

7-440. TRAILING CABLE.

(A) NEW CABLES.—EACH NEW TRAILING CABLE USED ON ELECTRIC MINE EQUIPMENT SHALL MEET THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF MINES TEST FOR FLAME-RESISTIVE QUALITY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Article 66C, section 593(a) of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(B) OVERLOAD PROTECTION AND POWER TAPS.—EVERY TRAILING CABLE SHALL BE PROVIDED WITH A SUITABLE OVERLOAD PROTECTION AND POWER TAP, UNLESS PROPERLY CONNECTED TO A PERMISSIBLE JUNCTION OR DISTRIBUTION BOX.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Article 66C, section 593 (b) of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

(C) SPLICES.—THE NUMBER OF TEMPORARY, UNVULCANIZED SPLICES IN A TRAILING CABLE MAY NOT EXCEED FOUR. THE NUMBER OF TEMPORARY, UNVULCANIZED SPLICES IN A SHORT HAND CABLE MAY NOT EXCEED ONE. TRAILING CABLE SPLICES SHALL BE MADE IN A WORKMANLIKE MANNER, MECHANICALLY STRONG, AND WELL INSULATED.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This subsection presently appears as Article 66C, section 593 (c) of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

7-441. UNDERGROUND ILLUMINATION.

ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRE SHALL BE SUPPORTED BY SUITABLE INSULATORS AND FASTENED SECURELY TO THE POWER CONDUCTOR BY MEANS OF CLAMPS OR THE EQUIVALENT. ELECTRIC LIGHT MAY NOT BE INSTALLED WITHIN 150 FEET OF PILLAR OR ADVANCING WORKINGS. A LIGHT SHALL BE INSTALLED TO PREVENT IT FROM COMING IN CONTACT WITH COMBUSTIBLE MATERIAL.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Article 66C, section 594 of the Code. The only changes made are in style.

7-442. MINE OPERATOR REPORT ON ELECTRICITY.

THE BUREAU BY RULE OR REGULATION SHALL REQUIRE A SYSTEMATIC AND PERIODIC EXAMINATION AND REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF WIRING AND ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND APPARATUS. THE MINE OPERATOR SHALL MAKE T/