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ADOPTION OF THE UNITED STATES ISSUED ASME A17.1 2025 SAFETY CODE FOR ELEVATORS AND ESCALATORS WITH VARIANCE

The Mississippi Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Mississippi (the authority having jurisdiction (AHJ)) is issuing this Bulletin as formal notice of the adoption and implementation of the United States issued American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) A17.1 – 2025 Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators (eff. March 2026) as the applicable codes for use with elevators and escalators in the State of Mississippi. These codes are adopted in full subject to the following variance:

Remote Interaction of Conveyances:

No company or person licensed by this chapter shall make alterations to any conveyance, including software updates, parameter adjustments, programming changes, etc. unless said person is physically on the property to witness and verify that any and all changes result in code compliance and a safe mode of operation. At no time shall any of the aforementioned interaction with the conveyance be performed off site or from a remote location. Remote interaction is not allowed on any conveyance in the State of Mississippi.

The code adoption at issue herein is effective as of the date of this Bulletin.

The effective date of this Bulletin is October 5, 2026.


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