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VOTING RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ONLINE GOVERNMENTAL CONSENSUS VOTING

2016 ICC GROUP B CODE DEVELOPMENT CYCLE FOR THE 2018 EDITION OF THE I-CODES



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PREFACE

The ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter Administration Committee – Code Coordination Effort (“LABC-A Committee”) is taking the lead to facilitate and strengthen code coordination efforts among the various participating chapters, organizations and jurisdictions in California (“CA”). It is the LABC-A Committee’s goal that increasing collaboration among the various participating CA chapters, organizations and jurisdictions regarding code change proposals will help ensure that the voices of all CA Governmental Member Voting Representatives (“GMVR”) are uniform and consistent. As such, the LABC-A Committee believes that these efforts will help to enable CA to have a significant impact on the code development process at the national level. The LABC-A Committee looks forward to working with participating members and interested parties in supporting these efforts and helping to make CA once again become a leader in the code development process.

DISCUSSION

The LABC-A Committee has been working closely with various CA governmental members that represent participating CA chapters, organizations and jurisdictions engaged in the code development process to evaluate and recommend positions on select code change proposals. With that effort now complete, the LABC-A Committee is recommending to all CA GMVR to support the CA consensus recommended positions pertaining to select code change proposals that were individually considered and received a final action during the International Code Council (“ICC”) Public Comment Hearings held on October 19-25 of 2016 in Kansas City, MO.

This document consolidates and summarizes the recommended desired actions by the various participating CA chapters, organizations and jurisdictions to ensure ease of comparison and review for other CA governmental members. The LABC-A Committee hopes that this document will help to serve as a guide for all CA GMVR when evaluating what code change proposals with a final action to vote for online. For more commentary from the various participating CA chapters, organizations and jurisdictions, including all the recommended positions not included in this document, please refer to the excel file titled “2016 ICC-CAH-PCH Group B for the 2018 I-Codes” and any other supporting documents on the ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter’s website at http://www.icclabc.org/Code_Coordination.html. The LABC-A Committee encourages all CA GMVR to go online and vote on these select code change proposals.

The ICC Online Governmental Consensus Voting (“OGCV”) period begins November 8, 2016 and concludes November 22, 2016. All online votes must be cast using cdpACCESS. In order to vote during this period, please make sure you are registered with the ICC before logging into the cdpACCESS.

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- City of Long Beach, Building and Safety Bureau
- City of San Diego, Building and Safety Division
- County of Los Angeles, Building and Safety Division
- County of Riverside, Fire Authority
- ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter
- ICC Tri-Chapters (Bay, Monterey, and Peninsula)
- ICC Sacramento Valley Association of Building Officials

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AM	Approved as Modified at the Committee Action Hearing
AMPC	Approved as Modified by Public Comment
AS	Approved as Submitted
CA	California
CAH	Committee Action Hearings
COLA	City of Los Angeles, Department of Building and Safety
COLB	City of Long Beach, Building and Safety Bureau
COSD	City of San Diego, Department of Development Services
D	Disapproved
FPO	CA Fire Protection Organization
GMVR	Governmental Member Voting Representative
ICC	International Code Council
LABC	ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter
LABC-A	ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter, Administration Committee
LABC-F	ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter, Fire-Life Safety Committee
LABC-S	ICC Los Angeles Basin Chapter, Structural Committee
LACO	Los Angeles County, Building and Safety Division
OGCV	Online Governmental Consensus Voting
PCH	Public Comment Hearings
SVABO	Sacramento Valley Association of Building Officials
TC	Tri-Chapter Code Change Committee

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		COLA	COLB	COSD	FPO	LABC	LACO	SVABO	TC	
INTERNATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS										
ADM35-16 Part III	Definition for Residential Building	D	D	D	D			D		Disapprove
ADM36-16	Scope of the IRC	AMPC	AMPC	AS	AMPC			AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
ADM50-15	Application of the IRC	D	D	D	D			D		Disapprove
ADM55-16 Part I	General, Written Policy Requirement	D	D	D	D			D		Disapprove
ADM87-16	Weather Exposed Balcony and Walking Surface Waterproofing	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC				AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
ADM94-16 ASCE7-16	Referenced Standards, ASCE7-16	AS	AS	AS		AS	AS	AS		As Submitted
INTERNATIONAL FIRE CODE										
F29-16	Crowd Managers	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC			AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
F223-16	Carbon Monoxide Detection, where Required	D	D	D	D			D		Disapprove
F338-16	Plant Processing and Extraction Facilities (Marijuana)	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC			AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
F340-16	Higher Education Laboratories	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC			AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
F372-16	Carbon Dioxide Enrichment Systems (Marijuana)	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC			AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
F386-16	Dispensing of Motor Vehicle Fuel from Tank Vehicles	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC			AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment

FOOTNOTE:

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		COLA	COLB	COSD	FPO	LABC	LACO	SVABO	TC	
INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE – BUILDING										
RB17-16	Seismic Design Categories	AS	AS	AS		AS		AS		As Submitted
RB25-16	Minimum Uniformly Distributed Live Loads	D	D	D		D	D	D	D	Disapprove
RB27-16	Minimum Uniformly Distributed Live Loads	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
RB129-16	Automatic Fire Sprinkler Systems	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	Disapprove
RB168-16	Tiny Houses	D	D	D		D	D	D	D	Disapprove
RB372-16	Seismic Repair and Retrofit of Masonry Chimneys	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE – STRUCTURAL										
S7-16	Ventilation Beneath Balcony	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
S74-16	Risk Category of Buildings and Other Structures	D	D	D		D	D	D		Disapprove
S101-16	Fire Wall Structural Stability	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
S146-16	Special Inspection of Structural Steel	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		As Modified by Public Comment
S166-16	Foundation	AS	AS	AS		AS	AS	AS	AS	As Submitted
S241-16	Temporary Earth Retention Systems	D	D	D		D		D		Disapprove
S279-16	Supporting Members for Permeable Floors and Roofs	AMPC	AMPC	AMPC		AMPC		AMPC	AMPC	As Modified by Public Comment
S314-16	Tsunami Hazard	D	D	D		D		D	D	Disapprove

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