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Mr. Robert Wood
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RE: CMP, Canco Road Elevator Hoistway Construction

Dear Bob

This letter shall serve to document that the new elevator shaft has been constructed in accordance with the BOCA National Building Code/1999 Section 710.0 VERTICAL SHAFTS.

Per Section 710.3 Fireresistance Rating: the required fireresistance of 1 hour is required where a shaft connects less than four stories. The new elevator at CMP's Canco Road facility services three floors and the 8-inch reinforced concrete masonry block construction has a fireresistance rating of 2 hours.

Per Section 710.4 Top Enclosure: shafts that DO NOT extend to the underside of the roof deck of the building shall be enclosed at the top with a fire separation assembly having a fireresistance rating of not less than that required for the shaft enclosure walls. The new elevator shaft at CMP's Canco Road facility DOES extend to the underside of the roof deck therefore not requiring it to be constructed to have the same fireresistance as the remainder of the shaft enclosure.

The construction details of the new elevator shaft at CMP's Canco Road facility have been reviewed and approved by Mr. Sam Hoffses, Code Enforcement Officer for the city of Portland, Maine.

Please call me at (207) 861-9923 or page me at (207) 818-0040 if you have any questions or require any further assistance in regards to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Cc: Sam Hoffses, Portland CEO

