

### STATE OF CONNECTICUT

# DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES Division of Construction Services

## OFFICE OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL



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## Amendments to 2022 CSFSC Part I, Sec. 107 Inspections

It has come to our attention that there is an error in the inspection frequency requirements in Part I of the Connecticut State Fire Safety Code (CSFSC). During the code adoption process we made changes to the frequency of inspections. In the 2022 CSFSC Part III we moved Group 1-2, including small I-2, to the annual inspection frequency from the two-year frequency. We also added ambulatory health care to the two-year inspection frequency. The 2022 CSFSC, Part III, Section 108 has the correct frequency of inspections. Please make the following amendments to Part I of the CSFSC so they mirror the requirements in Part III, Section 108:

#### Sec. 107 Inspections.

- (a) Each local fire marshal, the State Fire Marshal and their respective designees shall conduct inspections as prescribed in section 29-305 of the Connecticut General Statutes of buildings and facilities regulated by the Connecticut State Fire Safety Code within their jurisdictions.
- (b) Each local fire marshal, the State Fire Marshal and their respective designees may conduct inspections as often as may be necessary during the construction of new buildings, structures or additions, and during the course of renovations, alterations or modernizations for the purpose of satisfying themselves that all work is in accordance with the approved plans, specifications and this code.
- (c) The minimum requirements for the frequency of inspections as prescribed in section 29-305 of the Connecticut General Statutes shall be as follows: (Note: the definitions for the classification of the occupancies is found in Part III, Section 202 of this code.)
  - 1. Annual inspections for the occupancy classifications all R Residential, A-1, A-2, E, H-1, I-1, I-2 including small I-2. M selling consumer fireworks [sparklers and fountains] (1.4G), H-3 containing consumer fireworks [sparklers and fountains] (1.4G).
  - 2. Inspections every two years for the occupancy classifications A-3, H-2, I-3, I-4, B-Medical, B-College-, Ambulatory Health Care.
  - 3. Inspections every three years for the occupancy classifications B, H-3, M, S-1, A-4, A-5.
  - 4. Inspections every four years for the occupancy classifications F-1, F-2, H-4, H-5, S-2, U.