

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE BUILDING CODE
PROPOSED AMENDMENT FORM

Proposed amendment submitted by:

Name: 2015 IPC Review Committee

PL-15-03-15

Date: June 11, 2015

Company /Organization: State Building Code Review Board

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Applicable code: 2015 IPC (Adoption pending) Applicable code section:

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

Current language (including section numbers and include prior adopted amendments):

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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*.

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:

The International Fuel Gas Code (IFGC) has not been adopted in NH. The Fire Code includes NFPA 54 Fuel Gas Code which applies in NH.

Financial Analysis/Fiscal Impact of proposed amendment: NONE

For Building Code Review Board Use:

Not approved: _____ Approved: Approved with modifications: _____

Scheduled Hearing Date: August 14, 2015 Exhibit #: PL-15-03-15

Chair's Signature:  Date: September 11, 2015

Printed Name: Shawn Bergeron, Sr.