

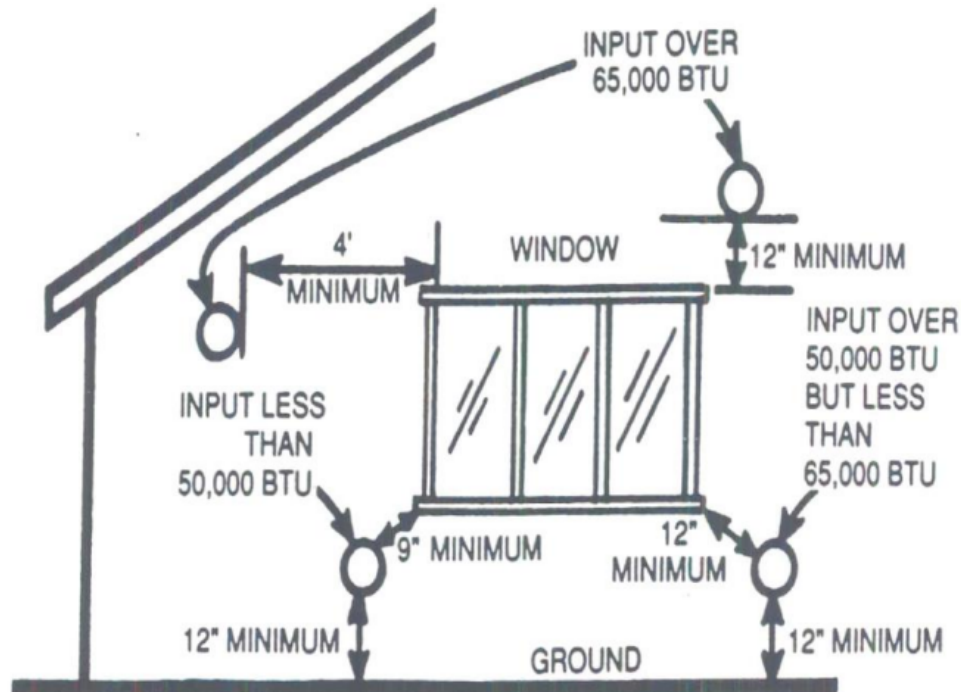


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## Community Development Permit Center DIRECT VENT TERMINATION (M13)

LAST REVISED:  
2022 CA MECHANICAL CODE  
802.8.2

BUILDING OFFICIAL:  
DINO FRANCESCONI



For SI: 1 foot = 305 mm  
For SI: 1 inch = 25.4 mm

### VENT TERMINATION—DIRECT-VENT APPLIANCES

**802.8.2 Direct-Vent Appliance.** The vent terminal of a direct-vent appliance with an input of 10,000 Btu/h (3kW) or less shall be located not less than 6 inches (152 mm) from an air opening into a building, and such an appliance with an input over 10,000 Btu/h (3 kW) but not exceeding 50,000 Btu/h (14.7 kW) shall be installed with a 9 inch (229 mm) vent termination clearance, and an appliance with an input exceeding 50,000 Btu/h (14.7 kW) shall have not less than a 12 inch (305 mm) vent termination clearance. The bottom of the vent terminal and the air intake shall be located not less than 12 inches (305 mm) above the ground level. (NFPA 54:12.9.3)