Section 7.10. - Sample Provision Excerpt (Public Preview)

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Sec. 7.10. (p. 14): Blanket ban, sub-1-meter size cap, or prior approval requirement on satellite dishes or antennas is preempted by federal FCC OTARD regulations.

Statutory / Legal Reference: 47 C.F.R. § 1.4000 (FCC OTARD Rule)

Statutory Comparison: The FCC Over-the-Air Reception Devices rule (47 C.F.R. § 1.4000, as expanded by the 2021 OTARD Report and Order, FCC 21-10) preempts community association restrictions that prohibit, charge application fees for, require prior architectural approval for, or impose sub-1-meter (39.37-inch) diameter caps on the installation, maintenance, or use of television broadcast antennas, direct-broadcast satellite dishes 1 meter or less in diameter, and fixed wireless broadband antennas (including hub and relay antennas) situated on property within the exclusive use or control of the owner/tenant.

CURRENT WORDING IN DOCUMENT:
Without the prior written authorization of the Architectural Control Committee, no television or radio antenna of any sort shall be placed, allowed, or maintained outside a Living Unit or on the exterior of any building or other improvement located thereon.

SAMPLE DISCUSSION WORDING (FOR HOA ATTORNEY REVIEW):
Without the prior written authorization of the Architectural Control Committee, no television or radio antenna of any sort shall be placed, allowed, or maintained outside a Living Unit or on the exterior of any building or other improvement located thereon. [FEDERAL OTARD CARVEOUT]: Provided that this restriction shall not prohibit or require prior approval for any owner or occupant installing an antenna, fixed wireless broadband hub/relay device, or satellite dish of one meter (39.37 inches) or less in diameter within areas under the owner's or occupant's exclusive use or control, in accordance with FCC OTARD...