

**INITIAL EXPRESS TERMS
FOR
PROPOSED EMERGENCY BUILDING STANDARDS
OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
REGARDING THE 2013 CALIFORNIA PLUMBING CODE (CPC)
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 24, PART 5
(HCD)**

The Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) proposes to make necessary changes to be included in the 2013 edition of the California Plumbing Code (CPC) as presented on the following pages:

LEGEND FOR EXPRESS TERMS:

1. **Existing California text or language being modified:** All language is shown in normal Arial 9 point; modified language is underlined or shown in ~~strikeout~~.
2. **Existing text not being modified:** All language not displayed in full is shown as “...” (i.e., ellipsis).
3. **Repealed text:** All language appears in ~~strikeout~~.
4. **Amended, adopted or repealed language after public hearing:** All language is shown in double underline or ~~double-strikeout~~.
5. **Notation:** Authority and Reference citations are provided at the end of each section.

SUMMARY OF REGULATORY ACTION

HCD PROPOSES TO:

- Modify existing 2013 California Plumbing Code (CPC) Amendments on an emergency basis to accommodate changes resulting from the adoption of mandatory measures by the California Energy Commission, Title 20, Appliance Efficiency Standards.

1. HCD proposes to modify existing California amendments in Chapter 4 for adoption into the 2013 California Plumbing Code as follows:

**CHAPTER 4
PLUMBING FIXTURES AND FIXTURE FITTINGS**

403.3 Urinals. *On or after January 1, 2016, wall mounted urinals shall have an average water consumption not to exceed 0.125 gallons (0.47 L) of water per flush. ~~Urinals~~ Other urinals shall have an average water consumption not to exceed 0.5 gallons ~~(2-L)~~ (1.89 L) of water per flush.*

403.7 Residential Lavatory Faucets. (HCD 1) *On or after July 1, 2016, the maximum flow rate of residential lavatory faucets shall not exceed ~~4.5~~ 1.2 gallons ~~(5.68 L)~~ (4.54 L) per minute at 60 psi. The minimum flow rate of residential lavatory faucets shall not be less than 0.8 gallons (3.03 L) per minute at 20 psi.*