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Request for Declaratory Statement

I am requesting clarification of the FBC in particular regards to the 2004 Florida Building Code Sec 13 607.1ABC.1.1. I have a case house, the Ardmore Model being built by Buddy Meyer Construction, Inc, in particular that can be sized several ways, and it is not clear exactly what the code implies as it reads now. The FBC does not clearly state as to whether or not the ACCA Manual S guidelines are to be used. Does the code imply use of the ACCA Manual S? Local plan reviewers in many municipalities are ruling inconsistently in this area. The clarity of the code as it stands now causes me to perform calculations that are being questioned by many builders and plan reviewers. I am requesting clarification of the above aforementioned FBC section 13-607 on equipment sizing so that proper cooling and heating loads are performed.

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G AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FILED, on this date, with the designated Clark, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged.

Paula P. Ford

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