

Amendment to Council Bill No. 56 - 2010

BY: Chairperson at the request  
of the County Executive

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Amendment No. 12

(This amendment:

1. *Makes certain exceptions for flat wall signs in Downtown Columbia; and*
2. *Prohibits signs that block egress.)*

1 On page 4, in line 21, strike “, nor” down through the second “window.” in line 23 and substitute  
2 “. EXCEPT IN DOWNTOWN COLUMBIA, A SIGN, PART OF A SIGN, OR THE SIGN’S SUPPORTING  
3 STRUCTURE SHALL NOT COVER A WINDOW OR ANY PART OF A WINDOW. IN DOWNTOWN  
4 COLUMBIA, FLAT WALL SIGNS THAT COVER A WINDOW SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION  
5 3.505(A)(8) OF THIS SUBTITLE.”.

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7 On page 14, after line 12, insert:

8 “(8) SIGNS WHICH ARE ERECTED, CONSTRUCTED, OR MAINTAINED SO AS TO OBSTRUCT A FIRE  
9 ESCAPE, REQUIRED EXIT, WINDOW OPENING, OR DOOR OPENING USED AS A MEANS OF EGRESS.”.