

## **Christmas Trees**

California Code of Regulations, Title 19, Section 3.08 states, "Christmas trees that would tend to increase fire and panic hazard shall be made from nonflammable material or shall be treated and maintained in a flame-retardant condition by means of a flame-retardant solution or process approved by the State Fire Marshall."

Natural Christmas trees placed in any facility or on the grounds of California State University, Fresno, must be treated with a flame-retardant solution. Certification attesting that a tree has been treated must be obtained and forwarded to the Office of Risk Management, Mail Stop 14.

Artificial trees must be made from a nonflammable material and be U.L. approved.

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