

FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING SAFETY COMMISSION

**Interpretation by Building Law Compliance Officer
Division of Fire and Building Safety
Indiana Department of Homeland Security**

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Title: Interpretation of [675 IAC 14-4.3-96.5](#), Section R602.8 of the 2005 Indiana Residential Code

Purpose: To clarify the reference to ASTM E814 in the requirements for fireblocking.

Interpretation: The Building Law Compliance Officer interprets Section R602.8, item #4, subdivision b, "Materials tested under the fire conditions of ASTM E814", to prohibit materials tested under the fire conditions of any modified version of ASTM E814.

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