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Board of Fire Prevention Regulations 527 CMR 12:00 Interpretation Committee Department of Fire Services PO Box 1025, State Road Stow, MA 01775

Background:

Request for Interpretation Relative to 527 CMR 12.00, Article 700.2(A)(B)

Question #1: In Art 700.2(A) states that emergency systems shall be witnessed at the time of commissioning by the authority having jurisdiction, and periodically afterwards. Does this mean that the electrical inspectors shall witness these tests periodically?

Response: No

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

Sincerely,

Larry S. Fisher

Larry S. Fisher, Chairman Board of Fire Prevention Regulations