

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 29, 1984

TO: Borough Superintendents

FROM: Cornelius F. Dennis, P.E., Assistant Commissioner-Building Construction
Special Projects

SUBJECT: Stair Pressurization - Local Law No. 5/1973
MODIFICATION #6 of Directive #2/81
dated April 7, 1981

This memorandum supplements the memorandum concerning the above subject, issued September 5, 1980 by Deputy Commissioner Parascandola and Item #6 and #8 by Commissioner Fruchtmann, P.E. dated April 7, 1981.

6. Final detailed working plans must then be filed on a separate amendment to the previously filed application, pursuant to Directive #14 of 1975. Directive #14 of 1975, Item 11, is amended to allow the final detailed working plans indicating compliance with stair pressurization to be filed under its provisions only when the schematic plans have been previously approved. These final detailed working plans shall be micro-filmed in accordance with these established procedures. Testing of the finished installation shall be subject to controlled inspection. Final testing shall be witnessed and documented by a Professional Engineer or Registered Architect who has filed B Form 10F and on satisfactory completion shall file a B Form 10E.
8. Fire Department approved of low voltage electrical plan shall be obtained prior to final testing and Fire Department shall be advised for final low voltage electrical inspection of stair pressurization system.

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