

## **AGENDA**

### **ELEVATOR INSTALLATION, REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE WORK EXAMINING BOARD**

**JULY 12, 2010**

A scheduled meeting of the Elevator installation, Repair and Maintenance Work Examining Board will be held on Monday, July 12, 2010 at 9:30 a.m. in Room-126 of the State Office Building, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT 06106.

#### **BOARD MEMBERS**

Thomas J. O'Reilly	Contractor
Paul Farnsworth	Contractor
Joseph Bayusik	Contractor
John R. DeRosa, Jr.	Journey person
Michael D. Griffin	Journey person
Gary Bazzano	Public Member
Gaetano T. Zappala	Public Member
Roger L. LaFleur	Public Member

**Note:** The administrative functions of the Boards, Commissions and Councils are carried out by the Department of Consumer Protection, Occupational and Professional Licensing Division. For information contact Richard M. Hurlburt, Director at (860) 713-6135 or Fax: (860) 706-1255.

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### **MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

Review and approve minutes of the May 10, 2010 Elevator Installation, Repair and Maintenance Work Examining Board meeting.

### **CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING ELEVATOR MAINTENANCE WORK**

1. Correspondence dated May 18, 2010 from Richard E. Maloney, DCP Trade Enforcement Director, concerning issues of concern regarding "Elevator Maintenance" work as it relates to an elevator cab. The correspondence reads as follow:

Elevator cab maintenance is the fabrication, repair and installation of all materials within the cab such as but not limited to: surface materials, glass, metal, fabrics, woven metal fabric, wire mesh, hardware, furniture, handrails, wall and ceiling panels, wood, carpet and mirrors. Painting and cleaning are exempt activities within the definition.

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

1. Letter dated April 20, 2010 from Humphrey Manlift Company, Inc., inquiring on certifying belt manlift inspectors and/or mechanics.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

1. Mr. DeRosa is inquiring on the status of the following Board's draft regulation language changes proposed at their 1/12/09 meeting concerning the (R-5) Limited Contractor and (R-6) Limited Journeyman license category.

### **Limited contractor elevator license (R-5)**

This license shall be known as an accessibility contractor's license. The holder of this license may perform, except as hereinafter stated, installation, repair and maintenance work on all equipment as defined in section 20-332-3a of these regulations. A person must have served at least two years as an R-2 or R-6 journeyman or have equivalent experience to qualify for the R-5 examination. The holder of this license may not perform any work on equipment as defined in section 20-332-3a of these regulations if the platform of said equipment is to penetrate the floor or ceiling of the building in which the equipment is to be installed. The holder of this license may not perform any work on any limited use limited access elevators.

### **Limited journeyman elevator license (R-6)**

This license shall be known as an accessibility journeyman's license. The holder of this license may perform, except as hereinafter stated, installation, repair and maintenance work on all equipment as defined in section 20-332-3a of these regulations and only while in the employ of a duly licensed elevator contractor. A person must have completed a one year, two thousand hour (2,000) elevator accessibility apprenticeship program or have equivalent experience to qualify for the R-6 examination. Pursuant to Section 31-51d of the Connecticut General Statutes, the labor commissioner will formulate work training standards for apprentices in the craft of installing accessibility equipment. The holder of this license may not perform any work on equipment as defined in section 20-332-3a of these regulations if the platform of said equipment is to penetrate the floor or ceiling of the building in which the equipment is to be installed. The holder of this license may not perform any work on any limited use limited access elevators.

### **Sec. 20-332-3a Licensing of accessibility contractors and journeymen**

Accessibility equipment refers to the inclined stairway chairlifts, vertical wheelchair lifts, inclined lifts and any other lift that is referred to in Section 29-200 of the Connecticut General Statutes that is designed to transport persons with physical disabilities, whether or not wheelchair users. Accessibility equipment is limited to both vertical and inclined lifts designed in compliance with the current ASME A18.1, using hydraulic, mechanical or cable hauled mechanisms installed in any commercial, industrial, public and/or residential facility. The exemption provided in Section 20-340(5) of the Connecticut General Statutes is not applicable to such equipment.