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To all Contractors, Developers & Do It Yourselfers:

As a reminder the requirement for floor protection in the state building and fire codes comes into effect 18 months after the effective date of the 2015 codes. **Projects permitted after March 15, 2021 will require floor protection.**

The applicable amendment of NFPA 1 is shown below:

Saf-FMO 303.01

(e) Amend NFPA 1 Section 20.11.4 to include a new section as follows:

20.11.4.7 Floor assemblies having been protected by an alternative method that has been evaluated as meeting the criteria for alternative methods of construction as outlined in NFPA 1 Section 1.4.1 and/or Section 1.4.2.

(eff 9/8/19, ratified)

(This is what expires on March 15, 2021) (f) Amend NFPA 1 Section 20.11.4 to include a new section as follows:

20.11.4.8 Protection in accordance with NFPA 1 20.11.4 shall not be required until eighteen months after the effective date of New Hampshire's adoption of NFPA 1, 2015 edition.

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