TABLE 720.1(3)-continued MINIMUM PROTECTION FOR FLOOR AND ROOF SYSTEMS^{a, q}

			THICKNESS OF FLOOR OR ROOF SLAB (inches)				MINIMUM THICKNESS OF CEILING (inches)			
FLOOR OR ROOF CONSTRUCTION	ITEM NUMBER	CEILING CONSTRUCTION	4 hour	3 hour	2 hour	1 hour	4 hour	3 hour	2 hour	1 hour
7. Reinforced concrete	7-1.1	5/8" gypsum plaster on bottom of floor or roof construction.	-	-	8 ^h	-	-	-	5/8	-
slabs and joists with hollow clay tile fillers laid end to end in rows $2^{1}/2^{"}$ or more apart; reinforcement placed between rows and concrete cast around and over tile.	7-1.2	None	-	-	-	5 ¹ / ₂ ⁱ	-	-	-	-
8. Steel joists constructed with a reinforced concrete slab on top poured on a $^{1}/_{2}$ " deep steel deck. ^e	8-1.1	Vermiculite gypsum plaster on metal lath attached to $^3/_4$ " cold-rolled channels with 0.049" (No. 18 B.W. gage) wire ties spaced 6" on center.	2 ¹ / ₂ ^j	-	-	-	3/4	-	-	-
9. 3" deep cellular steel deck with concrete slab on top. Slab thickness measured to top.	9-1.1	Suspended ceiling of vermiculite gypsum plaster base coat and vermiculite acoustical plaster on metal lath attached at $6"$ intervals to $^3/_4"$ cold-rolled channels spaced $12"$ on center and secured to $1^1/_2"$ cold-rolled channels spaced $36"$ on center with $0.065"$ (No. 16 B.W. gage) wire. $1^1/_2"$ channels supported by No. 8 gage wire hangers at $36"$ on center. Beams within envelope and with a $2^1/_2"$ airspace between beam soffit and lath have a 4-hour rating.	21/2	-	-	-	1 ¹ / ₈ ^k	-	-	-
10. 1 ¹ / ₂ "-deep steel roof deck on steel framing. Insulation board, 30 pcf density, composed of wood fibers with cement binders of thickness shown bonded to deck	10-1.1	Ceiling of gypsum plaster on metal lath. Lath attached to ${}^{3}/{}_{4}$ " furring channels with 0.049" (No. 18 B.W. gage) wire ties spaced 6" on center. ${}^{3}/{}_{4}$ " channel saddle tied to 2" channels with doubled 0.065" (No. 16 B.W. gage) wire ties. 2" channels spaced 36" on center suspended 2" below steel framing and saddle-tied with 0.165" (No. 8 B.W. gage) wire. Plaster mixed 1:2 by weight, gypsum-to-sand	-	-	1 ⁷ / ₈	1	-	-	3/41	3/41