

**State of California  
Office of Administrative Law**

**In re:**  
**Board of Forestry and Fire Protection**

**Regulatory Action:**

**Title 14, California Code of Regulations**

**Adopt sections:**

**Amend sections:** 1270.00, 1270.01, 1270.02,  
1270.03

**Repeal sections:**

**NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF CHANGES  
WITHOUT REGULATORY EFFECT**

**California Code of Regulations, Title 1,  
Section 100**

**OAL Matter Number: 2020-1221-02**

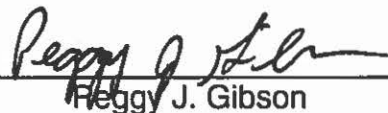
**OAL Matter Type: Nonsubstantive (N)**

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The Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (Board), adopts regulations which implement minimum fire safety standards related to defensible space and which apply to the perimeters and access to all residential, commercial, and industrial building construction within a certain geographic scope. In 2018, Senate Bill 901 (Chapter 626) (SB 901) mandated the expansion of the scope of these regulations to include those lands classified and designated as Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones (VHFHSZ), as defined in subdivision (i) of Government Code § 51177, after July 1, 2021. In this action without regulator effect the Board is adding VHFHSZ to existing regulations implementing minimum fire safety standards.

OAL approves this change without regulatory effect as meeting the requirements of California Code of Regulations, title 1, section 100.

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