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IWUIC27-24	IWUIC	IWUIC: SECTION 202 (New), 504.2.1 (New), 504.8, 505.2.1 (New), 505.8, 506.2.1 (New), 506.5 (New),	WUIC Building Envelope Requirements	Robert Marshall	FCAC, FCAC	This proposal adds a new definition for Exterior Glazed Door: "an operable opening in the building envelope that contains fixed glazing". It requires exterior glazed doors having a glazed area of 25% or greater to be multi-layered with at least one glazed panel tempered, and have a minimum fire protection rating when tested in accordance with NFPA 257 or UL 9 and be exempt from the hose stream test. These changes affect sections 504.8, 505.8, and 506.8. This proposal also adds requirements for skylights adding that they follow the revised requirements of 504.8 and 505.8.	Oppose	Disapprove	Win
IWUIC28-24	IWUIC	SECTION 202 (New), 504.2.1 (New), 504.8, 505.2.1 (New), 505.8, 506.2.1 (New), 506.5 (New), NFPA (New), UL Chapter 07 (New)	WUIC Building Envelope Requirements	Jennifer Hatfield	J. Hatfield & Associates, Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance	FGIA/WDMA co-sponsored proposal -- the proposal adds a new definition for Glazed Door: "exterior door having a glazed area of 25 percent or greater of the area of the door". It eliminate the single pane tempered glass for the exterior glazing requirements for Class 1 and 2 stemming in the California Code. It also defines multi-layered glazed panels as those containing at least one tempered pane. The fire protection rating of not less than 20 minutes remains. It adds a pointer to the rating to be in accordance with NFPA 257 or UL 9.	Significant Support	Disapprove	Loss
IWUIC54-24	IWUIC	IWUIC: SECTION 504, 504.2.3 (New), 504.5, 504.8, 504.8.1 (New), 504.8.2 (New), 504.11, 504.11.1, 504.11.2 (New), 504.11.3 (New), 504.11.4 (New), 504.11.5 (New), 504.11.6 (New)	Tempered Glazing in Windows and Doors. Screening in Skylights. Fire Protection Testing of Door in WUIC.	Crystal Sujeski	CAL FIRE/Office of the State Fire Marshal	For Class 1 ignition-resistant construction, this proposal adds new language for construction methods for exterior wildfire exposure. It requires exterior windows and exterior glazed doors having a glazed area of 25% or more of the door area to have at least one tempered panel and have a minimum fire protection rating of 20 minutes when tested in accordance with NFPA 257 or UL 9. It requires operable skylights to be protected by a non-combustible mesh screen with the openings in the screen to not exceed 1/8". It requires exterior doors to be either non-combustible, solid-core not less than 1-3/4" in thickness, have a fire-protection rating of not less than 20 minutes when tested to NFPA 252, or the exterior surface or cladding to be tested to meet the performance requirements of Section 504.9.3 when tested in accordance with ASTM E2707, with the condition that the test be conducted on a minimum of three test specimens. This impacts all buildings (i.e. primary and secondary detached).	Oppose	Disapprove	Win
E48-24	IBC	IBC: SECTION 202 (New), 1010.1.4, 1010.1.6, 1011.5.5.2, 1011.6, 1011.8, 1011.14, 1027.3; IFC: SECTION 202 (New), [BE] 1010.1.4, [BE] 1010.1.6, [BE] 1011.5.5.2, [BE] 1011.6, [BE] 1011.8, [BE] 1011.14, [BE] 1027.3	Revision of the Definition of Landing	David Cooper	Stair Manufacturing and Design Consultants, Stairbuilders and Manufacturers Association, SMA	This proposal revises the section on thresholds removing the requirement where they meet the finished floor. This substitutes "landing" as the finished floor.	Oppose	Disapprove	Win

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E49-24	IBC	IBC: 1010.1.4, 1010.1.6; IFC: [BE] 1010.1.4, [BE] 1010.1.6	Door Thresholds in Type B Units	Jennifer Hatfield	J. Hatfield & Associates, Fenestration & Glazing Industry Alliance	This proposal clarifies that higher door thresholds may be allowed in Type B units to meet water testing requirements in the IBC.	Support	Disapprove	Loss
E115-24	IBC	IBC: 1031.2.1, 1031.3, 1031.3.3, 1031.6; IFC: [BE] 1031.2.1, [BE] 1031.3, [BE] 1031.3.3, [BE] 1031.6	Fall Prevention Devices Complying with ASTM F2090	Jeff Grove	Chair, Building Code Action Committee	This proposal makes correlation between the IBC and IRC. It adds fall prevention devices complying with ASTM F2090 to be permitted for use on windows serving as required EERO's, and clarifies the maximum height from the floor the bottom of the clear opening shall be.	Support	As Submitted	Win
F155-24	IFC	IFC: 1032.7	Opening Control Devices Complying with ASTM 2090	Jeff Grove	Chair, Building Code Action Committee	This proposal adds language allowing window-opening control devices complying with ASTM F2090 to be permitted for use on windows serving as a required EERO.	Support	As Submitted	Win
