



**COUNTY OF VENTURA  
Division of Building and Safety  
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY**

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**M E M O R A N D U M**

**DATE:** January 7, 2010

**TO:** Standard Plan Holders, Applicants for Swimming Pool Permits,  
and other interested Parties

**FROM:** Jim MacDonald, CBO  
Building Official

**SUBJECT:** Changes in Energy Requirements. Swimming pools and  
equipment to comply with the 2008 California Energy Code

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The revised Building Energy Efficiency Standards for 2008, also known as Part 6 of California Title 24, became effective on January 1, 2010. Section 150(p) of these standards addresses certain energy efficiency requirements for residential pool and equipment installations. These requirements are applicable to all swimming pool permit applications received on or after January 1, 2010. Holders of Standard Plan approvals are advised to incorporate these new energy requirements into your standard swimming pool plans by March 2, 2010 in order avoid an interruption of current standard plan approvals.

Contact Counter staff at the Ventura Office at 805-654-2771 for information and requirements for standard plan updates. For energy questions related to swimming pools, contact Roman Smith at 805-654-2771.