

Model Building Codes Meeting the “Substantially Equivalent” Requirement of 363 FW 1 Section 1.4B

The following model building codes and design standards provide a level of seismic safety substantially equivalent to that provided by the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program (NEHRP) recommended provisions *in effect at the time*. Buildings that were designed and constructed in conformance with these codes *at the time that these codes were in effect* generally provide the *minimum* seismic performance acceptable to the U.S Fish & Wildlife Service.

- 1.** The 1991 International Conference of Building Officials (ICBO) Uniform Building Code, published by the International Conference of Building Officials, 5360 South Workman Mill Rd., Whittier, California 90601.
- 2.** The 1992 Supplement to the Building Officials and Code Administrators International (BOCA) National Building Code, published by the Building Officials and Code Administrators, 4051 West Flossmoor Rd., Country Club Hills, Illinois 60478-5795.
- 3.** The 1992 Amendments to the Southern Building Code Congress (SBCCI) Standard Building Code, published by the Southern Building Code Congress International, 900 Montclair Rd., Birmingham, Alabama 35213-1206.
- 4.** The 1995 ASCE 7 Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures, published by the American Society of Civil Engineers, 1801 Alexander Bell Drive, Reston, VA 20191.
- 5.** The 2000 International Building Code, published by the International Code Council, Inc. (ICC), 5203 Leesburg Pike, Suite 708, Falls Church, Virginia 22041-3401.