



REFERENCE MATERIALS

NYC ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE



Exemptions (see ECC Chapter 1)

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Buildings & Spaces

- National- and State-designated historic buildings, buildings certified as contributing buildings within National or State historic districts, and buildings certified as eligible for such designation are exempt from the NYCECC (ECC 101.4.3-1).
- NYC-designated historic interiors are exempt from the NYCECC (ECC 101.4.3-2).

Systems

- Envelope and exterior lighting systems (but not interior lighting or HVAC systems) of historic buildings and of certified contributing buildings within historic districts designated by New York City, but not by either State or Federal authorities, are exempt from the NYCECC (ECC 101.4.3.2).
- The building thermal envelope of low-energy buildings is exempt from the NYCECC (ECC 101.5.2.1).
- Systems powered entirely by renewable energy sources are exempt from the NYCECC (ECC 101.5.2.2).

Work Types

- Life-safety work types: FA, FP, SD, SP (ECC 101.6).
- Other work types not regulated by the ECC: FB, FS, EQ, CC, OT/ANT, OT/BPP, OT/FPP, OT/MAR (ECC 101.3).

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