# **Publication contracts summary:**

Historically, an NCB (non-competitive bid) justification has been submitted for approval to use the three separate publishing entities for the California Building Standards Code triennial publication and subsequent supplements and errata. The publication NCB 's have routinely been approved as the State licenses intellectual property from these sole sources and amendments it, where appropriate, with California language.

Contracts for the 2007 and 2010 publications were prepared by CBSC and sent directly to the respective publishers for review and signature. If memory serves correct, Jim consulted with Alex Holtz concerning OLS review/approval of the 2010 contracts and was advised that they didn 't need to be reviewed since they were pretty much boiler-plate, **no-dollar value/exchange**.

### 2013 Contracts:

IAPMO: Executed July 26, 2012

NFPA/BNI: Executed October 23, 2012

ICC: Executed November 7, 2012

### 2016 Contracts:

#### Factors:

- CBSC commenced discussions with publishers concerning 2016 agreements in June 2015;
- NCB justification(s) was submitted and approved for all agreements by (date)
- CBSC was advised of the new OBAS requirement (additional step; new terms) in late June/early July 2015.
  - ICC contracts were submitted to OBAS on January 21, 2016, which specified a contract start date of January 1, 2016;
  - IAPMO and NFPA contracts were submitted to OBAS on February 23, 2016, which specified contract start dates of January 1, 2016.

## **Current Issues:**

- 1. **0 of 4** contracts have been executed to date and much of the work has been done (estimate ≥ 50%);
- 2. OBAS proposed that all four publication agreements need to reflect a start date of May 1, 2016. A great deal of the contracted work has been completed.
- 3. CBSC has a definitive publication date of **July 1, 2016**. Pushing the start date of these agreements will not reflect the reality of the process.