

2006 CHAPTER 69A-3 FIRE PREVENTION - GENERAL PROVISIONS

69A-3.012 Standards of the National Fire Protection Association and Other Standards Adopted.

(1) Except as specifically modified by statute or by the State Fire Marshal's rules, the Florida specific edition of NFPA 101, the Life Safety Code®, 2003 edition and the Florida specific edition of NFPA 1, the Uniform Fire Code™, 2003 edition, as adopted within Rule Chapter 69A-60, F.A.C., the 2004 edition of the Florida Fire Prevention Code are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as a part of the uniform fire safety standards adopted by rule by the State Fire Marshal and are applicable to those buildings and structures specified in paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (1) of Section 633.022, F.S. In addition, the following standards, except as specifically modified in the rule chapters in Rule Title 69A, are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference and shall take effect on the effective date of this rule, as a part of the uniform fire safety standards adopted by rule by the State Fire Marshal and are applicable to those buildings and structures specified in paragraphs (a) and (b) of subsection (1) of Section 633.022, F.S.:

NFPA 10-2002, Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers

NFPA 11-2002, Standard for Low-, Medium, and High- Expansion Foam

NFPA 11A-1999, Standard for Medium and High Expansion Foam Systems

NFPA 12-2000, Standard on Carbon Dioxide Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 12A-1997, Standard on Halon 1301 Fire Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 13-2002, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems

NFPA 13D-2002, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One- and Two- Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes

NFPA 13R-2002, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies up to and including Four Stories in Height

NFPA 14-2003, Standard for the Installation of Standpipe and Hose Systems, except 2-7 shall be omitted

NFPA 15-2001, Standard for Water Spray Fixed Systems for Fire Protection

NFPA 16-2003, Standard for the Installation of Foam-Water Sprinkler and Foam-Water Spray Systems

NFPA 17-2002, Standard for Dry Chemical Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 17A-2002, Standard on Wet Chemical Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 20-1999, Standard for the Installation of Stationary Pumps for Fire Protection

NFPA 22-2003, Standard for Water Tanks for Private Fire Protection

NFPA 24-2002, Standards for the Installation of Private Fire Service Mains and Their Appurtenances

NFPA 25-2002, Standard for the Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance of Water-Based Fire Protection Systems, except that

quarterly flow tests shall be required for those systems supplied by a municipal water supply.

NFPA 30-2000, Flammable and Combustible Liquids Code

NFPA 30A-2000, Code for Motor fuel Dispensing Facilities and Repair Garages

NFPA 30B-2002, Code for the Manufacture and Storage of Aerosol Products

NFPA 31-2001, Standard for the Installation of Oil Burning Equipment

NFPA 32-2000, Standards for Drycleaning Plants

NFPA 33-2000, Standard for Spray Application Using Flammable and Combustible Materials

NFPA 34-2000, Standard for Dipping and Coating Processes Using Flammable or Combustible Liquids

NFPA 35-1999, Standard for the Manufacture of Organic Coatings

NFPA 36-2001, Standard for Solvent Extraction Plants

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NFPA 37-2002, Standard for the Installation and Use of Stationary Combustion Engines and Gas Turbines

