

STATE OF TENNESSEE

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT 220 French Landing Drive Nashville, TN 37243

August 11, 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE The Quarterly Meeting of the Board of Boiler Rules

TENNESSEE ROOM

Wednesday – September 10, 2025 9:00 AM (CT)

The mission of the **TN Board of Boiler Rules** is to support the Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development's Boiler Unit by formulating definitions, rules, and regulations for the safe and proper installation, repair, and operation of boilers and pressure vessels.

The **TN Board of Boiler Rules** is dedicated to safeguarding all individuals from the potential hazards associated with operating these systems.

The **TN Board of Boiler Rules** is currently composed of five (5) members. **Workplace Regulations and Compliance Division contact:**

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AGENDA

- 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
- 2. INTRODUCTIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 3. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA
- 4. APPROVAL OF THE MEETING MINUTES AND TRANSCRIPT (June 11, 2025)
- 5. BOILER UNIT'S REPORTS
- 6. OLD BUSINESS
 - A. Variance Requests:
 - 25-03: Jack Daniels Distillery, in Lynchburg, TN, is seeking an Attendant Variance Approval to operate its existing high-pressure boiler (NB# 11990) with a new microprocessor-based remote-control system (Autoflame MK8). This new system will adhere to the Board of Boiler Rules guidelines for Computerized Remote Monitoring of Boiler Systems.

7. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Variance Requests:
 - **25-07: West Tennessee Healthcare North Hospital,** in **Jackson, TN**, is seeking an **Attendant Variance Approval** to operate its two (2) existing high-pressure boilers (Cleaver Brooks) with new microprocessor-based remote-control systems (CB780E / CB120E). These new systems will adhere to the Board of Boiler Rules guidelines for Computerized Remote Monitoring of Boiler Systems.

- 25-08: US Nitrogen, in Midway, TN, is seeking an Attendant Variance
 Approval to operate its four (4) existing high-pressure boilers (Babcock &
 Wilcox, Rentech Boilers Systems, Inc, and Struthers Wells Gulport Inc.) with
 new microprocessor-based remote-control systems (DCS Emerson Delta V).
 These new systems will adhere to the Board of Boiler Rules guidelines for
 Computerized Remote Monitoring of Boiler Systems.
- 25-09: East Tennessee Children's Hospital, in Knoxville, TN, is seeking an Attendant Variance Approval to operate its six (6) existing high-pressure boilers (Steris) with new microprocessor-based remote-control systems (323-300033-035). These new systems will adhere to the Board of Boiler Rules guidelines for Computerized Remote Monitoring of Boiler Systems.

B. BOARD CASES & INTERPRETATIONS:

• BC 12-18 – Extension to BC 01-15 – Routine Repairs in TN – Verbiage Change

8. UPCOMING 2025 SCHEDULED QUARTERLY MEETINGS

December 11, 2025

9. ADJOURNMENT