



California State Fire Marshal **CODE INTERPRETATION**

Date Issued	January 31, 2018	Interpretation	18-003
Topic	Standpipe Riser Lateral Exception		
Code Section(s)	2016 CFC §905.4.1 and NFPA 14 §6.1.2.2		
Requested by	Derrek Crigler A&D Fire Sprinklers		
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Question 1:

Does a horizontal portion of a standpipe riser meet the exception of a lateral per 905.4.1?

Yes.

When the building is equipped with an approved automatic sprinkler system and not located within an interior exit stairway.