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Dear Commission Members,

I am writing to provide feedback on the proposed amendments in the Intervening Supplement to the 2025 California Building Standards Code. I'm the director of a preschool program serving children 0-5, 75% of whom come from low-income backgrounds. Our budget consistently runs on thin margins, & we rely heavily on philanthropy to fill in the consistent gaps not filled by government funding on a regular basis. Any new upgrades, changes, or requirements that would necessitate more spending would be extremely prohibitive.

While I appreciate the ongoing effort to modernize our safety standards, I am concerned about the potential for these changes to have a huge negative impact on providers' budgets.

I strongly encourage the Commission to plan a way to fund the adaptations needed as well as prioritize clear, uniform guidance for local jurisdictions - so we can navigate these updates without undue administrative or financial burden. Clearer pathways for adaptive reuse and renovations in existing facilities are vital to ensuring we can continue providing high-quality care in our communities.

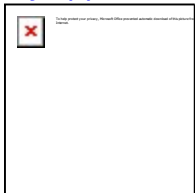
Thank you for your time and for the opportunity to provide public comment on these important revisions.

Best regards,

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