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#3 - GLAZING CODES IN STATES OTHER THAN NEW YORK

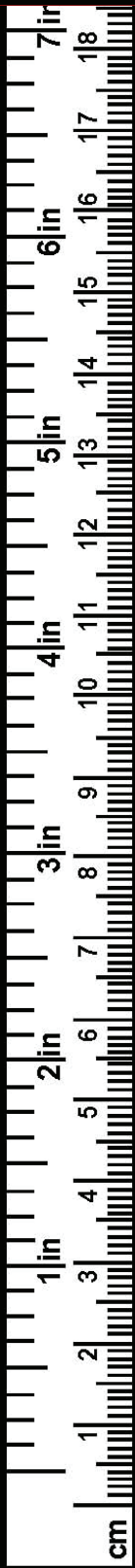
When glazing in jurisdictions outside of New York State, the International Code Council website provides a useful resource. At www.iccsafe.org, select the i-code adoptions icon, then select any State on the map. A list of current model codes being enforced by the State or local jurisdictions within the state will pop up.

The International Code Council creates new versions of International Building Code every three years. In order for the new code version to become law within an individual State, the State legislature must adopt the new version, and establish a date when it becomes effective.

For instance, New York State adopted the 2003 IBC version in September of 2007, and established a transition period from October 3, 2007 until December 31, 2007 when the previous code based on the IBC 2000 version OR the new IBC 2003 could be enforced. After January 1, 2008, the Building Code of NY State – 2007, based on the IBC 2003 is in full effect.

But Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Ohio have already adopted the IBC 2006 version as a basis for their State codes. The 2006 IBC contains differences from the 2003 IBC that is the basis of the Building Code of New York State – 2007.

The local code enforcement department is always the authoritative source for information concerning code requirements.



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