NFPA 40-201, Standard for the Storage and Handling of Cellulose Nitrate Film

NFPA 45-2000, Standard on Fire Protection for Laboratories Using Chemicals

NFPA 50-2001, Standard for Bulk Oxygen Systems at Consumer Sites

NFPA 50B-1999, Standard for Liquid Hydrogen Systems at Consumer Sites
NFPA 51-2002, Standard for the Design and Installation of Oxygen-Fuel Gas Systems for Welding, Cutting and Allied Processes
NFPA 51A-2001, Standard for Acetylene Cylinder Charging Plants
NFPA 51B-1999, Standard for Fire Prevention During Welding, Cutting and Other Hot Work
NFPA 52-2002, Compressed Natural Gas Vehicular Fuel Systems Code
NFPA 54-2002, National Fuel Gas Code
NFPA 57-2002, Liquefied Natural Gas Vehicular Fuel Systems Code
NFPA 58-2002, Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code
NFPA 59-2001, Utility LP-Gas Plant Code
NFPA 59A-2001, Standard for the Production, Storage and Handling of Liquefied Natural Gas
NFPA 61-2002, Standard for the Prevention of Fires and Dust Explosions in Agricultural and Food Products Facilities
NFPA 69-2002, Standard on Explosion Prevention Systems
NFPA 70-2002, National Electrical Code
NFPA 72-2002, National Fire Alarm Code
NFPA 75-2003, Standard for the Protection of information Technology Equipment
NFPA 80-1999, Standard for Fire Doors and Fire Windows
NFPA 82-1999, Standard on Incinerators and Waste and Linen Handling Systems and Equipment
NFPA 86-1999, Standard for Ovens and Furnaces
NFPA 86C-1999, Standard for Industrial Furnaces Using a Special Processing Atmosphere
NFPA 86D-1999, Standard for Industrial Furnaces Using Vacuum as an Atmosphere
NFPA 88A-2002, Standard for Parking Structures
NFPA 90A-2002, Standard for the Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems
NFPA 90B-2002, Standard for the Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems
NFPA 91-1999, Standard for Exhaust Systems for Air Conveying of Vapors, Gases, Mists, and Noncombustible Particulate Solids
NFPA 92A-2000, Recommended Practice for Smoke-Control Systems
NFPA 92B-2000, Guide for Smoke Management Systems in Malls, Atria, and Large Areas
NFPA 96-2001, Standard for Ventilation Control and Fire Prevention of Commercial Cooking Operations. Subdivision 7-2.2 of
NFPA 96 applies prospectively only. Existing installations are permitted to remain in place subject to the approval of the authority having jurisdiction.
NFPA 99-2002, Standard for Health Care Facilities
NFPA 101A-2001, Guide on Alternative Approaches to Life Safety
NFPA 101B-2002, Standard on Means of Egress for Buildings and Structures
NFPA 102-1995, Standard for Grandstands, Folding and Telescoping Seating, Tents and Membrane Structures
NFPA 105-2003, Recommended Practice for the Installation of Smoke-Control Door Assemblies
NFPA 110-2002, Standard for Emergency and Standby Power Systems
NFPA 111-2001, Standard on Stored Electrical Energy Emergency and Standby Power Systems
NFPA 120-1999, Standard for Coal Preparation Plants
NFPA 140-1999, Standard on Motion Picture and Television Production Studio Soundstages and Approved Production Facilities
NFPA 150-2000, Standard on Firesafety in Racetrack Stables
NFPA 160-2001, Standard for Flame Effects Before an Audience
NFPA 211-2003, Standard for Chimneys, Fireplaces, Vents and Solid Fuel Burning Appliances
NFPA 214-2000, Standard on Water-Cooling Towers
NFPA 221-2000, Standard on Fire Walls and Fire Barrier Walls
NFPA 230-2003, Standard for the Fire Protection of Storage
NFPA 232-2000, Standard for the Protection of Records
NFPA 232A-1995, Guide for Fire Protection for Archives and Record Centers
NFPA 241-2000, Standard for Safeguarding Construction, Alteration and Demolition Operations
NFPA 251-1999, Standard Methods of Tests of Fire Endurance of Building Construction and Materials
NFPA 252-1999, Standard Methods of Fire Tests of Door Assemblies

