



**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE
CONVEYANCE SAFETY CODE COUNCIL
Virtual, 4822 Madison Yards Way, Madison
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August 11, 2026**

The following agenda describes the issues that the Board plans to consider at the meeting. At the time of the meeting, items may be removed from the agenda. Please consult the meeting minutes for a record of the actions of the Board.

AGENDA

9:30 A.M.

OPEN SESSION – CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL

- A. Adoption of Agenda (1-2)**
- B. Approval of Minutes of May 19, 2026 (3)**
- C. Reminders: Conflicts of Interest, Scheduling Concerns**
- D. Introduction, Announcements, and Recognition**
 - 1) Introduction: Andrew Iordachescu, Elevator Manufacturer Member
- E. Administrative Matters**
 - 1) Department, Staff and Board Updates
 - 2) Council Members
 - a. Braun, Andrew
 - b. Danowski, David
 - c. Iordachescu, Andrew
 - d. Lex, Adam
 - e. Misustin, Keith
 - f. Rausch, Brian
 - g. Richards, Brian
 - h. Rosenberg, Paul
 - i. Sommerfeld, Mark
 - j. Whelan, Maiya
- F. Administrative Rule Matters – Discussion and Consideration (4-20)**
 - 1) Drafting: SPS 302, 305, 316, 318, 321, 362, 366, 381, 382, relating to Conveyance Safety Code comprehensive review
 - 2) Pending and possible rulemaking projects
- G. Discussion and Consideration of Items Added After Preparation of Agenda:**

- 1) Introductions, Announcements and Recognition
- 2) Administrative Matters
- 3) Election of Officers
- 4) Appointment of Liaisons and Alternates
- 5) Delegation of Authorities
- 6) Education and Examination Matters
- 7) Credentialing Matters
- 8) Practice Matters
- 9) Legislative and Policy Matters
- 10) Public Health Emergencies
- 11) Administrative Rule Matters
- 12) Liaison Reports
- 13) Board Liaison Training and Appointment of Mentors
- 14) Informational Items
- 15) Division of Legal Services and Compliance (DLSC) Matters
- 16) Presentations of Petitions for Summary Suspension
- 17) Petitions for Designation of Hearing Examiner
- 18) Presentation of Stipulations, Final Decisions and Orders
- 19) Presentation of Proposed Final Decisions and Orders
- 20) Presentation of Interim Orders
- 21) Petitions for Re-Hearing
- 22) Petitions for Assessments
- 23) Petitions to Vacate Orders
- 24) Requests for Disciplinary Proceeding Presentations
- 25) Motions
- 26) Petitions
- 27) Appearances from Requests Received or Renewed
- 28) Speaking Engagements, Travel, or Public Relation Requests, and Reports

H. Public Comments

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT MEETING: SEPTEMBER 22, 2026

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**VIRTUAL/TELECONFERENCE
CONVEYANCE SAFETY CODE COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES
MAY 19, 2026**

PRESENT: Andrew Braun, David Danowski, Adam Lex, Keith Misustin, Brian Rausch, Brian Richards, Paul Rosenberg, Mark Sommerfeld

ABSENT: Maiya Whelan

STAFF: Will Johnson, Executive Director; Jameson Whitney, Legal Counsel; Sofia Anderson, Administrative Rule Coordinator; Ashley Sarnosky, Board Administrative Specialist; and other Department Staff

CALL TO ORDER

Paul Rosenberg, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m. A quorum was confirmed with eight (8) members present.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOTION: Andrew Braun moved, seconded by Adam Lex, to adopt the agenda as published. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF APRIL 7, 2026

MOTION: Mark Sommerfeld moved, seconded by Adam Lex, to approve the minutes of April 7, 2026, as published. Motion carried unanimously.

INTRODUCTIONS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RECOGNITION

Remembrance: Harold Thurmer (1959 – 2026), Elevator Manufacturer Member since 2018

MOTION: Adam Lex moved, seconded by Andrew Braun, to recognize and thank Harold Thurmer for his years of dedicated service to the Council and State of Wisconsin and to honor his lasting friendship and enduring impact on the elevator industry. Motion carried unanimously.

