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## MATERIALS USED FOR WINDOWS IN EXISTING BUILDINGS OF TYPES I AND II CONSTRUCTION

Administrative Rule Adopted by Bureau Pursuant to Rule-Making Authority ARB-ENB-15.19

**TOPIC:** Building Construction - UBC/6/#1

CODE: Structural Specialty Code: 1998 Edition

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REFERENCE: Sections 503, 602 & 603 - Structural Specialty Code

SUBJECT: Materials Used for Windows in Existing Buildings of Types I and II Construction

**QUESTION:** Are wood or vinyl frame windows acceptable as replacement windows in existing buildings of either Type I of Type II construction?

**RESPONSE:** Wood or vinyl windows may be used as replacement windows in existing buildings of Type I of Type II construction provided the windows are located in positions where unprotected openings are permitted.

Wood or vinyl windows may be used in locations where openings are required to be protected if the wood or vinyl window assembly has a listing for the required protection rating.

Any installations not in compliance with the above shall require an appeal be considered based on the individual site/building conditions.

## **HISTORY**

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