



CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ALTERNATE MATERIALS, ALTERNATE DESIGN AND METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION

Building official and (or) fire marshal may approve the proposed alternate, if sufficient evidence is provided that:

- proposed design complies with the intent of provisions of the current codes :
- The material or method proposed is equivalent to code requirements in:

- 1.Suitability
- 2.Strength
- 3.Effectiveness
- 4.Fire resistance
- 5.Durability
- 6.Safety
- 7.Sanitation

Upon approval, all the features of the approved application (including a copy of the application) shall be incorporated to the drawings.

DISCLAIMER

Applicants for Alternate Materials, Alternate Design and Methods of Construction shall note that the approval of the proposal is based on the factual documentation provided in support of the alternate at the time of approval. If at any point during the review or inspection process, the building official notices deviations from the original application, the approval becomes null and void. At that time, the applicant has to either revert to the original proposal or file a new application based on the revised plans.

For Alternate Proposals processed prior to submittal of full set of plans. In these instances, the approval is only in concept. The approval needs to be validated after submittal of all construction

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APPLICATION FOR ALTERNATE MATERIALS OR METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION

(Please read the attached Conditions of Approval and Disclaimer before completing the application)

Submit ten copies of all documents, including plans showing the proposed alternate. All attachments must be 8 1/2" x 11" or 11" x 17". Under the authority of the CBC, CPC, CMC, CFC and CEC, the undersigned requests approval of alternate materials, alternate design and methods of construction for:

Date _____

Project Address: _____ Permit Number: _____

Occupancy Group: _____ Type of Construction: _____ Sprinklers (Y/N): _____ No. of Stories: _____

Floor Area: _____ Tenant Area: _____

Describe Use: _____

Code(s) Edition: _____

Subject of Alternative (a separate form should be filled out for each alternative item):

A brief description of the item must be included here even if additional documents are attached.

Code Requirement (specify code section): _____

Alternate Proposed (*A brief description must be included here even if additional documents are attached*):

Justification (Attach copies of any reference, test reports, expert opinions, etc. The Chief Building Official may require that a consultant be hired by the applicant to perform all applicable tests, research and analysis and submit a full report of evaluation to the Building Division for consideration and approval). *A brief description must be included here even if additional documents are attached*

Requested by:

Owner print _____

Owner signature _____

Architect/Engineer Print _____

Architect/Engineer signature _____

Contractor Print _____

Contractor signature _____

Architect or Engineer

Contact Phone Number: _____ must wet stamp & sign _____

STAFF USE ONLY

Staff Findings: _____

STAFF: _____ Date: _____

APPROVAL RECOMMENDED NOT RECOMMENDED

APPROVED DENIED APPROVED DENIED

CHIEF BUILDING OFFICIAL _____

FIRE CHIEF _____

Date: _____

Date: _____