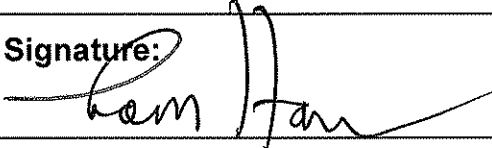


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Building Code Interpretation
Disabled Access 004
Knee Clearance

Subject: Knee clearance at employee break room sinks	Date: January 15, 2008 (revised from 11/5/07 based on CBC code change)
San Francisco Building Code Sections: 1122B.3, 1123B.1, 1115B.4.7.1 & 2	Code Year: 2007
Approved By: Isam Hasenin, P.E., C.B.O., Director	Signature: 
Question: Is knee clearance required to be provided for wheelchair access for forward approach to employee break room sinks and similar fixtures in commercial spaces?	
Answer: Knee clearance for forward approach to break room sinks is required.	
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