



# CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE (2006 IBC) PUBLIC PROPOSAL FORM

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6) Revision to:  Section 503.1.2  Table \_\_\_\_\_  Figure \_\_\_\_\_

7) PROPOSAL Please check appropriate box:

Revise as follows:  Add new text as follows  Delete and substitute as follows:  Delete without Substitution(s):

Show the proposed NEW, REVISED or DELETED TEXT in legislative format: ~~Line through text to be deleted.~~ Underline text to be added.

~~503.1.2 Special industrial occupancies. Buildings and structures designed to house special industrial processes that require large areas and unusual heights to accommodate cranes or special machinery and equipment including, among others, rolling mills; structural metal fabrication shops and foundries; or the production and distribution of electric, gas or steam power, shall be exempt from the height and area limitations of Table 503.~~

PROPOSAL *Continued* (Attach additional sheets as necessary)

8) SUPPORTING INFORMATION (State purpose and reason, and provide substantiation to support proposed change):  
There is no technical justification to allow these “special industrial occupancies” to be entirely exempt from the height and area limitations of Table 503. Certainly, they can be treated as an unlimited area building in accordance with Section 507.1 provided the building is surrounded by open space not less than 60 ft. in width. In fact, this Section 507.1 would not even require an automatic sprinkler system to be installed in the building if it is classified as a Group F-2 or S-2.

The 1997 UBC has no such special provisions for these types of industrial occupancies.

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