

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE COMMENT FORM FOR PROPOSED CODE CHANGES

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SAC-12, MN 1309.0202, Section R202, DEFINITIONS

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### **Proposed Code Change - Language**

#### **1309.0202 SECTION R202, DEFINITIONS.**

**CONNECTOR.** ~~A device for fastening together two or more pieces, members, or parts, including anchors, fasteners, and wall ties.~~

**FASTENER.** ~~A device for holding together two or more pieces, parts, or members.~~

### **Proposed Code Change – Need and Reason**

MN 1309.0802.10.5 (Truss to wall connection) amended IRC section R802.10.5 of the adopted model code (2006 IRC) and added language that included the terms “connector” and “fastener.” Therefore, the terms “connector” and “fastener” were added as definitions per MN 1309.0202 during the last code cycle to support MN amendment 1305.0802.10.5.

The model code to be adopted (2012 IRC) no longer contains Section R802.10.5 and the required information is now included in 2012 IRC Section R802.11. There is a proposal to repeal MN 1309.0802.10.5 (see SAC-18); therefore, the need to define language in this former amendment is no longer required.

### **Proposed Code Change – Cost/Benefit Analysis**

No cost implications.

**Other Factors to Consider Related to Proposed Code Change**

1. Is this proposed code change meant to:

change language contained in a published code book? If so, list section(s). No

change language contained in an existing amendment in Minnesota Rule? If so, list Rule part(s). No

delete language contained in a published code book? If so, list section(s). No

X delete language contained in an existing amendment in Minnesota Rule? If so, list Rule part(s). Yes, MN 1309.0202

neither; this language will be new language, not found in the code book or in Minnesota Rule.

2. Is this proposed code change required by a Minnesota Statute or new legislation? If so, please provide the citation to the Statute or legislation. No

3. Will this proposed code change impact other sections of a published code book or of an amendment in Minnesota Rule? If so, please list the affected sections or rule parts. Yes, MN 1309.0802.10.5

4. Will this proposed code change impact other parts of the Minnesota State Building Code? If so, please list the affected parts of the Minnesota State Building Code. No

5. Who are the parties affected or segments of industry affected by this proposed code change? None

6. Can you think of other means or methods to achieve the purpose of the proposed code change? If so, please explain what they are and why your proposed change is the preferred method or means to achieve the desired result. No

7. Are you aware of any federal requirement or regulation related to this proposed code change? If so, please list the regulation or requirement. No