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Division of Labor
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OSH Program Directive Number 83-1910.36-1 (REVISION of 80-1910.36-1(R))

Subject: Requirements for Determining the Number of Means of Egress Under Article VI, Section 1910.36 (b) (8).

Standard: Article VI, Section 1910.36 (b) (8), Rules and Regulations, Commissioner of Labor, State of South Carolina.

Cross Reference to Federal Standards: 29 CFR 1910.36 (b) (8).

Background: This bulletin intends to clarify the requirement for means of egress in places of employment.

Interpretation: Hereafter, the South Carolina Department of Labor will use the latest edition of the Standard Building Code, published by the Southern Building Code Congress International, Inc., 900 Montclair Road, Birmingham, Alabama, 35213, as a guideline in determining the number of exits required for a place of employment.

The use of the Standard Building Code will be consistent with guidelines established by other regulatory state agencies and local municipalities.

Effective Date: This instruction is effective upon receipt and will remain in effect until cancelled or superseded by amendment to the Rules and Regulations.

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