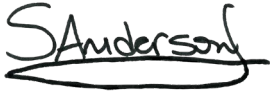
ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Andrew Braun moved, seconded by Mark Sommerfeld, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 11:16 a.m.

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Safety & Professional Services**

AGENDA REQUEST FORM

1) Name and title of person submitting the request: Sofia Anderson – Administrative Rules Coordinator		2) Date when request submitted: 07/30/2026 Items will be considered late if submitted after 12:00 p.m. on the deadline date which is 8 business days before the meeting	
3) Name of Board, Committee, Council, Sections: Conveyance Safety Code Council			
4) Meeting Date: August 11, 2026	5) Attachments: ☒ Yes ☐ No	6) How should the item be titled on the agenda page? Administrative Rules Matters – Discussion and Consideration 1. Drafting: SPS 302, 305, 316, 318, 321, 362, 366, 381, 382, relating to Conveyance Safety Code comprehensive review. 2. Pending and possible rulemaking projects.	
7) Place Item in: ☒ Open Session ☐ Closed Session	8) Is an appearance before the Board being scheduled? <i>(If yes, please complete Appearance Request for Non-DSPS Staff)</i> ☐ Yes ☒ No	9) Name of Case Advisor(s), if required: N/A	
10) Describe the issue and action that should be addressed: Attachments: 1. DIS worksheet.			
11) Authorization  Signature of person making this request 07/30/2026 Date Supervisor (if required) Date Executive Director signature (indicates approval to add post agenda deadline item to agenda) Date			
Directions for including supporting documents: 1. This form should be attached to any documents submitted to the agenda. 2. Post Agenda Deadline items must be authorized by a Supervisor and the Policy Development Executive Director. 3. If necessary, provide original documents needing Board Chairperson signature to the Bureau Assistant prior to the start of a meeting.			

CODE	2020	2023	DSPS Comment	Council Comment
SECTION	TEXT	TEXT		
1.1.3	Application - Added new Chapter 11 for Maintenance of Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts 1.1.3 Application. This Standard applies to new installations only, except sections 10 and 11, which apply to new and existing installations.			
			SPS 318.1800 (1) and (2) Retain	
			SPS 318.1801 (1) Retain	
Section 1.3 Definitions	Inspection and tests acceptance, periodic and routine deleted			
Section 1.3 Definitions	Perfomance area added			
Section 1.3 Definitions	Type A safeties added			
			SPS 318.1801 (2) (a) 1. Retain AHJ definition	
			SPS 318.1801 (2) (a) 2. Retain Building Code definition	
			SPS 318.1801 (2) (b). Delete?	
			SPS 318.1801 (3) (a). Change the date.	
			SPS 318.1801 (3) (b). Change the ASME A17.1 reference from 2016 to 2023	
			SPS 318.1801 (3) (c). Retain	

