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to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2016**

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# **Proposed Addendum an to Standard 62.1-2016, Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality**

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## FOREWORD

*Table 6.2.2.1 (Minimum Ventilation Rates in Breathing Zone) includes educational space types including Classroom (age 9 plus) and Lecture Classroom. The first of these does not have note H assigned and ventilation shutoff is not allowed. Lecture Classroom has note H and ventilation shutoff is allowed. However, for college buildings, it is not clear which of these space types should be assigned to the classroom spaces. This proposed addendum will clarify that college classrooms may use note H and have the ventilation shut off when they are unoccupied. This control type would also apply to other post-secondary classrooms, such as classrooms that are in a variety of building types including classrooms in office buildings.*

*The rationale for combining lecture halls and post-secondary classrooms is that these are areas where room generated emissions are small – they typically have hard surfaces and do not include painting supplies etc. Note that Table 6.2.2.1 has different space types specifically called out for other classroom spaces which might contain materials that off gas regardless of level of occupancy; these include: daycare, classrooms for younger students, art classrooms, science laboratories, wood/metal shop, etc.*

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## **Addendum an to 62.1-2016**

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***Add new definitions to Section 3 as shown below. The remainder of Section 3 is unchanged.***

### **3. DEFINITIONS (SEE FIGURES 3.1)**

**classroom:** a space for instruction in which the instructor regularly occupies and stores supplies in the space.

**classroom, lecture:** a space for instruction in which all occupants are interim and no supplies are stored in the space.