



## 1.7. Occupancies and Types of Buildings

### 1.7.31. Air-Inflated Structure

A structure whose shape is maintained by air pressure in cells or tubes forming all or part of the enclosure of the usable area and in which the occupants are not within the pressurized area used to support the structure. See [section 7.1.43.](#) for material requirements.

### 1.7.32. Air-Supported Structure

A structure where shape is maintained by air pressure and in which occupants are within the elevated pressure area. See [section 7.1.43.](#) for material requirements.

### 1.7.33. Kiosks

A structure, temporary or permanent in nature constructed of wood, textile, plastic, composite panels etc. occupied as retail outlet, food outlet, service outlet, generally located at malls, shopping centers, assembly areas and exhibition centers. See [section 7.1.40.](#) for material requirements.

### 1.7.34. Private Villa

Single family dwelling unit, generally ground with first floor, built and solely owned by individual on the individual plot.

### 1.7.35. Commercial Villa

One or Two family dwelling units built in a group by developer and sold, leased or rented to individual families. Mosques, community halls, recreation facilities may also be part of this development.

### 1.7.36. Multiple Occupancy

A building or structure in which two or more classes of occupancy exist.

### 1.7.37. Mixed Occupancy

A multiple occupancy where the occupancies are intermingled.

### 1.7.38. Separated Occupancy

A multiple occupancy where the occupancies are separated by fire resistance-rated assemblies.

### 1.7.39. Low Rise Building

The occupancies or Multiple and Mixed occupancies, facilities, buildings and structures having total height of the building (excluding roof parapets) at or up to 15 Meters from the lowest grade or lowest level of Fire Service access into that occupancy is categorized as Lowrise Building.

### 1.7.40. Mid Rise Building

The occupancies or Multiple and Mixed occupancies, facilities, buildings and structures having total height of the building (excluding roof parapets) is between 15 Meters to 23 meters from the lowest grade or lowest level of Fire Service access into that occupancy is categorized as Midrise Building.