



# REQUEST FOR MODIFICATION OF BUILDING ORDINANCES

UNDER AUTHORITY OF L.A.M.C. SECTION 98.0403

<b>PERMIT APP. #:</b>	<b>DATE:</b>	<b>For City Dept. Use Only</b>  <b>Building</b>
<b>JOB ADDRESS:</b>		
<b>Tract:</b>	<b>Block:</b>	
	<b>Lot:</b>	
<b>Owner:</b>	<b>Petitioner:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	<b>Address:</b>	
City                      State    Zip            Phone	City                      State    Zip            Phone	

<b>REQUEST</b> (SUBMIT PLANS OR ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY)	<b>CODE SECTIONS:</b> L.A.M.C 91.1010.1.9.7
1. To allow the installation of a special egress-control device without complying with item numbers 4, 7, & 8 and the signage and relocking requirements contained in Section 91.1010.1.9.7 of the L.A.M.C.	
2. To allow the installation of special egress-control device in a non-sprinklered building.	

**JUSTIFICATION** (SUBMIT PLANS OR ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NECESSARY)

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Owner/Petitioner Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR CITY DEPARTMENT'S USE ONLY BELOW THIS LINE**

Concurrences required from the following Department(s)			Approved	Denied
<input type="checkbox"/> Los Angeles Fire Department	Print Name _____ Sign _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Works Bureau of Engineering	Print Name _____ Sign _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Department of City Planning	Print Name _____ Sign _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Department of County Health	Print Name _____ Sign _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	Print Name _____ Sign _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**DEPARTMENT ACTION**

GRANTED     DENIED

Reviewed by: (Staff) (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Action taken by: (Supervisor) (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: IN CASE OF DENIAL, SEE PAGE #2 OF THIS FORM FOR APPEAL PROCEDURES**

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (Continued on Page 2):**

(See Attached Conditions of Approval on Page 3)

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(PROCESS ONLY WHEN FEES ARE VERIFIED)

**FEES (DEPARTMENT USE ONLY)**

Appeal Processing Fee.. (No. of Items) =	1	X \$130 + \$39/addl	=	130.00
Inspection Fee ..... (No of Insp.) =		X \$ 84.00	=	0.00
Research Fee(Total Hours Worked) =	1	X \$104.00	=	104.00
Subtotal .....			=	234.00
Development Services Center Surcharge		X 3%	=	7.02
Systems Development Surcharge .....		X 6%	=	14.04
<b>Total Fees .....</b>			<b>=</b>	<b>255.06</b>

Fees verified by: \_\_\_\_\_

Print and Sign \_\_\_\_\_

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CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL (Continued from Page 1)

(SEE PAGE 3 FOR LIST OF CONDITIONS)

CITY OF LOS ANGELES BOARD OF BUILDING AND SAFETY/DISABLED ACCESS COMMISSION APPEAL FORM

(Must be Attached to the Modification Request Form, Page 1)

AFFIDAVIT – LADBS BOARD OF BUILDING AND SAFETY COMMISSIONERS – RESOLUTION NO. 832-93

I, \_\_\_\_\_ do state and swear as follows:

(Print or Type Name of the Person Signing this Form)

- 1. The name and mailing address of the owner of the property (as defined in the resolution 832-93) at \_\_\_\_\_ as shown on the appeal application (LADBS Com 31) are correct, and
2. The owner of the property as shown on the appeal application will be made aware of the appeal and will receive a copy of the appeal.

I declare under PENALTY OF PERJURY that the forgoing is true and correct.

Owner's Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Type or Print)

Owner's Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_ (Two Officers' Signatures Required for Corporations) (Please Sign)

Name of Corporation \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Print Name of Corporation) (Please Type or Print)

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT-----SIGNATURE(S) MUST BE NOTARIZED

State of CALIFORNIA County of \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_

before me, \_\_\_\_\_, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, Name, Title of Officer (e.g. Jane Doe, Notary Public) Name(s) of Signer(s)

who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument in person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument. I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal. Signature \_\_\_\_\_

As a covered entity under Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Los Angeles does not discriminate on the basis of disability and, upon request, will provide reasonable accommodation to ensure equal access to its programs, services and activities.

APPEAL OF DEPARTMENT ACTION TO THE BOARD OF BUILDING AND SAFETY COMMISSIONERS/DISABLED ACCESS APPEALS COMMISSION

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's Title \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Table with 5 columns: Fee Name, Quantity, Unit, Amount, Total. Rows include Board Fee, Inspection Fee, Research Fee, Subtotal, Development Services Center Surcharge, Systems Development Surcharge, and Total Fees.

Fees verified by:

Print and Sign \_\_\_\_\_

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## SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AND/OR SKETCH OF JOB CONDITION

BASIS FOR APPROVAL-INFORMATION

INFORMATION ON PROCEDURE FOR APPEAL FROM  
A DETERMINATION OR ACTION BY THE  
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDING AND SAFETY

For the Superintendent of Building or his designated agent to approve a request for modification or a request for alternate material or method of construction he must determine that special, individual reasons exist that make compliance with the strict letter of the ordinance impractical and that equivalency is provided for requests applicable to the State Housing Law. The resulting condition must be in conformance with the spirit and purpose of the ordinance involved. The applicant must provide sufficient information with this application to allow the above evaluation to be made.

Appeal from the determination or action of the Superintendent of Building or his designated agency may be made to the Board of Building and Safety Commissioners. To appeal, the appellant must give special individual reasons that make compliance with the strict letter of the ordinance impractical. Appeals pertaining to State Housing Law provisions require complete evidence to substantiate that the proposed design, material, or method of construction is at least equivalent to that prescribed by the Code. State such reasons or evidence on the front of this form or on a separate attachment.

**Permit App #:**

**Job Address:**

### CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL:

1. When installed in a non-sprinklered building, the egress control device shall be limited to use on the first story of the building only.
2. The egress-control device shall only be installed where a smoke-detection system is provided throughout the tenant space.
3. If a smoke-detection system does not exist, then a separate electrical permit shall be obtained for the installation of the smoke-detection system. The electrical permit must be approved by the Fire Department prior to issuance of the permit.
4. If only one exit is required from the tenant space, there shall be one code-conforming exit from the tenant space in addition to the exit with special egress-control devices. If two or more exits are required from the tenant space, then one exit with special egress device may be treated as a required exit.
5. The egress-control device shall automatically deactivate upon activation of both the sprinkler system (if provided) and the smoke-detection system.
6. The egress-control device shall automatically deactivate upon the loss of electrical power to any one of the following: the device itself, the smoke-detection system, means of egress illumination as required by Section 1008.3.
7. The egress-control device shall be capable of being deactivated by a signal from a switch located in an approved location. The signal or switch shall provide an audible and/or visual signal in the event the device will not allow exiting from the unit.
8. These conditions of approval shall be clearly shown on the approved set of plans.
9. The smoke-detection system and the egress-control device shall be field tested and approved prior to final approval of the building permit.
10. If the use of the building is changed to any other use, then the egress control device shall be removed, or a separate approval shall be obtained for the new use.
11. All electrical components of the egress control device shall be listed by an LA City approved testing agency.