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Article 110.26

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527 CMR 12:00 Interpretation Committee
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Background:

Request for Interpretation Relative to Article 110.26

Question #1: Per NEC 2023, section 110.26 code on clearances, does the doors of non-electrical panels or cabinets be considered as the equipment.

Response: Yes

Question #2: Per NEC 2023, section 110.26 code on clearances, would the attached equipment layout for a telecommunication equipment on an outdoor concrete pad be in compliance with the code?

Response: No

Question #3: Per NEC 2023, section 110.26 code on clearances, can the 24" egress clearance be in either direction, if the door is blocking one direction, if there is 24" clearance?

Response: No

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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Anthony P. Caputo, Chairman
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