Wiring Example of Elevator Machine Room Electrical Distribution Box

AI Overview

Elevator machine room wiring must include dedicated 240VAC circuits with proper grounding, GFI outlets, cab lighting circuits, and compliance with NEC Article 620 and ASME A17.1 standards.

Main Power Circuit

The primary power supply to the elevator machine room should be a dedicated 240VAC circuit using 10/3 wire with ground, including a neutral conductor. The black and red wires carry 120VAC each, totaling 240VAC, the white wire serves as neutral, and the ground wire connects to the building grounding system. This circuit should be connected to a 30 Amp dedicated breaker and routed directly to the machine room distribution box, ensuring no shared loads with other building circuits .

Cab Lighting and Auxiliary Circuits

• Cab light power: Use 12/2 wire with ground on a 20 Amp dedicated circuit.

• GFI outlet: Install a 120VAC, 15 Amp GFI outlet in the machine room, easily accessible and compliant with local codes .

• Telephone or Ethernet line: Pull a standard line or Ethernet cable to the machine room with at least 10 feet of extra length for connection flexibility .

• Machine room lighting: Include a light fixture with a protective cover and a wall switch located on the lock side of the entry door .

Conduit and Wiring Restrictions

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Explanation-The 240VAC feed should have a black, red, white, and ground wire to the machine room. All electrical contractors will

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In Oregon, Raceways and conduits for the connection of elevator devices shall only enter the machine room to the extent necessary

Hoistway Wiring

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NEC 620.37 covers wiring in hoistways, machine rooms, control rooms, machinery spaces, and control spaces related to the

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Electrical wiring, raceways, and cables associated with elevators and dumbwaiters are allowed in hoistways, machine rooms, control

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Conduit Runs through Machine Rooms ASME A17.1b, 1998, Rule 102.1 N/A December 13, 1999 Question: Does the code allow

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