

Proposed Regulatory Changes – 120-3-3

The purposes of these proposed changes are to correct an inaccurate reference in a code chart, to address conflicts between the Life Safety Code and the International Fire Code, and to update the editions of the NFPA Code cited.

- I. **A modification is needed to correct inaccuracies in the following code reference chart found in 102-3-3-.04(3)(10). The Commissioner previously issued Bulletin 20-EX-1 addressing these inaccuracies. Because the chart is embedded as an image in the regulation, we will need to strike the whole thing and put a new version in with only these changes:**

**Table 102.13**

Area	Primary	Supplement
Portable Fire Extinguishers	<del>LSC &amp; NFPA 96</del> <u>IFC</u>	NONE
Cooking Equipment	<del>IFC</del> <u>LSC &amp; NFPA 96</u>	NONE

So the final version will look like this:

<b>Table 102.13 Codes Reference Guide</b>		
<u>Area</u>	<u>Primary</u>	<u>Supplement</u>
<u>Occupancy Classification</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>IBC</u>
<u>Building Construction Types, including allowable height, allowable building area, and the requirements for sprinkler protection related to minimum building construction types</u>	<u>IBC</u>	<u>LSC</u>
<u>Means of Egress</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Standpipes</u>	<u>IBC</u>	<u>IFC</u>
<u>Interior Finish</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>HVAC Systems</u>	<u>IMC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Vertical Openings</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Sprinklers Systems minimum construction standard</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Fire Alarm Systems</u>	<u>LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Smoke alarms &amp; Smoke Detection Systems</u>	<u>State Statute &amp; LSC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Portable Fire Extinguishers</u>	<u>IFC</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Cooking Equipment</u>	<u>LSC &amp; NFPA 96</u>	<u>NONE</u>
<u>Fuel Fired Appliances</u>	<u>IFGC</u>	<u>NFPA 54</u>

<u>Liquid Petroleum Gas</u>	<u>NFPA 58</u>	<u>NFPA 54</u>
<u>Compressed Natural Gas</u>	<u>NFPA 52</u>	<u>NONE</u>

**II. A modification is needed to address conflicts between the Life Safety Code and the International Fire Code relating to tents found in 120-3-3-.04(72)(i). The Commissioner issued Bulletin 20-EX-1 addressing these inaccuracies.**

8. Delete subsection 11.11.5 in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

"11.11.5 Extinguishing Equipment:

11.11.5.1 Portable Fire Extinguishers. Portable fire extinguishers shall be provided in all tents in accordance with 9.9."

8. Delete Section 11.11 Tents and all subsections thereunder in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

11.11 Tents. Tents shall comply with all applicable requirements of Chapter 31 of the International Fire Code as adopted in the Rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner Chapter 120-3-3.

**III. A modification is needed for 120-3-3-.04(50) to update the edition of NFPA.**

120-3-3-.04(5) (50) NFPA 70, ~~2017~~ 2020 Edition, *National Electrical Code*

**IV. A modification is needed for 120-3-3-.04(72)(j) and (k) due to a conflict between the Life Safety Code and International Fire Code regarding indoor displays of vehicles. This modification would be an adoption of the IFC standard, the more restrictive of the two:**

120-3-3-.04(72)(j)(9). Delete section 12.7.5.4 and subsections 12.7.5.4.1 through 12.7.5.4.4 and substitute in its place the following. [Subsection 12.7.5.4.5 remains unchanged]

12.7.5.4 Vehicles. Vehicles on display indoors or within an exhibition facility shall comply with 2018 International Fire Code Section 314.4 as adopted in rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner Chapter 120-3-3

10. Delete subsection 12.7.6 in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

"12.7.6 Crowd Managers. Crowd managers shall be provided as required by 403.12.3 of the IFC, as adopted by Chapter 120-3-3 of the Rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner."

11. Delete subsection 12.7.13 in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

“12.7.13 Emergency Planning and Preparedness. Assembly occupancies (Group A) shall develop policies, procedures, plans, staff training, and safety practices for the protection of life prior to and during an emergency condition. Such policies, procedures, plans, staff training, and safety practices shall be developed and implemented in accordance with applicable provisions of Chapter 4 of the International Fire Code, as adopted by the Rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner.”

120-3-3-.04(72)(k)(6) Delete section 13.7.5.4 and subsections 13.7.5.4.1 through 13.7.5.4.4 and substitute in its place the following. [Subsection 13.7.5.4.5 remains unchanged]

13.7.5.4 Vehicle. Vehicles on display indoors or within an exhibition facility shall comply with 2018 International Fire Code Section 314.4 as adopted in rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner Chapter 120-3-3

7. Delete subsection 13.7.6 in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

“13.7.6 Crowd Managers. Crowd managers shall be provided as required by 403.12.3 of the IFC, as adopted by Chapter 120-3 -3 of the Rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner.”

8. Delete subsection 13.7.7 in its entirety and substitute in its place the following:

“13.7.7 Emergency Planning and Preparedness. Assembly occupancies (Group A) shall develop policies, procedures, plans, staff training, and safety practices for the protection of life prior to and during an emergency condition. Such policies, procedures, plans, staff training, and safety practices shall be developed and implemented in accordance with applicable provisions of Chapter 4 of the International Fire Code, as adopted by the Rules and Regulations of the Safety Fire Commissioner.”

**V. A modification is needed to remove a citation to a specific edition of NFPA 1124 in 120-3-3-.04(168). We have adopted this standard by statute, so no reference to a specific edition is necessary.**

(168) NFPA 1124 ~~,2017 Edition~~, Code for the Manufacture, Transportation, Storage and Retail Sales of Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles