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Glitch/Errata Code Change Cycle for the 2023 update to the Florida Building Code

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To All Interested Parties:**RE: 8th Edition (2023) Florida Building Code****Glitch/Errata Code Change Cycle for the 2023 update to the Florida Building Code**

Purpose: To allow an opportunity to fix unforeseen conflicts and demonstrated errors.

Submittal Deadline:

- The deadline for submitting proposals for consideration in the glitch/errata code change cycle is **November 1, 2023**.

Errata - means a list of errors on current and previous editions of the Florida Building.

Criteria for Glitch Code Change:

In order for a proposed code change to be accepted as a glitch change, it must meet the following requirements:

(1) It must fall within one of the following criteria:

- Conflicts within the updated code;
- Conflicts between the updated code and the Florida Fire Prevention Code adopted pursuant to chapter 633;
- Equivalency of standards;
- Changes to or inconsistencies with federal or state law;

- Adoption of an updated edition of the National Electrical Code if the Commission finds that delay of implementing the updated edition causes undue hardship to stakeholders or otherwise threatens the public health, safety, and welfare; or

- Unintended results from the integration of previously adopted Florida-specific amendments with the model code.

(2) The proponent must address as part of the rationale for the proposed code change the following:

- Whether the proposed code change falls within the glitch criteria stated above.
- Whether the proposed code change has a Florida specific need.
- What the impact is on small businesses.
- Whether the proposed code change has a reasonable and substantial connection with the health, safety, and welfare of the general public.
- Whether the proposed code change strengthens or improves the Florida Building Code.
- The proposed code change does not discriminate against materials, products, methods, or systems of construction of demonstrated capabilities.
- The proposed code change does not degrade the effectiveness of the Florida Building Code.

Please send your comments/proposals to the following email address: mo.madani@myfloridalicense.com.

Should you have questions, we can be reached at (850) 487-1824.

Thank you!

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