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Proposed Addendum c to Standard 62.1-2019, Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality

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FOREWORD

Unresolved objectors to 62.1-2016 Addendum S noted that the definition for unusual source is unclear in distinguishing whether rarely refers to a source that is intermittent or transient within a space or if it is meant in the sense of commonality as in an object that would not be commonly found within in a space regardless of the duration of its presence. This proposed addendum seeks to bring clarity to what the committee considers as an unusual source. The new definition makes clear that the unusual nature of a source has to do with its relationship to common items and activities within the space. For example, cooking is a common activity for a kitchen, but would be an uncommon activity for a classroom, therefore a cooking classroom would have an unusual source if categorized as a classroom, meaning additional design considerations should be taken in order to comply with the standard.

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Revise the definition in Section 3.1 as shown below. The remainder of Section 3.1 is unchanged.

3. DEFINITIONS

3.1 Terminology (See Figure 3-1)

***unusual source:** an item or activity ~~that could create or emit contaminants that occurs rarely~~ not usually expected within an occupancy category and that has the potential to create contaminants. **Informative Note:** Informative Appendix I contains some information on sources and contaminants expected in certain occupancy categories.*