



DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

PROPOSED CHANGE OF THE CONNECTICUT STATE BUILDING CODE AND FIRE SAFETY CODE

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CODE INFORMATION

Proposed change to: [X] Building Code [] Fire Safety Code

Code section(s): table 1607.1

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PROPOSAL INFORMATION

Description of change and reason for change (attach additional information as needed): see attachment sheet

Proposed text change, addition or deletion (attach additional information as needed):

Supporting data and documents (attach additional information as needed)

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Table 1607.1 provides minimum design loads. We believe two entries require attention:

- 1) parking garages. Consider adopting higher live load based on widespread EV use
- 2) commercial kitchens. No entry is provided. ASCE 7 commentary provides recommended design load of 150psf. This should be codified.