

2021 Virginia Construction Code

CHAPTER 33 SAFEGUARDS DURING CONSTRUCTION

SECTION 3310 MEANS OF EGRESS

3310.1 Stairways required.

Where building construction exceeds 40 feet (12 192 mm) in height above the lowest level of fire department vehicle access, a temporary or permanent *stairway* shall be provided. As construction progresses, such *stairway* shall be extended to within one floor of the highest point of construction having secured decking or flooring.

3310.2 Maintenance of means of egress.

Means of egress and required accessible means of egress shall be maintained at all times during *construction*.