

**NFPA 72®-2019 Edition**

***National Fire Alarm and Signaling Code®***

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**Reference:** 29.11.3.4 item (6)

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*1. Revise 29.11.3.4 item (6) to read as follows:*

**29.11.3.4 Specific Location Requirements.** The installation of smoke alarms and smoke detectors shall comply with the following requirements:

(1) ...

(6) Effective ~~January 1, 2022~~, January 1, 2023, smoke alarms and smoke detectors installed between 6 ft (1.8 m) and 20 ft (6.1 m) along a horizontal flow path from a stationary or fixed cooking appliance shall be listed for resistance to common nuisance sources from cooking.

(7) ...

**Substantiation:** Underwriters Laboratories has moved the UL217 and UL268 effective dates to June 30, 2022. This creates a conflict in the 2022 Draft edition of NFPA 72 Chapter 29 installation requirements. The current installation date is May 1, 2022. This date must now be adjusted to reflect the change in the effective date of the listing standard to allow manufacturers to meet the new listing requirements and provide product to the marketplace.

**Emergency Nature:** The NFPA Standard contains a conflict within the NFPA Standard or within another NFPA Standard.

The UL effective dates are now changed and the changes are reflected in NFPA 72 Chapter 29 2022 Edition and this creates a conflict with the 2019 Edition of this standard.