

## GG269-14

### 803.3, 809 (New)

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**Revise as follows:**

#### **SECTION 809**

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL TOBACCO SMOKE CONTROL**

**~~803.3-809.1 Environmental tobacco smoke control. General.~~** Smoking shall not be allowed inside of buildings. Any exterior designated smoking areas shall be located not less than 25 ft (7.5 m) away from building entrances, outdoor air intakes, and operable windows.

**Reason:** Section 803 is titled HVAC Systems. The environmental tobacco smoke control requirements, though they are currently located as a subsection of Section 803, are not related to HVAC system requirements. In previous public versions of the IgCC there were HVAC requirements related to environmental smoke control that required separate systems to isolate or separate and provide special features for HVAC systems in spaces where smoking was permitted. This is no longer the case. Simply prohibiting smoking in buildings and near building entrances, outdoor air intakes and operable windows, as the 2012 IgCC does, is not related to HVAC systems.

This proposal was submitted by the ICC Sustainability Energy and High Performance Code Action Committee (SEHPCAC). The SEHPCAC was established by the ICC Board of Directors to pursue opportunities to improve and enhance International Codes with regard to sustainability, energy and high performance as it relates to the built environment included, but not limited to, how these criteria relate to the International Green Construction Code (IgCC) and the International Energy Conservation Code (IECC). This includes both the technical aspects of the codes as well as the code content in terms of scope and application of referenced standards. In 2012 and 2013, the SEHPCAC has held six two-day open meetings and 50 workgroup calls, which included members of the SEHPCAC as well as any interested parties, to discuss and debate proposed changes and public comments. Related documentation and reports are posted on the SEHPCAC website at: <http://www.iccsafe.org/cs/SEHPCAC/Pages/default.aspx>.

**Cost Impact:** Will not increase the cost of construction

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