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Section 2411.3.2.1

Question:

Is it the intent of the Code to consider enclosed egress stairs that are not required to be enclosed by Code, egress stairs from an open parking garage, as habitable with respect to Exception 1 to the subject Code Section and thereby require infiltration testing of said doors?

Answer

No. Exception 1 applies.

Commentary:

None.

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