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## **DEFINITION OF FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM**

**House Bill 5487**

**Sponsor: Rep. Wayne Kuipers**

**Committee: Regulatory Reform**

**Complete to 10-24-02**

### **A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 5487 AS INTRODUCED 12-11-01**

Under the Forbes Mechanical Contractors Act, a “fire suppression system” is defined to mean “an integrated combination of a fire alarm system and fire suppression equipment which as a result of predetermined temperature, rate of temperature rise, products of combustion, flame, or human intervention will discharge a fire extinguishing substance over a fire area”. House Bill 5487 would amend this definition to clarify that the combination of a fire alarm system and fire suppression equipment would have to be “inside a building or structure”.

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