



Canadian Standards Association
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To the Part I Committee

Subject No. 3050

Chair: P. Desilets

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Title: Correction to Rule 30-510(3)

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Proposal: Add the word “not” after “..... above an area”.

Reasons for Request: The word was inadvertently omitted during all the deliberations.

Supporting Information: Sentence 9.34.2.6 of the National Building Code, which was the basis for the Rule, contains that word.

Although this is somewhat of an editorial correction, it is being treated as a formal Subject since the word itself completely reverses the meaning.

Chair’s Comments: The Chair agrees with the proposal. The Chair obtained the attached wording citing the NBC Clauses 9.34.2.6 in the latest version (1995) and the earlier one (1990), and concludes that the omission of the ‘not’ preposition in the CEC was an unfortunate event but editorial in nature, since the wording of the Clause in the NBC was not different in intent even though different in words over the full period that Subject 2296 was debated. For reference, Subject 2296, originally dated July 17, 1992, was the Subject bringing those Clauses from the NBC into the CEC.

The Chair requested and obtained the help of Raman Chauhan, a member of the CEC Part I Committee, a member of Section 30 Subcommittee and our CEC-NBC liaison member, in resolving this issue.

Subcommittee Deliberation: There were 7 positive votes and one abstention.

The Chair declares consensus with the proposal. This subject is editorial in nature. The Chair notes that correct reference in the wording of the original proposal should have been citing NBC sentence 9.34.2.6(3) in the 1995 version.

Subcommittee Recommendation: To accept the proposal as submitted.