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**BHMA ISSUES REVISION TO THE STANDARD FOR ARCHITECTURAL  
DOOR TRIM**

**NEW YORK, NY** (September 1, 2010) – The Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association (BHMA) announces the publication of ANSI/BHMA A156.6 - 2010 American National Standard for Architectural Door Trim.

Through its suite of 33 builders hardware standards, BHMA seeks to further insure the safety and stability of each component of the total door opening. A156.6 – 2010 includes strength and finish tests, as well as dimensional and material criteria for architectural door hardware. Door protection plates, door edgings, push plates, door pulls, push bars, and pull bars are included in the architectural door hardware category.

This revision clarifies that door edging mortise applications are limited to wood and laminate door materials, the door squareness tolerance, and updates the editions of each referenced standard and its formatting.

For more information, or to purchase additional copies of this or any other standards, please visit BHMA's bookstore at [www.buildershardware.com](http://www.buildershardware.com). You can also order standards by phone by calling 800-699-9277. (Purchased standards are available as printed documents or electronic files (PDF) for immediate download.)

## **About BHMA**

The Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association (BHMA) is an industry leader in building safety and security. BHMA is the only organization accredited by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) to develop and maintain performance standards for locks, closers, exit devices and other builders hardware. The widely known ANSI/BHMA A156 series of standards describes and establishes the features and criteria for specific types of hardware products. In addition, BHMA sponsors third-party certification of hardware products, which is a requirement for a product to bear the “BHMA Certified” mark — insuring that the product meets the ANSI/BHMA standard. For more information on BHMA, please write to BHMA, 355 Lexington Avenue, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY, 10017 or visit the Web site at [www.buildershardware.com](http://www.buildershardware.com).

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