LOCAL TECHNICAL AMENDMENT

FLORIDA BUILDING CODE 6th EDITION (2017) - PLUMBING

AMEND EXISTING SECTION

705.11.2 Solvent cementing. Joint surfaces shall be clean and free from moisture. A purple primer that conforms to ASTM F 656 shall be applied. Solvent cement not purple in color and conforming to ASTMD2564, CSA B137.3, CSA B181.2 or CSA B182.1 shall be applied to all joint surfaces. The joint shall be made while the cement is wet and shall be in accordance with ASTM D 2855. Solvent-cement joints shall be permitted above or below ground.

Exception: A primer is not required where both of the following conditions apply:

- 1. The solvent cement used is third-party certified as conforming to ASTM D2564.
- 2. The solvent cement is used only for joining PVD drain, waste and vent pipe and fittings in non-pressure applications in sizes up to and including 4 inches (102 mm) in diameter.
- 3. Clear Primer conforming to ASTM F 656 may be used on any exposed PVC pipe or fittings on trim/finish work.

Local Conditions and Need: This amendment allows the use of clear primer instead of purple primer when used on exposed PVC pipe or fittings on trim/finish work.

Fiscal Impact Statement: There is no cost impact associated with this amendment.

Effective Date: Effective date of Florida Building Code 6th Edition (2017) - Plumbing.

This amendment if implemented would not discriminate against materials, products, or construction techniques of demonstrated capabilities.