



**Informal Interpretation Report
Number 8259**



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Edition 2017

Section 1010.1.7

Question:

Is it the intent of the FBC 6th Edition code section 1010.1.7 Thresholds to limit sliding glass door thresholds to 1/2" at private balconies in hotel rooms (R-1 occupancy)?

Answer:

Unfortunately, an Exception contained in the FBC-B 5th Edition (1008.1.7 Exception 2) to address this issue was not brought forth to the FBC-B 6th Edition. The intent of this section is to provide a maximum threshold height for doors, in R-1 the threshold height should be a maximum of 1/2" for all doors.

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Commentary:

None.

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