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MEMO TO: All Elevator Companies

FROM: Thomas M. Chambers  
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RE: Replacement of Oil Lines-Permit

Gentlemen:

Due to the increase in calls being received by this office, we would like to clarify when permits for the replacement of oil lines are required.

If the line being replaced does not involve adding pipe or changing the direction/location of the pipe, no permit is required. If pipe is added or the direction or location is changed, a permit is required and weights will be required for testing. If only replacement of mufflers, no permit is required.

If you have further questions, please contact our office.

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Cc: Elevator Inspectors/Supervisors  
Tommy Petty, Deputy Bureau Chief