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MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 6, 2016

TO: Elevator Service Companies, Authorized Inspection Agencies, Property Owners/Managers

FROM: Mechanical Compliance Section, Randy Jewett Chief Administrative Officer

SUBJECT: Exception to ASME A18.1-2011 Safety Standard for Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts: Section 10 in commercial applications.

Mechanical Compliance Section will accept Periodic Testing and Inspections on commercial Vertical Platform Lifts, Inclined Platform Lifts, Inclined Stairway Chairlifts performed and completed by a licensed elevator mechanic when:

- The Vertical Platform Lift, Inclined Platform Lift, Inclined Stairway Chairlift has less than 900 pounds rated capacity and a rise of 48" or less;
- The "Test" is scheduled per NAC 455C.512(1); and
- The "Lift and Stairway Chairlift Periodic Test/Inspection Form" on the MCS website is to be used to report the test and inspection:
 - This form MUST be completed in its entirety, and submitted to MCS within ten (10) business days of the inspection per NAC 455C.522,
 - the licensed elevator contractor is named as "Firm Performing Test;"
 - the mechanic signs his/her name, and license number, and both are printed legibly; and
 - the date of the Test/Inspection is the same as was scheduled per NAC 455C.512.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at rjewett@business.nv.gov

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