

Seminaries and Institutes of Religion (S&I) - (C.E.S.)

STANDARD PLAN INFORMATION NOTICE

Physical Facilities Department

This notice addresses new information that may be helpful in your work with the S&I standard plan program. Please take time to review the information in order to understand its potential impact on construction work under your stewardship.

Date of Notification: *March 17, 2008*

Information Title:

S&I Classroom Operable Sound Partitions

Information:

*S&I Standard Plans are currently detailed with Operable Sound Partitions (Motorized Folding Panel Partitions, Section 10 2227) separating some of the Classroom spaces. When specifically directed by S&I-HQ Physical Facilities Representatives, these partitions may often be eliminated in some new Seminary building projects and replaced with a solid sound partition. In larger Seminary plans (6 and 8 Classroom), the replacement detail is already provided in the drawings for other separating walls that occur in the building and will simply need to be referred to where the operable wall is removed. (See Wall Types sheets, A1.3 & A1.4) For smaller Seminary plans, the wall type will need to be created in the set of documents. **The detail should consist of 2x6 top and bottom plates with 2x4 studs staggered at 8" o.c. with sound blanket insulation between and ½" sound deadening board at one side of the wall and 5/8" gypsum board on both sides of the wall.** The Folding Panel Partitions will seldom be eliminated in Standard S&I Institute buildings due to plan flexibility requirements. Seminary plans will later be updated to reflect this option detail in the next S&I Standard Plan update cycle.*

Instructions for Implementation:

This instructional information applies to all new projects unless changes will require a delay, re-order of construction materials, change order resulting in a cost increase or modification of existing construction work. Please verify with your S&I-HQ Physical Facilities representative to determine if this is to be implemented in your S&I Seminary projects.

Attachments:

None

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