



## California State Fire Marshal **CODE INTERPRETATION**

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Topic	Exit Door		
Code Section(s)	Section 1007.4.4		
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**Under Section 1007.4.4 for Group H occupancies, regarding exit doors must swing in the direction of exit travel, are buildings that are 15 years or older grandfathered under this section.**

No. CBC Section 1007.4.4 for Group H occupancies requires the exit doors to swing in the direction of travel. This is consistent with the CBC 1985 tri-annual edition, section 3304(b).

**Or is this a requirement of all commercial buildings no matter what age it is?**

No, this is an occupancy driven requirement.