



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

**AFFIDAVIT – SELF CERTIFICATION OF INSTALLATION OF
SMOKE/CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM(S)**

FOR COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION R314.3 AND R315.2 OF THE VENTURA COUNTY BUILDING CODE
WHERE NO INTERIOR ACCESS FOR INSPECTION IS REQUIRED.

PROPERTY ADDRESS: _____

OWNER NAME: _____ PERMIT NO.: _____

NUMBER OF ALARMS INSTALLED: SMOKE _____; CARBON MONOXIDE _____.

Existing single-family dwellings shall be provided with Carbon Monoxide Alarms no later than July 1, 2011.

When the valuation of additions, alterations, or repairs to existing dwelling units exceeds \$1,000.00, Section(s) R314 and R315 of the Ventura County Building Code require that Smoke Alarms and/or Carbon Monoxide Alarms be installed in the following locations:

1. Outside of each separate dwelling unit sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of the bedroom(s).
 - Smoke Alarm and Carbon Monoxide Alarm
2. On every level of a dwelling unit including basements
 - Smoke Alarm and Carbon Monoxide Alarm
3. Within each sleeping room.
 - Smoke Alarm

Carbon Monoxide Alarms are not required in dwellings which do not contain fuel-burning appliances and that do not have an attached garage.

Multi-purpose alarms: Carbon monoxide alarms combined with smoke alarms shall comply with section R315.1 and shall be approved by the Office of the State Fire Marshal.

Power Supply: In dwelling units with no commercial power supply, alarm(s) may be solely battery operated. In existing dwelling units, alarms are permitted to be solely battery operated where repairs or alterations do not result in the removal of wall and ceiling finishes **or** there is no access by means of attic, basement or crawl space. See Sections R314.4 and R315.1. An electrical permit is required for alarms which must be connected to the building wiring.

As owner of the above-referenced property, I hereby certify that the alarm(s) referenced above has/have been installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and in compliance with the Ventura County Building Code. The alarms have been tested and are operational.

Print Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

This certification must be returned to the Building Inspector prior to final inspection approval of all building permits requiring compliance with Section 420.4.1 of the California Building Code. This form may be mailed to the address provided below to the Building and Safety Division.

**Location #1720
800 South Victoria Avenue, Ventura, CA 93009**

DIVISION OF BUILDING AND SAFETY COUNTY OF VENTURA BUILDING OFFICIAL _____ Jim MacDonald, CBO	B & S STD	B -102
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