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907.2.7 Group M. A manual fire alarm system shall be installed in Group M occupancies having an occupant load of 500 or more persons or more than 100 persons above or below the lowest level of exit discharge. The initiation of a signal from a manual fire alarm box shall initiate alarm notification appliances as required by Section 907.10.

Exceptions:

- 1. A manual fire alarm system is <u>not</u> required in covered mall buildings complying with Section 402 of the *International Building Code*.
- 2. Manual fire alarm boxes are not required where the building is equipped throughout with an automatic sprinkler system and the alarm notification appliances will automatically activate upon sprinkler water flow. (posted 6-27-07)

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914.4.1 Automatic sprinkler system. An approved automatic sprinkler system shall be installed throughout the entire building.

Exceptions:

- 1. That area of a building adjacent to or above the atrium need not be sprinklered, provided that portion of the building is separated from the atrium portion by not less than a 2-hour <u>fire resistance-rated</u> fire barrier <u>or horizontal assembly, or both.</u> (posted 1-23-07)
- 2. Where the ceilings of the atrium are more than 55 feet (16 764 mm) above the floor, sprinkler protection at the ceiling of the atrium is not required.

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904.2.1 Hood system suppression. Each required commercial kitchen exhaust hood and duct system required by Section 610 609 to have a Type I hood shall be protected with an approved automatic fire-extinguishing system installed in accordance with this code. *(posted 7-10-06)*

909.9.2: Equation 9-8 is deleted. (posted 7-10-06)

Table 910.3 : Revise the section references in column 1, rows 3 through 6 of the table as follows: <u>910.2.3</u> <u>910.2.2</u>. (posted 7-10-06)