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High Rise Building Safety Advisory Committee

MEMORANDUM

TO: High Rise Building Safety Advisory Committee (HRB-SAC)
FROM: Kristin Bigda, Staff Liaison
DATE: April 24, 2013
SUBJ: Circulation of Comments for Ballot on Draft Public Comments

The April 23, 2013 date for receipt of the Ballot on Draft Public Comments has passed. Thank you all for your responses. Below are the preliminary ballot results:

10 Eligible to vote
9 Affirmative Votes (C. Jennings for S. Regenhard)
1 Not Returned (S. Nilles)

Attached you will find an affirmative comment submitted by Mr. John P. Miller. If after reviewing Mr. Miller's comment on affirmative, you decide to change your vote please do so by **Wednesday, May 1, 2013** on the attached ballot form.

You may fax your vote change to (617) 984-7110 or email it to lmackay@nfpa.org.

Enclosures: Ballot Form
Comment

cc: R. Solomon

High Rise Building Safety Advisory Committee (HRB-SAC)

With respect to the draft public comments prepared by HRB-SAC at the April 2-3, 2013 meeting, I:

Agree w/ COMMENTS ADDED BELOW

Disagree *

Abstain *

Provide reasons if you Disagree or Abstain.

As a fire service professional for over 35-years, these recommendations will have a significant positive
impact on public safety in high rise buildings. Post 9/11, the fire service has been challenged with the
spontaneous evacuation of buildings during emergency incidents. The ability to observe in "real time"
the conditions of stairwells and need to focus and immediately assign personnel to locations

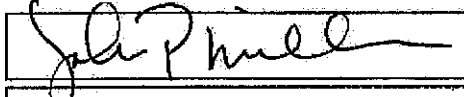
Return by Tuesday, April 23, 2013.

To: Linda Mackay

Fax: (617) 984-7110

Email: lmackay@nfpa.org

Signature:



Name – Please Print:

John P. Miller

Date:

April 9, 2013

Ballot on Draft Public Comments (Continued)

where the influx of building evacuees has restricted access or the inability for egress will greatly assist the Incident Commander, emergency personnel, and building staff in strategically managing and controlling evacuation efforts and provide for greater life safety of the building occupants in high occupancy buildings.

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