

347—76.6(89A) Temporary permits.

76.6(1) The commissioner may permit the temporary use of any facility for passenger or freight service during installation, alteration or during the construction period, by issuing a temporary permit for each class of service upon the application of the owner.

76.6(2) In the case of elevators, such temporary permit shall not be issued until the elevator has been tested under rated load, and the car safety and terminal stopping equipment have been tested, in order to determine the safety of the equipment for construction purposes, and until permanent or temporary guards or enclosures are placed on the car and around the hoistway at the landing entrance on each floor.

76.6(3) Landing entrance guards shall be provided with locks which can be released from the hoistway side only.

76.6(4) Automatic or continuous pressure elevators shall not be placed in temporary operation from the landing push buttons unless door-locking devices or interlocks required by ANSI A17.1, 1981, are installed and operative.

76.6(5) Where a temporary permit is issued, a notice bearing the information that the equipment has not been finally approved shall be conspicuously posted on, near, or visible from each entrance to such elevator, dumbwaiter, escalator or moving walk.

76.6(6) Such permits shall be issued for a period of 90 days and may be extended upon application to the commissioner.