

## AMENDMENTS TO THE 2023 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE (NEC)

**Article 210.23 (B) - 15- and 20-amp branch circuits;** Addition to the end of the subsection: In dwelling units, the general-purpose branch circuits for receptacles and lighting shall be limited to no more than (10) openings on a 15-amp circuit and no more than (12) openings on a 20-amp circuit. Branch circuits for lighting only shall not exceed 80% of the branch circuit rating. The calculated load shall be determined on the maximum allowable wattage of the fixtures.

**Article 210.52 (B) 3- Kitchen Receptacles Requirements;** Modify the first sentence to read: Receptacles installed in a kitchen to serve countertop surfaces shall be supplied by not fewer than two small appliance circuits, **these circuits shall have no more than four openings**, either or both of which shall also be permitted to supply receptacle outlets in the same kitchen or other rooms specified in 210.52 (B) (1).

**Article 215.2(A) 2 Informational Note #2 – Delete and substitute**

**Article 215.2(A) 2 (a)** Service Conductors and Feeder Conductors, as defined in Article 100, shall be sized to prevent a voltage drop exceeding 3 percent at the furthest termination and will provide reasonable efficiency of operation.