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Petition for Declaratory Statement before the Florida Building Commission

By: Florida Roofing, Sheet Metal & Air Conditioning Contractors Association, Inc.

Issue: The minimum requirement for Edge Metal overlap is inconsistent between the 2004 Residential Volume and the 2004 Building Volume of the Florida Building Code. The Current Language reads as follows:

R905.2.8.6 Drip edge.

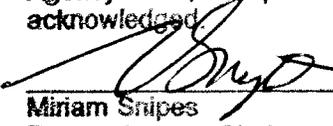
Provide drip edge at eaves and gables of shingle roofs. Overlap to be a minimum of 3 inches (76 mm). Eave drip edges shall extend ½ inch (13 mm) below sheathing and extend back on the roof a minimum of 2 inches (51 mm). Drip edge at eaves shall be permitted to be installed either over or under the underlayment. If installed over the underlayment, there shall be a minimum 4 inch (102 mm) width of roof cement installed over the drip edge flange. Drip edge shall be mechanically fastened a maximum of 12 inches (305 mm) on center. Where the basic wind speed per Figure R301.2(4) is 110 mph (177 km/h) or greater or the mean roof height exceeds 33 feet (10 058 mm), drip edges shall be mechanically fastened a maximum of 4 inches (102 mm) on center.

1507.2.9.3 Drip edge.

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Question: FRSA believes that the correct overlap is two inches and the Residential should allow a two inch overlap.

FILING AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
FILED, on this date, with the designated
Agency Clerk, receipt of which is hereby
acknowledged.


Miriam Snipes
Deputy Agency Clerk

11/4/08
Date

Proposed Resolution:

R905.2.8.6 Drip edge. Provide drip edge at eaves and gables of shingle roofs. Overlap to be a minimum of ~~3-2~~ inches (~~76 mm~~ 51mm).....

Respectfully submitted,

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FRSA