

**INTERPRETATION IC 62.2-2007-2 OF
ANSI/ASHRAE STANDARD 62.2-2007
Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Low-Rise Residential Buildings**

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Reference: This request for interpretation refers to the requirements presented in ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.2-2007, Section 6.1, Transfer Air.

Background: Builders and code authorities are unsure what is required to comply with Section 6.1 Transfer Air.

Interpretation: The intent of Section 6.1 is that supply and balanced ventilation systems provide ventilation air directly from the outdoors. Section 6.1 does not prohibit whole building exhaust or local exhaust ventilation systems and does not require mechanical systems to maintain pressure relationships with adjacent spaces except as required in Section 6.4.

Question: Is this Interpretation correct?

Answer: Yes.

Comments: None.