



BHMA STANDARDS CHANGE PROPOSAL FORM
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Standard: A156.38

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1. Sections/Tables/Figures Proposed for Revision (e.g. Section 1.2 or 1.2.2.):

Section 2.11 Definition of Knowing Act

Section 6.2

2. Revise as follows:

2.11 **Knowing Act** ~~Consciously initiating the powered opening of a door.~~ Any conscious action with expected results of egress through a door. This includes but is not limited to: wall or jamb-mounted contact or non-contact switches such as push plates; the action of manual opening (pushing or pulling) a door; and controlled access devices such as keypads, card readers, wireless transmitters and keyswitches.

6.2 Consistent with section 2.2.1 of ANSI Z535.4 - ~~2002~~ 2011(R2017) the "signage and warnings" guidelines of A156.38 are based on recognized, industry-specific standards that pre-date the adoption of Z535.4 and are not replaced by the standards set forth therein.

3. Reason/ Supporting Information:

Section 2.11 changes – Consistency with A156.19 definition of Knowing Act

Section 6.2 changes – ANSI Z535.4 2011(R2017) is current standard. Section **2.2.1 Existing American National Standards** is shown below:

There are a number of existing American National Standards that are recognized for particular industries or specific uses. Compliance with such a standard may be considered for the particular industry or use. It is not the intent of this ANSI Z535.4 standard to replace existing standards or regulations that are uniquely applicable to a specific industry or use. It is the intent to encourage adoption of this standard in subsequent revisions of other standards and regulations.