

October 14, 2024

Mr. Mo Madani (mo.madani@myfloridalicense.com) Florida Building Commission

Dear Mr. Madani,

Carrier welcomes the action and outcome from the October 11, 2024, Commission's Mechanical Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting on the Glitch proposal to the 8th Edition (2023) Florida Building Code. With the upcoming effective date of January 1, 2025, of the restrictions on the use of hydrofluorocarbons under 40 CFR 84.54, it is critical that refrigeration systems using A2L refrigerants be installed in accordance with the latest edition (2022) of the safety standard, ASHRAE 15.

Therefore, we urge the Commission to follow the Mechanical TAC's recommendation and approve the update of the ASHRAE 15 reference to the 2022 Edition (ASHRAE 15-22), including all addenda issued through July 31, 2024.

Under your Office's direction, I am confident that this update will be implemented in the Florida Building Code – Mechanical soon and I remain available to provide any additional information you may require.

Respectfully yours

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