326B.108 PLACES OF PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION SUBJECT TO CODE.

Subdivision 1. **Definition.** For purposes of this section, "place of public accommodation" means a publicly or privately owned facility that is designed for occupancy by 100 or more people and is a sports or entertainment arena, stadium, theater, community or convention hall, special event center, indoor amusement facility or water park, or indoor swimming pool.

Subd. 2. **Application.** Construction, additions, and alterations to a place of public accommodation must be designed and constructed to comply with the State Building Code.

Subd. 3. **Enforcement.** Effective July 1, 2017, in a municipality that has not adopted the code by ordinance under section 326B.121, subdivision 2, the commissioner shall enforce this section in accordance with section 326B.107, subdivision 1.

Subd. 4. **Fire protection systems.** If fire protection systems regulated by chapter 299M are required in a place of public accommodation, then those plan reviews and inspections shall be conducted by the state fire marshal.

Subd. 5. **Fire sprinklers required.** Automatic sprinkler systems for fire protection purposes are required in a place of public accommodation if, on or after August 1, 2008:

(1) the facility was constructed, added to, or altered; and

(2) the facility has an occupant load of 300 or more.

History: *2017 c 94 art 2 s 4; 1Sp2017 c 7 s 4; 1Sp2021 c 10 art 3 s 8-10*