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1.1.3		Added statement to address new Section 11 applying to both new and existing installations. Section 11 is Maintenance of Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts.	Section 11 existed in the currently-adopted 2017 edition however it was not retroactive. It has applied only to new installations covered by the 2017 A18.1 editions.	
			Subchapter V — Changes, Additions, or Omissions to ASME A18.1 SPS 318.1800 Platform lifts and stairway lifts. (1) GENERAL. Vertical platform lifts, inclined platform lifts, and stairway lifts shall be designed, constructed, installed, operated, maintained, tested, and inspected in accordance with ASME A18.1, except as otherwise provided in this chapter. Note: The commercial building code, chapters SPS 361 to 366, establishes standards for buildings and components that may be associated with platform lifts and stairway lifts, including ramps, ramp slopes, stairway egress width, and the location, clearances, or position of controls for people with disabilities.	
			(2) CHANGES, ADDITIONS, AND OMISSIONS. Changes, additions, or omissions to ASME A18.1 are specified in this subchapter and are rules of the department and are not requirements in ASME A18.1. Note: The sections in this chapter are generally numbered to correspond with the section numbering in ASME A18.1. For example, section SPS 318.1801 corresponds to ASME A18.1 Section 1.	
			SPS 318.1801 Scope, application, and definitions. (1) SCOPE AND APPLICATION. Substitute the following informational note for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 1.1: Note: See sections SPS 318.1002 and 318.1003 for scope and application requirements. (2) DEFINITIONS. (a) Substitute the following definitions for the corresponding definitions specified in ASME A18.1 section 1.3: 1. “Authority having jurisdiction” means the department of safety and professional services, except as designated under s. SPS 318.1012 . 2. “Building code” means chs. SPS 361 to 366 . (b) This definition is in addition to the definitions in ASME A18.1 section 1.3: “Periodic inspection and tests” means routine inspection and tests plus additional detailed examination and operation of equipment at specified intervals to check for compliance with the applicable requirements.	
			(3) REFERENCE CODES, STANDARDS, AND SPECIFICATIONS. (a) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 1.5: Any code or standard listed in Table 1.5-1 without a specific year of issuance shall mean the published edition of that code or standard which was available on August 3, 2017, except where a different edition is specified directly or indirectly in the building code. (b) Substitute ASME A17.1–2016 for the ASME A17.1 reference in ASME A18.1 Table 1.5-1. (c) Substitute ch. SPS 316 for the reference to NFPA 70 in ASME A18.1 Table 1.5-1 and in any other ASME A18.1 section where that reference appears. Updates to this will be required.	
Section 2	Vertical Platform Lifts			
2.1	Runways, added 2.1.6 for Performance Area Lifts which may be used in performance areas only.	Runways, removed the reference to 2.1.6 because section 2.1.6 that was added in 2020 was removed in 2023	No comment	
2.1.1			Runway Enclosure Provided	
2.1.1.2	Broke this into (a) through (f) without changes		SPS 318.1802 (1) (a) Retain clearance allowance for the glazing in fire rated runway doors SPS 318.1802 Vertical platform lifts. (1) RUNWAY ENCLOSURE PROVIDED. (a) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 2.1.1.2 and 2.1.1.3: The clearance between the platform and the glazing in a fire-rated runway door shall be not more than 1 1/4 inches. The shear condition at the top of any glazing in the door shall be beveled at not less than 45 degrees.	
2.1.1.7			SPS 318.1802 (1) (b) Retain code for vertical platform lifts with 79" high enclosure sides (b) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.1.1.7: Where the platform enclosure extends less than 79 inches above the platform, the horizontal clearance between the platform enclosure on a side not containing an entrance and the adjacent runway enclosure wall or the vertical surface of the machine tower may not exceed 4 inches. The horizontal clearance between the platform enclosure and the runway enclosure walls on either side of the machine tower may not exceed 12 inches. These maximum clearances do not apply to spaces above the machine tower or to any point more than 42 inches above the top landing.	
2.1.1.8		New heading for this section "Extended Exterior Runway Enclosure". Divided into subsections	No comment	
2.1.2			Partial Runway Enclosure Provided	

