

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE BUILDING CODE  
PROPOSED AMENDMENT FORM

Proposed amendment submitted by:

Name: 2015 IMC Review Sub-committee

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Applicable code: 2015 IMC (adoption pending) Applicable code section: 101.2

Select only one code: *IEBC-15 IBC-15 IRC-15 IPC-15 IMC-15 IECC-15 IEBC-15 NEC-14 (NFPA 70)*

Current 2015 IMC language (including section numbers):

**[A] 101.2 Scope.** This code shall regulate the design, installation, maintenance, *alteration* and inspection of mechanical systems that are permanently installed and utilized to provide control of environmental conditions and related processes within buildings. This code shall also regulate those mechanical systems, system components, *equipment* and appliances specifically addressed herein. The installation of fuel gas distribution piping and *equipment*, fuel gas-fired appliances and fuel gas-fired *appliance* venting systems shall be regulated by the *International Fuel Gas Code*.

**Exception:** Detached one- and two-family dwellings and multiple single-family dwellings (townhouses) not having more than three stories high with separate means of egress and their accessory structures shall comply with the *International Residential Code*.

**[A] 101.2.1 Appendices.** Provisions in the appendices shall not apply unless specifically adopted.

Check one:  Delete without substitution:  Add new section to read as follows:  
 Delete section and substitute the following:  Revise section to read as follows:  
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Proposed code language:

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**Reason / Justification:** Administrative.

**Financial Analysis/Fiscal Impact of proposed amendment:** This amendment has no fiscal impact.

For Building Code Review Board Use:

Not approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Approved:  X  Approved with modifications: \_\_\_\_\_

Scheduled Hearing Date: September 11, 2015 Exhibit #: ME-15-03-15

Chair's Signature:  Shawn G. Bergeron, Sr. Date: October 9, 2015