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RULE OF THE BOARD
NO. 61

Re: Controls: Spray Application of Fire Proofing, Sound and Thermal Insulation or Other Surface Coating Materials.

Adopted: July 27, 1970
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Whereas, the Board of Building Standards and Building Appeals is empowered by Section 76-6 (d), Charter of the City of Cleveland and Section 5.0717 Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland to establish rules and regulations for carrying into effect the provisions of the Building Code and to prescribe means and methods of practice to effectuate such provisions, and

Whereas, Section 5.5315 of the Building Code entitled, "Debris and Fire Protection" establishes the general prohibitions against waste materials being blown about and uncontrolled to the detriment and nuisance of the general public, and

Whereas, Section 5.5301 of the Building Code denotes the Board of Building Standards and Building Appeals as the agency responsible for the definitions of safe practice for building construction, and

Whereas, the building construction industry utilizes certain spray-on methods for material applications, the over-spray and drop-off of which, has been demonstrated to be a hazard and nuisance to the health and safety of the general public, now therefor,

BE IT RESOLVED, that compliance with provisions of the subsequent rule shall be deemed to be accepted safe practice.

THE RULE:

A. No spray-on application, herein specified, shall be permitted in the City of Cleveland as of the effective date of this rule, except as authorized by the Commissioner of the Division of Building.

B. Spray-on application of fire proofing, sound, thermal insulation or other surface coating materials containing free asbestos fibres or other deleterious substances shall be limited

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to those work areas controlled as directed by the Commissioner of the Division of Building.

C. The Commissioner of the Division of Building, shall specify in writing, the method or methods to effectuate the protection of the general public, adjoining property and workmen other than the applicator.

D. Method of control shall include provisions for containment by enclosure of each floor with approved materials and clean-up of over-spray and drop-off.

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