NFPA 253-2000, Standard Method of Test for Critical Flux of Floor Covering Systems Using a Radiant Heat Energy Source
NFPA 255-2000, Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials
NFPA 256-1998, Standard Methods of Fire Tests of Roof Coverings
NFPA 257-2000, Standard on Fire Tests for Window and Glass Block Assemblies
NFPA 259-2003, Standard Test Method for Potential Heat of Building Materials
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NFPA 260-1998, Standard Method of Test and Classification System for Cigarette Ignition Resistance of Components of Upholstered Furniture
NFPA 261-1998, Standard Method of Test for Determining Resistance of Mock-Up Upholstered Furniture Material Assemblies to Ignition by Smoldering Cigarettes
NFPA 265-2002, Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Evaluating Room Fire Growth Contribution of Textile Coverings on full Height Panels and Walls
NFPA 267-1998, Standard Method of Test for Fire Characteristics of Mattresses and Bedding Assemblies Exposed to Flaming Ignition Sources
NFPA 286-2000, Standard Method of Fire Test for Evaluating Contribution of Wall and Ceiling Interior Finish to Room Fire Growth
NFPA 303-2000, Fire Protection Standards for Marinas and Boatyards
NFPA 307-2000, Standard for the Construction and Fire Protection of Marine Terminals, Piers, and Wharves
NFPA 312-2000, Standard for Fire Protection of Vessels During Construction, Repair and Lay-Up
NFPA 318-2002, Standard for the Protection of Semiconductor Fabrication Facilities
NFPA 385-2000, Standard for Tank Vehicles for Flammable and Combustible Liquids
NFPA 407-2000, Standard for Aircraft Fuel Servicing
NFPA 409-2001, Standard on Aircraft Hangars
NFPA 410-1999, Standard on Aircraft Maintenance
NFPA 415-2002, Standard on Airport Terminal Buildings, Fueling Ramp Drainage, and Loading Walkways
NFPA 418-2001, Standard for Heliports
NFPA 430-2000, Code for Storage of Liquid and Solid Oxidizers
NFPA 432-2002, Code for Storage of Organic Peroxide Formulations
NFPA 434-2002, Code for the Storage of Pesticides
NFPA 484-2002, Standard for Combustible Metals, Metal Powders, and Metal Dusts
NFPA 490-1998, Code for the Storage of Ammonium Nitrate
NFPA 495-2001, Explosive Materials Code
NFPA 498-2001, Standard for Safe Havens and Interchange Lots for Vehicles Transporting Explosives
NFPA 501-2003, Standard on Manufactured Housing
NFPA 501A-2003, Standard for Firesafety Criteria for Manufactured Home Installations, Sites, and Communities
NFPA 505-2002, Fire Safety Standard for Powered Industrial Trucks Including Type Designations, Areas of Use, Conversions, Maintenance, and Operation
NFPA 654-2000, Standard for the Prevention of Fire and Dust Explosions from the Manufacturing, Processing, and Handling of Combustible Particulate Solids
NFPA 655-2001, Standard for Prevention of Sulfur Fires and Explosions
NFPA 664-2002, Standard for the Prevention of Fires and Explosions in Wood Processing and Woodworking Facilities
NFPA 701-1999, Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Flame Propagation of Textiles and Films
NFPA 703-2000, Standard for Fire Retardant Impregnated Wood and Fire Retardant Coatings for Building Materials

NFPA 704-2001, Standard System for the Identification of the Fire Hazards of Materials for Emergency Response

NFPA 780-2000, Installation of Lightning Protection Systems

NFPA 909-2001, Standard for the Protection of Cultural Resources

NFPA 1122-2002, Code for Model Rocketry

NFPA 1123-2000, Code for Fireworks Display

NFPA 1124-2003, Code for the Manufacture, Transportation, Storage, and Retail Sale of Fireworks and Pyrotechnic Articles

NFPA 1125-2001, Code for the Manufacture of Model Rocket and High Power Rocket Motors

NFPA 1126-2001, Standard for the Use of Pyrotechnics Before a Proximate Audience

NFPA 1127-2002, Code for High Power Rocketry

NFPA 1142-2001, Standard for Water Supplies for Suburban and Rural Fire Fighting

NFPA 1194-2002, Standard for Recreation Vehicle Parks and Campgrounds

NFPA 1221-2002, Standard for the Installation, Maintenance, and Use of Emergency Communications Systems

NFPA 1561-2002, Standard on Emergency Services Incident Management System

NFPA 1962-2003, Standard for the Inspection, Care, and Use of Fire Hose Including Couplings and Nozzles; and the Service

