Amendment Summary:

These amendments have been made to clarify the standards for low frequency alarms in sleeping areas. Subsequent to the adoption of the 2014 OSSC, including the referenced standards NFPA 72-13 and 720-12, the division was informed by stakeholders and industry representatives that while devices for central systems are available, low frequency smoke and carbon monoxide alarms for single- and multiple-station applications are not available to meet the OSSC requirements.

These amendments have been formatted as insert pages for the 2014 OSSC. When inserted into the code, amendments will face the page containing the existing code language. Pages have been left blank for this purpose.

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[F]907.2.11 Single- and multiple-station smoke alarms. Listed single- and multiple-station smoke alarms complying with UL 217 shall be installed in accordance with Sections 907.2.11.1 through 907.2.11.4 and NFPA 72. Section 29.3.8 of NFPA 72 is not adopted.
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908.7 Carbon monoxide alarms. Approved carbon monoxide alarms in new buildings and structures shall be provided in the locations described in Sections 908.7.1 and 908.7.2. Section 9.4.2.2 of NFPA 720 is not adopted.