

**BC BUILDING CODE INTERPRETATION COMMITTEE
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INTERPRETATION		
Interpretation Date:	March 15, 2000	File No.:
Building Code Edition:	B.C. Building Code 1998	98 - 0003
Subject:	Flame spread rating of moveable partitions, screens or dividers	
Keywords:	Flame spread rating, partitions, screens, dividers	
Building Code Reference(s):	3.1.13.2.(1) & BC Fire Code 2.3.1.2	
<p>Question: Do flame spread rating requirements of Subsection 3.1.13 apply to moveable partitions, screens or dividers?</p>		
<p>Interpretation: The BC Building Code and BC Fire Code are complementary and co-ordinated documents thus the flame spread rating requirements of Sentence 3.1.13.2.(1) apply to moveable partitions, screens or dividers (refer also to the BC Fire Code Article 2.3.1.2).</p>		
<p><i>P. Sweeney</i> _____ P. Sweeney, Committee Chair</p>		<p><i>June 21 2000</i> _____ Date</p>