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2.1.2.1			SPS 318.1802 (2) (ag) Delete. Duplicate of 318.1018 (2) (b) below. (2) PARTIAL RUNWAY ENCLOSURE PROVIDED. (ag) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 2.1.1.2 and 2.1.1.3: Where the lift side of the door and sill present a smooth surface located not closer than 3/8 inch and not more than 3/4 inch from the access edge of the platform floor, the clearance between the edge of the platform floor and the glazing in a fire-rated runway door may not be more than 1 1/4 inches. The shear condition at the top of any glazing in the door shall be beveled at not less than 45 degrees.	
2.1.2.1			SPS 318.1802 (2) (ar) Retain code for vertical platform lifts with 79" high enclosure sides (ar) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.1.2.1: Where the platform enclosure extends less than 79 inches above the platform, the horizontal clearance between the platform enclosure on a side not containing an entrance and the adjacent runway enclosure wall or the vertical surface of the machine tower may not exceed 4 inches. The horizontal clearance between the platform enclosure and the runway enclosure walls on either side of the machine tower may not exceed 12 inches. These maximum clearances do not apply to spaces above the machine tower or to any point more than 42 inches above the top landing.	
2.1.2.3			SPS 318.1802 (2) (b) Retain clearance allowance for the glazing in fire-rated runway doors. (b) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.1.2.3: Where the lift side of the door and sill present a smooth surface located not closer than 3/8 inch and not more than 3/4 inch from the access edge of the platform floor, the clearance between the edge of the platform floor and the glazing in a fire-rated runway door shall be not more than 1 1/4 inches. The shear condition at the top of any glazing in the door shall be beveled at not less than 45 degrees.	
2.1.2.7		New heading for "Fascia". 2.1.2.7. Divided section into subsections	No comment	
2.1.3			Runway Enclosure Not Provided	
2.1.3			SPS 318.1802 (3) Retain direction to see building code for 27" clearance below lift platform without a runway enclosure. (3) RUNWAY ENCLOSURE NOT PROVIDED. This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.1.3: Lifts without runway enclosures shall meet the building code, specifically for any unguarded space below the lift platform of more than 27 inches above the floor.	
2.1.3.3	Added requirement for fascia to extend 1" below or other surface to maintain clearance between platform and the top terminal landing sill	Removed requirement for fascia to extend. Divided section into subsections.	No comment	
2.1.4			Courtroom Lifts	
2.1.4.4	Added the word "fascia" as a means to achieve running clearance for Courtroom Lifts	Added new requirements for clearance between platform and runway enclosure for Courtroom Lifts	No comment	
2.1.5			Relocatable Lifts	
2.1.5			SPS 318.1802 (3m) Retain statement regarding relocatable lifts in 2.1.5 not being part of this chapter (3m) RELOCATABLE LIFTS. The requirements of ASME A18.1 section 2.1.5 are not included as part of this chapter.	
2.1.5.2	Only changed the word "greater" to "more" regarding a lift operating with the platform out of level.		No comment	
2.1.6	Added new section for Performance Area Lifts	Removed new section for Performance Area Lifts	Performance Area Lifts	
2.1.7			Lower Level Access Ramps and Pits	
2.1.7.2		Added statement limiting pit depth to 4" for unenclosed lifts.	SPS 318.1802 (4) (a) Retain (4) RAMPS. (a) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.1.7.1: Ramps, where provided, shall be in accordance with the building code. Note: A surface steeper than 1:48 within the wheelchair-maneuvering clearances that are required by the building code at a lift entrance are also required by the building code to have a power-opening entrance, with clearances to the lift call and door-opener button also meeting the building code. SPS 318.1802 (4) (b) Change reference from 2.1.7.2 to 2.1.7.3.2 Surprising that this code would allow a 4" fall hazard. Building code might disagree in allowing a pit for a VPL to be unenclosed and create a fall hazard. (b) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in the last sentence and pars. (a) to (e) of ASME A18.1 section 2.1.7.2: When in use, the inclination of retractable ramps shall be in accordance with the building code.	

