Chapter 51-57 WAC

STATE BUILDING CODE ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT OF APPENDIX A, B AND APPENDIX I OF THE 2009 EDITION OF THE UNIFORM PLUMBING CODE

WAC 51-57-001 Authority. These rules are adopted under the authority of chapter 19.27 RCW.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031, 19.27.074. 02-01-114, § 51-57-001, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]

WAC 51-57-002 Purpose. The purpose of these rules is to implement the provisions of chapter 19.27 RCW, which provides that the state building code council shall maintain the State Building Code in a status which is consistent with the purpose as set forth in RCW 19.27.020. In maintaining the codes, the council shall regularly review updated versions of the codes adopted under the act, and other pertinent information, and shall amend the codes as deemed appropriate by the council.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031, 19.27.074. 02-01-114, § 51-57-002, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]


[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031, and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 10-04-003, § 51-57-003, filed 1/22/10, effective 7/1/10. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-003, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031 and 19.27.074. 04-01-110, § 51-57-003, filed 12/17/03, effective 7/1/04; 02-01-114, § 51-57-003, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]

WAC 51-57-004 Conflicts between Appendix I and the manufacturer's installation instructions. Where a conflict exists between the provisions of Appendix I and the manufacturer's installation instructions, the conditions of the listing and the manufacturer's installation instructions shall apply.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020, and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-004, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07.]

WAC 51-57-007 Exceptions. The exceptions and amendments to the Model Codes contained in the provisions of chapter 19.27 RCW shall apply in cases of conflict with any of the provisions of these rules.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-007, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031, 19.27.074. 02-01-114, § 51-57-007, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]

WAC 51-57-008 Implementation. The Uniform Plumbing Code Standards adopted by chapter 19.27 RCW shall become effective in all counties and cities of this state on July 1, 2010, unless local government residential amendments have been approved by the state building code council.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.074, 19.27.031, and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 10-04-003, § 51-57-008, filed 1/22/10, effective 7/1/10. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-008, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031 and 19.27.074. 04-01-110, § 51-57-008, filed 12/17/03, effective 7/1/04; 02-01-114, § 51-57-008, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]

WAC 51-57-202000 Installation Standard 20-200—CPVC solvent cemented hot and cold water distribution systems.

2.1.2 Primer. Listed primers shall be used that are compatible with the type of listed CPVC cement and pipe used. The primer shall be a true solvent for CPVC, containing no slow-drying ingredient. Cleaners shall not be allowed to be used as a substitute or equivalent for a listed primer.

EXCEPTION: Listed solvent cements that do not require the use of primer shall be permitted for use with CPVC pipe and fittings, manufactured in accordance with ASTM D2845, 1/2 inch through 2 inches in diameter.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-202000, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031 and 19.27.074. 04-01-110, § 51-57-202000, filed 12/17/03, effective 7/1/04.]

WAC 51-57-790000 Installation Standard 7-03—Polyethylene cold water building supply and yard piping.

2.6.1 Location. Polyethylene piping may terminate within a building or structure. The connection to the potable water distribution system shall be accessible, except that it may be buried underground outside of the building or structure in an accessible location. Barbed insert fittings with hose clamps are prohibited within a building.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-790000, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031, 19.27.074. 02-01-114, § 51-57-790000, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]
WAC 51-57-895000 Installation Standard 8-03—PVC cold water building supply and yard piping.

2.7.1 Location. PVC piping may terminate within a building or structure. The connection to the potable water distribution system shall be accessible, except that it may be buried underground outside of the building or structure in an accessible location.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.190, 19.27.020 and chapters 19.27 and 34.05 RCW. 07-03-043, § 51-57-895000, filed 1/11/07, effective 7/1/07. Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031, 19.27.074. 02-01-114, § 51-57-895000, filed 12/18/01, effective 7/1/02.]