenance, Installation, and Inspection of plumbing to become effective on January 1, 2008; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District that the Regulation be recorded and certified and become a part of the record of the local Regulations of the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Health of Hamilton County General Health District hereby finds by a vote of at least three-fourths of its members that this Regulation be read only once and the requirement that it be read on three different days be dispensed with as provided by law; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that any previous regulation, rule, or policy adopted by the Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District, that in any way conflicts with this regulation in part or in whole, is hereby rescinded and repealed in part or in whole to the extent of any conflict; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, by this Board of Health of Hamilton County General Health District, that this regulation be published in one newspaper of general circulation within the Hamilton County General Health District once a week for two consecutive weeks and that the first publication take place no later than ten (10) days prior to the effective date of the amended regulation; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Board of Health of the Hamilton County General Health District find and determine that all formal actions relative to the passage of this regulation were taken in an open meeting of this board and that all deliberations of this board and of its committees, if any, which resulted in formal action, were taken in meetings open to the public, in full compliance with the applicable legal requirement, including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Thomas W. Chatham seconded the motion and upon roll call, the vote was as follows:

Mark A. Rippe, President	<u>Yes</u>
Thomas W. Chatham, Vice President	<u>Yes</u>
Tracey Puthoff, Esq	<u>Yes</u>
Kenneth G. Amend, M.D.	<u>Yes</u>
Jim Brett	<u>Yes</u>

Board of Health of the Hamilton County Health District

Mark A. Rippe  
Mark A. Rippe, President of the Board

Attest: Timothy I. Ingram  
Timothy I. Ingram  
Secretary to the Board

Date: Oct. 8, 2007

This regulation was approved as to form by the Office of the Hamilton County Prosecuting Attorney, Joseph Deters, Prosecutor.

By: Nee Fong Chin  
Nee Fong Chin, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney

Date: October 8, 2007