

(2) IF NECESSARY TO FULFILL THE COMMISSIONER'S RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER PART II OF THIS SUBTITLE, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL:

(I) ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT AMEND STANDARDS SET FORTH IN THE AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARD/AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS SAFETY CODE FOR ELEVATORS, DUMBWAITERS, ESCALATORS, AND MOVING WALKS, ANSI CODE A17.1-1971, AND ALL SUBSEQUENT AMENDMENTS AND REVISIONS TO IT; AND

(II) ADOPT OTHER REGULATIONS.

(3) THE REGULATIONS SHALL BE CONSISTENT WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF § 12-1006 OF THIS TITLE.

(C) CHIEF ELEVATOR INSPECTOR.

THE COMMISSIONER MAY ASSIGN DUTIES AND FUNCTIONS IMPOSED BY PART II OF THIS SUBTITLE TO THE CHIEF ELEVATOR INSPECTOR.

(D) COST OF ADMINISTRATION.

THE COST OF ADMINISTERING PART II OF THIS SUBTITLE IS PROVIDED FOR UNDER § 5-204 OF THE LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT ARTICLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 89, § 49B(e), (j), and (l).

In subsection (b)(1) and (2)(ii) of this section and throughout this subtitle, the former reference to "rules" is deleted as included in the reference to "regulations". See General Revisor's Note to article.

Defined terms: "Commissioner" § 12-801

"Dumbwaiter" § 12-801

"Elevator" § 12-801

"Escalator" § 12-801

"Moving walk" § 12-801

12-806. SAFETY STANDARDS FOR ELEVATORS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION, EACH ELEVATOR UNIT SHALL BE INSPECTED, TESTED, AND MAINTAINED IN A SAFE OPERATING CONDITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH:

(1) THE SAFETY CODE; AND

(2) ANY OTHER REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSIONER.

(B) INSTALLATION BEFORE JULY 1, 1955.

(1) (I) SUBJECT TO SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OF THIS PARAGRAPH, AN ELEVATOR UNIT INSTALLED BEFORE JULY 1, 1955, MAY BE USED WITHOUT BEING ALTERED OR REBUILT TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE SAFETY CODE.