Testing of Fire Hose

NFPA 1963-1998, Standards for Fire Hose Connections

NFPA 2001-2000, Standard on Clean Agent Fire Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 8501-1997, Standard for Single Burner Operation

NFPA 8502-1999, Standard for the Prevention of Furnace Explosions/Implosions in Multiple Burner Boilers

The portions of 49 Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 100-177 which are referenced in Compressed Gas Association CGA

C-1-1996, Methods for Hydrostatic Testing of Compressed Gas Cylinders, Compressed Gas Association CGA C-6-1993,

Standards for Visual Inspection of Steel Compressed Gas Cylinders, Seventh Edition, Reaffirmed 1995, Compressed Gas

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Association CGA C-6.1-1995, Standards for Visual Inspection of High Pressure Aluminum Compressed Gas Cylinders, and Compressed Gas Association CGA C-6.3-1999 Guidelines for Visual Inspection and Requalification of Low Pressure Aluminum

Compressed Gas Cylinders, Second Edition, and which pertain to low pressure and high pressure cylinders. The portions of 29 Code of Federal Regulations, Parts 1900-1910 which are referenced in Compressed Gas Association CGA

C-1-1996, Methods for Hydrostatic Testing of Compressed Gas Cylinders, Compressed Gas Association CGA C-6-1993,

Standards for Visual Inspection of Steel Compressed Gas Cylinders, Seventh Edition, Reaffirmed 1995, Compressed Gas

Association CGA C-6.1-1995, Standards for Visual Inspection of High Pressure Aluminum Compressed Gas Cylinders, and

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Edition, Reaffirmed 1995.

Compressed Gas Association CGA C-6.1-1995, Standards for Visual Inspection of High Pressure Aluminum Compressed Gas

Cylinders.

Compressed Gas Association CGA C-6.3-1999, Guidelines for Visual Inspection and Requalification of Low Pressure Aluminum

Compressed Gas Cylinders, Second Edition.

(2) All buildings, structures, establishments, facilities, equipment, or vehicular equipment over which the State Fire Marshal has jurisdiction which are constructed, renovated, expanded, rehabilitated, or in any other way significantly altered on or after the effective date of the adoption of the codes and standards adopted in subsection (1), above, shall conform to the requirements of the codes, standards, recommended practices, and manuals contained therein, unless the structure, establishment, or facility has been exempted from complying because the building, structure, establishment, facility, equipment, or vehicular equipment has been granted an exemption from compliance by act of the Legislature.

(3) All buildings, structures, establishments, facilities, equipment, or vehicular equipment over which the State Fire Marshal has jurisdiction which are in existence on or after the effective date of the adoption of the codes and standards adopted in subsection (1), above, shall conform to the requirements of those codes and standards within a reasonable period of time. It is understood that the correction of some fire safety violations will necessitate the employment of design professionals while other violations can be expeditiously resolved. "Within a reasonable time" is defined as the amount of time it would normally take to correct a specific fire code violation under the assumption that the property owner would begin to correct said violations upon receipt of an official document from the enforcing agency.

(4) The codes and standards published by the National Fire Protection Association, including the Florida edition of NFPA 1 and NFPA 101 as adopted in Rule Chapter 69A-60, F.A.C., may be obtained by writing to BNi, 1612 S Clementine Street, Anaheim, CA 92802. ANSI standards may be obtained from the American National Standards Institute, 1430 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10018. ANSI/ASME standards may be obtained from the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, 345 East 47th Street, New York, N.Y. 10017. ASTM standards may be obtained from the American Society for Testing and Materials, 1916 Race Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103. UL standards may be obtained from Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., 333 Pfingston Road, Northbrook, IL 60062. All standards incorporated by reference in this rule are also available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Division currently located on the third floor (Room 326) of the Atrium Building, 325 John Knox Road, Tallahassee, Florida.

(5) The Code of Federal Regulations and the Compressed Gas Association (CGA) documents incorporated by reference in this rule are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Division currently located on the third floor (Room 326) of the Atrium Building, 325 John Knox Road, Tallahassee, Florida.

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