

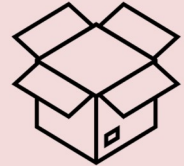
8th Edition (2023) FBC CODE UPDATE DEVELOPMENT

-Review of the 2021 I-Code Changes

Quick Reference Guide

FLORIDA BUILDING CODES AND STANDARDS

SEARCHING FOR MODS



1 To search for a *Proposed Code Modification* navigate your browser to the BCIS - www.floridabuilding.org. You should see a page with a large blue menu on the left.

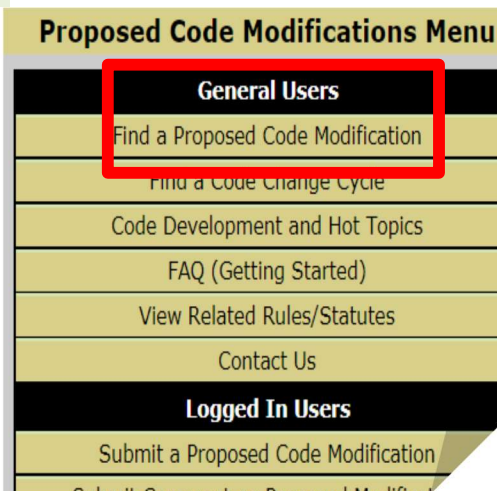


2 Click "*Proposed Code Modifications*". This should pull up a new menu screen.

3 To find a Mod, select *Find a Proposed Code Modification*. Here a search screen should load.



Note: There is no need to register or log in to search. To comment on a mod, registration is required (See "Registration" section of guide)



Current Open Code Change Cycle 2023 ICC Code Change Original Modification 01/25/2021 - 05/17/2021

Search Criteria

Generate Output HTML Crystal Report

Modification #

Code Version

Code Change #

Staff Classification

Code Change Cycle

Sub Code

Chapter & Topic

Section

Date Submitted From

SEARCHING FOR MODS CONTINUED



4 To search by *Mod #* you have *two options*:

1. Enter **Florida Specific code change #** (without prefix) into the :Modification #” entry field and hit “Search” example 4851

or

2. Enter **ICC Modification number** - enter ICC Modification number that can be alphanumeric and hit “Search” example RB39-19.

See Illustration below

Current Open Code Change Cycle 2023 ICC Code Change Original Modification 01/25/2021 - 05/17/2021

Search Criteria

Generate Output HTML Crystal Report

Modification #	<input type="text"/>	Florida Specific Code Change # Numeric Only example 6841
Code Version	2023	
Code Change #	<input type="text"/>	ICC MODIFICATION #- Can use alpha-numeric for example RB39-19.
Staff Classification	(Select All)	
Code Change Cycle	2023 ICC Code Change Original Modification 01/25/2021 - 05/17/2021	
Sub Code	(Select All)	
Chapter & Topic	(Select All)	
Section	<input type="text"/>	
Date Submitted From	<input type="text"/>	

Mods can be searched by *staff classification* to include *flood provisions, overlap, energy standard needed and correlates directly*

Mods can also be searched for by Technical Advisory Committee (i.e., Plumbing TAC, Special Occupancy TAC) and Subcode i.e., Building, Residential, Fuel-Gas



Note: To narrow down your results try using a combination of search parameters but remember not to use too many parameters to diminish your results to none.

SEARCHING FOR MODS CONTINUED



Note: To select Chapter and Topic, select a Code Change Cycle First, and then Subcode

Staff Classification (Select All) ▾

Code Change Cycle 2023 ICC Code Change Original Modification 01/25/2021 - 05/17/2021 ▾

Sub Code Building ▾

Chapter & Topic (Select All) ▾

Section (Select All)

Date Submitted From Chapter 1 - Scope and Administration

Chapter 2 - Definitions

Chapter 3 - Use and Occupancy Classification

SUBMITTING COMMENTS



General comments can be submitted during the 45-day general comment period.



Note: General comments are limited to only a few paragraphs and one file upload.

General Comment*

Our organization agrees with the intent of this modification.

Upload Comment File

Date Submitted

04/05/2021

Note: General Comments are shown as *modnumber-G1, -G2, etc.* The "G" is generated by the system to indicate it is an "General" comment.



Note: The pages of the application are on a timer that will time the mod out if no saving or action is being done in 15 minutes (typing in the box will not update the timeout).

You may lose your material if you don't save in progress often or work locally on a word processor

REGISTRATION



Registration on the BCIS is required for submitting comments for the ICC review process. Registration also allows notices and meeting information periodically sent to the email address in the system.

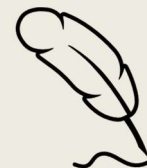


Note: If you intend to submit comments for code modifications it is recommended to register if you have not already. The process is easy, and the next few steps will guide you through the process.

New Users - You can register by clicking at the top of the BCIS page "User Registration". Here you will enter all of your contact information, including an email address that you check often.

Returning Users - Returning users only need to click on login and enter their login and password. There is a "forgot password" feature if you have forgotten your password. The forgot password feature will email you a temporary password to your registered email address. Contact us if you have forgotten your user login or not receiving the email. We can be reached at 850-487-1824.

DEFINITIONS



BCIS - Building Code Information System - www.floridabuilding.org

ICC - *International Code Council* - developer of "model codes"

Mod - abbreviation of modification - "proposed code modification"

The Code - The Florida Building Code

Monograph - Catalog of certain mods

Staff - DBPR , Codes and Standards Staff

Need Help?



There is a lot of Code related and Florida Building Commission material on www.floridabuilding.org. under Proposed Code Modifications >> Code development and Hot Topics

There you can find information and to learn about how to use the Proposed Code Modification Module and the Code development process.



Note: The web site has been enhanced for the 8th Edition (2023) to allow the use of different browsers. Please contact us at 850-487-1824 if you have any questions.

For information on proposed code modifications go to www.floridabuilding.org, click on Proposed Code Modifications and then click on FAQ (Getting Started). For further information see the “Needs Help” link for a .pdf describing the section.



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