

STATE BUILDING CODE OPINION 24-Sept13

CODE: 2021 Washington State Energy Code-Commercial

SECTION: C404.11 and C404.2.1, Pools and Spas

QUESTION: Are service hot water heating systems that serve pools and permanent spas required to comply with heat pump water heating provisions of Section C404.2.1 including the primary and supplemental water heating provisions of Section C404.2.1.1 and C404.2.1.4?

ANSWER: Option 1:

No. The scope within Section C404.11 states that it governs all energy consumption requirements for pools and spas, so the water heating requirements are covered solely by Section C404.11.1.

Option 2:

Yes. Service water heating for pools and spas must comply with Section C404.2.1 and applicable subsection.

SUPERSEDES: None

REQUESTED BY: City of Bellevue