



INFORMATION SHEET

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CATEGORY

Egress

SUBJECT

Exiting Requirements For Additions and Alterations To Existing Non-

Sprinklered R-3 Occupancies Not Exceeding 3-Stories

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Information Sheet is to establish exiting requirements for

additions and alterations to existing non-sprinklered, R-3 occupancies not

exceeding 3-stories.

REFERENCE

San Francisco Building Code, current edition

San Francisco Existing Building Code, current edition

San Francisco Building Code 903.2.8 Exception 5 - Group R

DISCUSSION

For additions and alterations to existing non-sprinklered, R-3 occupancies not exceeding 3-stories, the unit may maintain a single exit and remain non-sprinklered where the resulting exit access travel distance, including from decks, does not exceed 125-feet.

Limitations:

 Group R-3 occupancies in a mixed-use occupancy building are outside the scope of this information sheet.

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