

**FIRE PREVENTION AND BUILDING SAFETY COMMISSION  
RULE-MAKING DOCKET**

LSA DOCUMENT #20-626  
Variance Rule

<b>Subject Matter of the Rule</b>	
Amends section 675 IAC 12-3-4 and amends, repeals, and adds sections within 675 IAC 12-5 to implement statutory changes made to IC 22-13-2-11 (the law governing variances to rules of the Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission) by Public Law 249-2019, Section 24.	
<b>Notices Related to the Proposed Rule</b>	
Notice of Intent	<a href="http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20201216-IR-675200626NIA.xml.html">http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20201216-IR-675200626NIA.xml.html</a>
Proposed Rule	<a href="http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210127-IR-675200626PRA.xml.html">http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210127-IR-675200626PRA.xml.html</a>
Notice of Public Hearing	<a href="http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210127-IR-675200626PHA.xml.html">http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210127-IR-675200626PHA.xml.html</a>
Economic impact statement	NA
Final Rule	<a href="http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210512-IR-675200626FRA.xml.pdf">http://iac.iga.in.gov/iac//20210512-IR-675200626FRA.xml.pdf</a>
<b>Comments</b>	
<p>The public comment period for this rulemaking action has closed. Written comments, a record of the public hearing, and the agencies response may be found in the March 2, 2021 Meeting Materials located on the Fire Prevention and Building Safety Commission's webpage at this web address: <a href="https://www.in.gov/dhs/boards-and-commissions/fire-prevention-and-building-safety-commission/fpbsc-meeting-materials/">https://www.in.gov/dhs/boards-and-commissions/fire-prevention-and-building-safety-commission/fpbsc-meeting-materials/</a>.</p> <p>The public hearing record is titled: <u>Public Hearing Record of Variances Proposed Rule (LSA Document #20-626)</u>.</p> <p>The written comment is titled: <u>Ron Ritchey (NFSA) Written Comment on Variances Proposed Rule (LSA Doc. #20-626)</u></p> <p>The agency's response is titled: <u>Recommended Changes to Variances Proposed Rule (LSA Document 20-626) and Responses to Public Comments</u></p>	
<b>Virtual Public Hearing</b>	
The virtual public hearing is CLOSED. The hearing was conducted virtually via Cisco Webex on February 24, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. Indianapolis (Eastern) time.	
<b>Relevant Scientific and Technical Findings</b>	
None	
<b>Timetable For Action</b>	
Date of publishing of proposed rule	January 27, 2021
Date of public hearing	February 24, 2021
Final adoption by the Commission	March 02, 2021
Date of submission to the Office of the Attorney General	March 05, 2021
Approved by the Governor	April 15, 2021
Effective date	July 1, 2021