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2.1.8			Electrical Equipement and Wiring	
			SPS 318.1802 (5) Delete. Just use ICC A117.1 for platform sizes including side entrance platforms (5) SIZE OF END ENTRANCE PLATFORMS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.6.5: Platform lifts shall have a minimum clear width of 36 inches and a minimum clear length of 54 inches. For lifts complying with ASME A18.1 sections 2.1.1, 2.1.2, and 2.1.3, the net inside floor area may not exceed 18 square feet. For lifts complying with ASME A18.1 section 2.1.4, the net inside floor area may not exceed 25 square feet. Platform lift controls and the required grab rail or grab bar may not project more than 4 inches from the platform side wall measured between a minimum of 30 inches to a maximum of 48 inches above the platform floor.	
2.3.8	Added requirement for guarding of driving means and suspension means to be attached by tamper-resistant fasteners or means		No comment	
2.6.2	Added reference to Performance Area Lifts in 2.1.6 not being required to have enclosures meeting 2.6.2.	Removed reference to 2.1.6	N/A	
2.6.6.3			SPS 318.1802 (6) (a) through (d) Retain (6) ILLUMINATION. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.6.6.3: An auxiliary illumination source shall be provided to give general illumination of not less than 0.2 foot candles on the floor and controls. The auxiliary illumination system shall function according to all of the following: (a) Activate when normal illumination fails. (b) Utilize not less than 2 lamps of approximately equal intensity. (c) Provide illumination of at least 0.2 foot candles for at least 90 minutes if the lift is designed and installed to operate normally for at least 2 cycles up and down after the lift's main power fails. (d) Provide illumination of at least 0.2 foot candles for at least 4 hours if the lift is not designed and installed to operate normally for at least 2 cycles up and down after the lift's main power fails.	
2.6.9	Added section for Glass in Platform Enclosures and Runway Enclosures. Similar to glass in elevators for type, installation to withstand tests and marking.		No comment	
2.7.1	Added information regarding Performance Area Lifts		SPS 318.1802 (7) Retain (7) LIMITATION ON LOAD SPEED AND TRAVEL. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in the first and second sentences of ASME A18.1 section 2.7.1: Platforms with a floor area of 18 square feet or less shall have a rated load of not less than 750 pounds.	
2.7.1.3		Allow Courthroom Lifts to travel up to 24", up from 15".		
2.8.6	Removed reference to Type B safeties	Safety devices shall be applied mechanically, not using electric, hydraulic or pneumatic means.	Good change. Lifts do not have Type B safeties	
2.9.5	Added "of the normal or final stopping device circuits from stopping the platform."	Simplified the language about opening of terminal staopping devices by mechanical means and not by spring, gravity or a combination of those.	No comment	
2.10.1	Added requirement for lift landing controls to be permanently accessible.		SPS 318.1802 (8) Delete? (8) OPERATING DEVICES. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.10.1: Operation of the lift from the landings and platform shall be controlled by continuous-pressure-type switches. The operating devices shall be designed so that both the up and down circuits cannot be operated at the same time. Note: See the building code for requirements relating to accessible controls, operation, and signage.	
2.10.10	Requires raising or lowering the platform manually by authorized personnel, not just when standby power is not provided.	The 2020 language was changed back to the 2017 language in 2023. This only requires manual lowering if standby power is not provided.	SPS 318.1802 (9) Retain for the battery option (9) MANUAL OPERATION. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.10.10: A vertical platform lift which is not connected to a building's standby or emergency power and which is not equipped with rechargeable battery power capable of cycling the lift under full load for at least 2 cycles after normal building power is removed shall be provided with a means to manually raise or lower the platform to a landing. The means shall be operable only by lift personnel, and from a landing, without working directly over the platform.	
2.10.10.1	Added details to the operation of the manual raising or lowering means. Added (c) which states "other suitable means" as an option.	The code language added in 2020 was removed in 2023 and changed back to the 2017 wording.	Retain SPS 318.1802 (9) as stated above	
2.10.10.2	Added necessary details about how to access the means to manually raise or lower for size of access opening, key access and for means to monitor the access so the lift cannot operate without the access closed and locked.	The code language added in 2020 was removed in 2023 and changed back to the 2017 wording.	Retain SPS 318.1802 (9) as stated above	

