

INFORMAL CODE INTERPRETATION

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Drilling and Notching of Girders

Code: 2012 Residential Code

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Section: R502.8

Question:

Does the Residential Code allow drilling and notching of girders?

Answer:

No. The Code does not allow for the drilling or notching of girders unless designed by an engineer.