



## CODE BOOK FACT SHEET

# 2015 MINNESOTA BUILDING CODE

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- Regulates the design, construction, addition, alteration, repair, use and location of all buildings and structures other than those regulated by the 2015 Minnesota Residential Code.
- Contains detailed provisions governing building construction. These include requirements for structural, means of egress, sanitation, life-safety, fire-safety, and moisture protection.
- Is in Minnesota Rules Chapter 1305. The rule adopts by reference Chapters 2 through 33 and 35 of the 2012 International Building Code (IBC) and includes amendments to the IBC.

### EFFECTIVE DATES

- Minnesota Building Code became effective **June 2, 2015**.
- Radon Code became effective **Feb. 14, 2015**.

### CODE BOOK

The 2015 Minnesota Building Code is a custom code book published for Minnesota by the International Code Council (ICC). It includes Minnesota's amendments into the body of changed sections and reads as a unified code book. It also includes Minnesota chapters about administration, radon and elevators. There is no longer a need to separately purchase the ICC model code and Minnesota amendments and refer to them both. Now they are contained in a single reformatted Minnesota-specific code book.

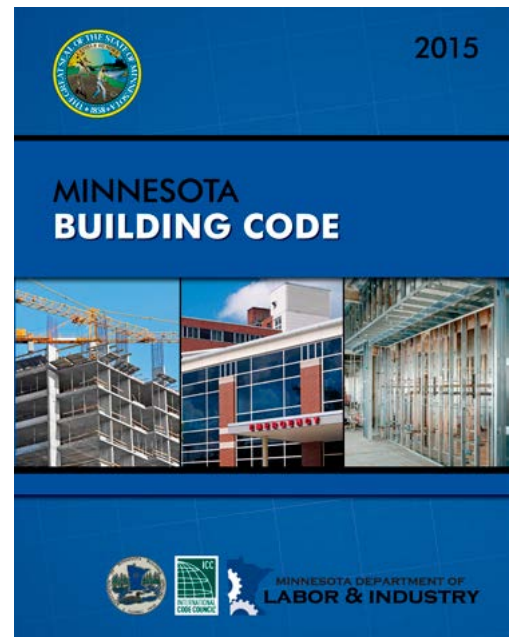
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