FS27-24	IBC	IBC: 707.4, 707.4.1 (New), 707.4.2 (New), 708.5.1 (New)	Exterior walls of shafts, separations, or stairway, ramp, or exit passageway enclosures	Angela Haupt	City of Kirkland, City of Kirkland WA, Plan Review Supervisor	The purpose of this code change proposal is to provide a measure of protection to prevent fire from spreading around fire barriers and dwelling/sleeping unit fire partitions where they intersect exterior walls. This appears to include windows and doors.	Watch Oppose	Disapprove	Win
FS37-24	IBC	712.1.15, 711.4 (New), 711.5 (New)	Skylights in rated roof decks	Jeffrey Grove	Coffman Engineers, Coffman Engineers	The code does not address unprotected openings within a fire-resistance-rated roof assembly. Historically the skylight section has been used to permit unprotected openings within a fire-resistance rated roof deck or slab as the IBC Code Commentary states that "fire-resistance-rated roof construction is not intended to create a barrier in order to contain the fire within the building.	Watch Oppose	As Modified	Win
FS43-24	IBC	SECTION 202 (New), 714.2, 715.2, 715.2.1	MANUFACTURER'S INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS	William Koffel	Koffel Associates, Inc., Firestop Contractors International Association	Adds a definition for the manufacturer's installation instructions. States that they are "printed"	Oppose	As Modified	Win
FS59-24	IBC	TABLE 716.1(2)	Opening Fire Protection Assemblies	Robert Marshall	FCAC, FCAC	Adds another standard for compliance with the fire resistance rating of glazing- UL263	Watch Support	As Submitted	Win
FS60-24	IBC	TABLE 716.1(2)	OPENING FIRE PROTECTION ASSEMBLIES, RATINGS AND MARKINGS	Richard Walke	Creative Technology Inc., SAFTIFIRST	Fire-protection-rated glazing tested as part of the door assembly to NFPA 252, UL 10B or UL 10C shall be permitted, in the maximum size tested.	Watch Support	As Submitted	Win
FS62-24	IBC	TABLE 716.1(2), 716.2.5.4	OPENING FIRE PROTECTION ASSEMBLIES, RATINGS AND MARKINGS	Richard Walke	Creative Technology Inc., SAFTIFIRST	This proposal is intended to increase the required level of fire performance for glazing within fire door assemblies and within sidelights and transom panels in 2 hr exterior wall applications.	Watch Oppose	Disapprove	Win
FS63-24	IBC	TABLE 716.1(2), TABLE 716.1(3)	FIRE DOOR ASSEMBLY RATINGS AND FIRE-RATED GLAZING MARKINGS	Richard Walke	Creative Technology Inc., SAFTIFIRST	This proposal is intended to ensure code users are aware that glazing in or around door assemblies and in fire window assemblies is in most cases required to meet the safety glazing requirements of Chapter 24.	Watch Oppose	Disapprove	Win

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FS64-24	IBC	716.2.2.3, 716.2.2.3.1, 716.2.2.3.2 (New)	Doors in interior exit stairways and ramps and exit passageways.	John Woestman	Kellen Company, Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association	This proposal prohibits the use of louvers in fire door assemblies in interior exit stairways and ramps and exit passageways. Also provides clarifying language	Watch Support	As Submitted	Win
FS66-24	IBC	716.2.9, 716.2.9.1, 716.2.9.1.1, 716.2.9.4, 716.2.9.6	Fire door labeling requirements.	Jonathan Roberts	UL Solutions, UL Solutions	This proposal is essentially editorial and does not include any new technical requirements. This proposal also follows standard IBC language for requirements for products to "listed and labeled" and changes "third-party" to "approved agency" as this term is defined in the IBC.	Watch Support	As Submitted	Win
FS98-24	IBC	1402.2, 1402.3 (New), [BS] 1402.3, FIGURE 1402.3 (New), TABLE 1402.3 (New)	Rainwater Resistance	Jay Crandell	P.E., ABTG / ARES Consulting, myself	A risk-consistent basis for addressing wind-driven rain and resistance to water intrusion	Watch Oppose	Disapprove	Win
FS115-24	IBC	1404.4.1, AAMA Chapter 35 (New), ABTG (New)	Fenestration flashing	Jay Crandell	P.E., ABTG / ARES Consulting, Foam Sheathing Committee of the American Chemistry Council	Adds references to WDMA 500 and FS200.1 for flashing around fenestration	Watch Support	As Submitted	Win
P162-24 P1	IPC	Numerous IPC Changes adds new appendix and Definitions	Bedroom Definition	Andrew Bevis	Chair, Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas Code Action Committee	Major PMGCAC update includes definition for bedroom	Oppose	Disapprove	Win
P162-24 P2	IRC	Numerous IRC Plumbing Changes adds new appendix and Definitions	Bedroom Definition	Andrew Bevis	Chair, Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas Code Action Committee	Major PMGCAC update includes definition for bedroom	Oppose	Disapprove	Win
G25-24	IBC	IBC: [F] 415.11.1.2	Separation	William Koffel	Koffel Associates, Inc., Semiconductor Industry Association	Adds the option for automatic closing fire door assemblies.	Watch Support	Disapprove	Loss