



Owner/Contractor Residential Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Alarm Compliance Certification

Per California state law effective January 1, 2011, when building permits are issued for additions, alterations or repairs to residential buildings and the value of the work exceeds \$1000, the installation of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms must be installed per code for the safety of the occupants, if they do not already exist. **INSTALLATION DIAGRAM ON REVERSE.**

Smoke alarms approved and listed by the State Fire Marshal shall be installed in each sleeping room, outside each separate sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of the bedrooms, and on each additional story of the dwelling. In existing buildings, alarms may be solely battery operated where alterations or repairs do not result in the removal of interior walls or ceiling finishes exposing the structure, unless there is an attic, crawl space or basement available which could provide access for building wiring without the removal of interior finishes. Where more than one smoke alarm is required to be installed, the alarms shall be interconnected in such a manner that the activation of one alarm will activate all of the alarms in the individual unit, except where alterations or repairs do not result in the removal of interior wall or ceiling finishes exposing the structure, unless there is an attic, crawl space or basement available which could provide access for interconnection without the removal of interior finishes. The alarm(s) shall be clearly audible in all bedrooms over background noise levels with all intervening doors closed. **See California Residential Code section R314 for additional information.**

Carbon Monoxide alarms approved and listed by the State Fire Marshal shall be installed in existing dwellings or sleeping units that have attached garages or fuel-burning appliances as follows: outside each separate dwelling unit sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of bedrooms and on every level of dwelling unit including basements. In existing dwelling units a carbon monoxide alarm is permitted to be solely battery operated where repairs or alterations do not result in the removal of wall and ceiling finishes or there is no access by means of attic, crawl space or basement. Where more than one carbon monoxide alarm is required to be installed, the alarms shall be interconnected in a manner that activation of one alarm shall activate all of the alarms in the individual unit, except where repairs do not result in the removal of wall and ceiling finishes, there is no access by means of attic, crawl space or basement, and no previous method for interconnection existed. **See California Residential Code section R315 for additional information.**

These safety devices must be installed according to the manufacturer's instructions and installation must be completed by the time a final inspection is requested for your project.

DECLARATION

For the property located at _____ I understand that smoke and carbon monoxide alarms are required in conjunction with my permit. I also understand that completed the Installation certification on the reverse must be received by the City Building Inspector at final inspection. Please note that permits cannot receive a final inspection approval without this certification. **Under penalty of perjury, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the above requirements.**

Signature

Print Name

Date

Relationship to Project (please check one): ☐ Property Owner ☐ Authorized Agent/Contractor for Property Owner

INSTALLATION CERTIFICATION

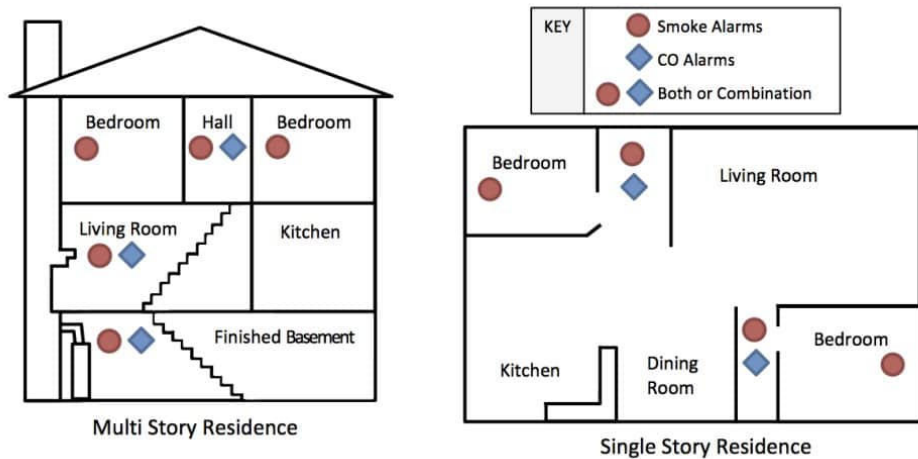
For the property located at _____ I have read and understand the requirements on the reverse side of this form. I certify that my residence now has smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms installed that comply with the California Residential Code. **Under penalty of perjury, I hereby affirm that the above is true and correct.**

Signature

Printed Name

Date

Relationship to the project (Please check one): ☐ Property Owner ☐ Authorized Agent/Contractor for Property Owner



Smoke alarms are required inside each sleeping room, outside each separate sleeping area and on each level of the residence basement. Carbon Monoxide alarms are required outside each separate sleeping area and on each level of the residence, including the basement (if applicable).

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