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#### **FOREWORD**

This addendum clarifies language in Appendix A related to the location of insulation for foundation walls. It is partially in response to an unofficial interpretation request received by the subcommittee related to this section. Because it is an editorial clarification, a cost-effectiveness analysis was not performed.

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### **Addendum di to 90.1-2022**

Revise text as follows:

#### A6.2 Rated R-Value of Insulation for Slab-on-Grade Floors

**A6.2.1** The *rated R-value of insulation* shall be installed around the perimeter of the *slab-on-grade floor* to the distance specified.

**Exception to A6.2.1:** For a monolithic *slab-on-grade floor*, the insulation shall extend from the top of the slab-on-grade to the bottom of the footing.

- **A6.2.2** Insulation installed within or on the interior face of inside the foundation wall shall extend downward from the top of the slab to not less than a minimum of the distance specified or to the top of the footing, whichever is less.
- A6.2.3 Insulation installed on the exterior face of outside the foundation wall shall extend continuously from the top of the slab or downward to at least the bottom of the slab and then horizontally to a minimum of the not less than the distance specified. In all climates, the horizontal insulation extending outside of the foundation shall be covered by pavement or by not less than 10 in. (25 cm) of soil-a minimum of 10 in. thick.