

Florida Division of State Fire Marshal

The Florida Fire Marshals and Inspectors Association, "Organization" (§633.026)

Informal Interpretation

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Actual Situation Explanation:

This involves a new 12 unit two story apartment building. The building will be equipped with fire sprinklers, supervised, and monitored. The upper 6 units share two sets of outside stairs.

Question (*should be worded so that it can be answered with either "Yes" or "No"*): Does FS 633.202(13) exempt a 12 unit two story apartment from having a fire alarm with interior notification as required by FFPC 30.3.4.1.1

Answer:Yes

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