Subject: ICC International Plumbing Code

Applicability: Information

1. The Corps has made a change recently to use the ICC International Plumbing Code (referred to as ICC Code in the rest of this bulletin) instead of the National Standard Plumbing Code. Plumbing design and installation, unless special requirements are identified in USACE guidance documents, should be based on the ICC Code. Changing to the ICC Code enabled the Corps, the Navy and the Air Force to unify their plumbing criteria.

2. UFGS 15400A and 15405A now reference the ICC Code. A new UFC for plumbing is currently being developed and will also be based on the ICC Code. Other plumbing design criteria that will be in effect until the UFC is published have been reviewed and changed to reference the ICC Code. Some conflicting criteria may have been missed, so it would be helpful to notify us of any problems by using the Criteria Change Request (CCR) program or by calling this bulletin’s point of contact. The ICC Code is available Corps-wide through Information Handling Services (IHS).

3. Point of contact for this bulletin is Dan Casapulla, CECW-ET, 202-761-5544.

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