

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
Building Inspection Division



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**MEMORANDUM**

**BULLETIN – P-1-05**

TO: All Permit Applicants

FROM: Thomas H. Goldsbury, P. E., C.B.O  
Chief Building Inspection Division

SUBJECT: **Change to the Plumbing Code Affecting Shower Floors  
Reference Section P2709 of the Residential Building Code  
And 415.5.2 of the Plumbing Code**

Unfortunately the changes brought about by the 2004 Florida Building Code are too numerous for me to provide in a Bulletin. However, when I become aware of changes that it appears many of you have not yet become aware of, I will try to bring them to your attention. Please keep in mind that my giving notification of the change in the code after the effective date of the code does not give you an excuse for having the work installed according to the new code.

This notice is in regards to the construction of shower floors. The sections referenced above now require sloped floors. This is a major change and we have seen that many of you have not noticed this yet. Please review the sections noted above to avoid failing inspections.

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