

Interpretation of Deck Relating to Pool and Spa Glazing

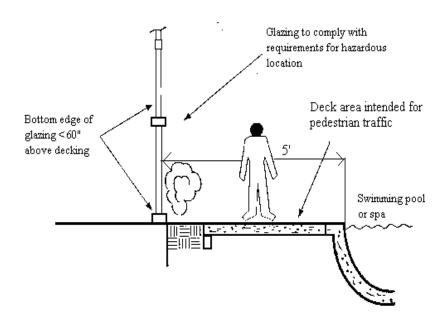
2016 California Building Code, Section 2406.4.5 Glazing and wet surfaces

Section 2406.4.5 Requires glazing within 5 feet of a pool or spa waters edge to be safety glazing.

The City of Livermore Building Official has provided an interpretation for pool or spa **deck**. The **deck** is any walking surface within 5 feet of the waters edge and is to include wood, concrete, and lawn areas.

Glazing and wet surfaces:

- Provisions of Section 2406.4.5of the 2016 California Building Code, apply to glazing in walls and fences enclosing swimming pools and spas.
- All following conditions must apply:
 - 1) Bottom edge of glazing is less than 60 inches above the pool/spa decking.
 - 2) Glazing at or within 5 feet of swimming pool or spa waters edge.
- Provision applies to glazing of any size.



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