

**UPDATED INFORMATIVE DIGEST
FOR
PROPOSED BUILDING STANDARDS
OF THE
CALIFORNIA BUILDING STANDARDS COMMISSION**

**REGARDING THE 2010 CALIFORNIA MECHANICAL CODE
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24, PART 4**

The California Building Standards Commission finds that no revisions have been made which would warrant a change to the informative digest contained in the Notice for 2010 California Mechanical Code, Part 4, California Code of Regulations.

Summary of the Immediately Preceding Laws and Regulations

Health & Safety Code Section 18928. Model code, national standard, or specification; adoption of and reference to the most recent addition; date of publication; committee Authorizes the commission to amend the most recent edition of the California Mechanical Code.

Health & Safety Code Section 18928(b). Model code, national standard, or specification; adoption of and reference to the most recent addition; date of publication; committee sets forth that each state agency adopting or proposing adoption of a model code, national standard, or specification shall adopt or propose adoption of the most recent edition of the model code, as amended or proposed to be amended by the adopting agency, within one (1) year after the date of publication of the model code, national standard, or specification.

Health & Safety Code Section 18934.5. Standards or administrative regulations for state buildings; adoption, approval, codification and publication sets forth that where no state agency has the authority to adopt building standards applicable to state buildings, the commission shall adopt, approve, codify, and publish building standards providing the minimum standards for the design and construction of state buildings.

Health & Safety Code Section 18938(b). Publication, effective date sets forth that building standards contained in the model codes, as referenced in the California Building Standards Code, shall apply to all occupancies throughout the state and shall become effective a minimum of 180 days after publication.

Summary of the Immediately Preceding Regulations

The existing 2010 California Mechanical Code is a part of the California Code of Regulations, Title 24, also referred to as the California Building Standards Code and incorporates, by adoption, by the California Building Standards Commission, the 2009 Uniform Mechanical Code of the International Association of Plumbing and Mechanical Officials with amendments

Summary of Effect

This proposed action will make necessary amendments for state owned buildings and to all occupancies identified pursuant to Health and Safety Code 18938, 180 days after the publication, clarifying for the code user standards for heating, cooling and ventilating duct insulation in the 2010 CMC.