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2.11.1	Editorial only		SPS 318.1802 (10) (am) and (bm). Retain but refer to the 2016 A17.1 or just the specific parts of the 2020 A17.1 to not include text or cameras (10) EMERGENCY SIGNALS. (am) These are department rules in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 2.11, 2.11.1, and 2.11.3: 1. A vertical platform lift installed outdoors shall have an emergency signaling device provided in accordance with the requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 2.11.1 and 2.11.3, with a sound pressure rating of not less than 80 decibels nor greater than 90 decibels at 10 feet away. The signal shall respond without delay when the switch is activated. 2. A vertical platform lift installed indoors in a building that is staffed 24 hours per day shall have a signaling device provided in accordance with ASME A18.1 sections 2.11.1 and 2.11.3, which is audible at 10 decibels minimum above ambient sound, at a continuously-staffed location. The signal shall respond without delay when the switch is activated. (bm) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME 18.1 section 2.11.2: A vertical platform lift meeting the requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 2.1.1, 2.1.2, or 2.1.3 that is installed indoors in an area which is not visible to personnel at all times shall have emergency signaling devices provided in accordance with the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 2.11.1 and ASME A17.1 sections 2.27.1.1.1 to 2.27.1.1.3 and 2.27.1.1.5 except "in the elevator" and "in the car" mean "on the platform.	
2.12	Changed to state "standby power may be provided to raise or lower the lift during a power failure" instead of providing standby power in lieu of manual operation.	Changed back to state standby power may be provided in lieu of manual operation.	No comment	
Section 3	Inclined Platform Lifts			
3.1.1			SPS 318.1803 (1) Retain SPS 318.1803 Inclined platform lifts. (1) RUNWAYS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 3.1.1: Inclined platform lifts shall be installed so that the necessary means of egress is maintained as required in the building code. For new installations, the egress width shall be measured with the inclined platform lift in the unfolded, usable position. For replacement of a previously approved inclined platform lift, the egress width may remain as it has been with the original lift in place, but may not be reduced by the replacement.	
3.1.4.1			SPS 318.1803 (2) (a) Retain (2) LOWER LEVEL ACCESS RAMPS AND PITS. (a) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 3.1.4.1: Ramping inclinations for floor-mounted ramps shall be in accordance with the building code. Note: Under the building code, a floor surface steeper than 1:48 within the required wheelchair-maneuvering clearances at a lift entrance is a ramp, and a lift entrance at a ramp must have a power-opening device. Clearances to the lift call and door-opener button must also meet the building code.	
3.1.4.2			SPS 318.1803 (2) (b) Retain (b) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in the last sentence and pars. (a) to (c) of ASME A18.1 section 3.1.4.2: When in use, the inclination of retractable ramps shall be in accordance with the building code.	
3.3.1.7	New section for guarding of driving machine	Removed new section for guarding of driving machine.	No comment	
3.3		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.4		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.5		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.6		Divided sections into subsections. Changed heading of Glass on Platforms to Glass in Platform Enclosures	No comment	
3.7		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.8		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.8.3.1	Removed reference to Type B safeties		No comment	
3.9		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.10	Removed reference to controls meeting ICC A117.1 accessibility code.		SPS 318.1803 (3) Retain (3) OPERATING DEVICES. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in A18.1 section 3.10.1: Operation of the lift from the landings and platform shall be controlled by continuous-pressure-type switches. The operating devices shall be designed so that both the up and down circuits cannot be operated at the same time.	
3.11		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.12		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	
3.13		Divided sections into subsections.	No comment	

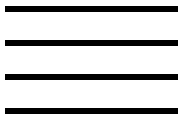
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Section 4	Stairway Chairlifts			
4.1.1			SPS 318.1804 Retain SPS 318.1804 Inclined stairway chair lifts. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 4.1.1: Stairway chairlifts shall be installed so that the required means of egress is maintained as required in the building code. For new installations, the egress width shall be measured with the stairway chair lift in the unfolded, usable position. For replacement of a previously approved stairway chair lift, the egress width may remain as it has been with the original lift in place, but may not be reduced by the replacement. <i>Note:</i> Stairway chairlifts complying with this section may be installed as a convenience for individuals but are not recognized by the building code as providing accessibility due to the inability of a wheelchair user to use them without assistance.	
4.8.3.1	Removed reference to Type B safeties		No comment	
Section 8	Driving Machines			
			SPS 318.1808 Retain SPS 318.1808 Hydraulic driving means. These are department rules in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 8.1: (1) SHUTOFF VALVE. (a) A manually operated shutoff valve shall be provided between the hydraulic pump unit and the hydraulic cylinder. (b) For a lift with a machine room, the shutoff valve under par. (a) shall be located inside the machine room and adjacent to the hydraulic pump unit. (2) PUMP RELIEF VALVE. (a) <i>General.</i> Each pump or group of pumps shall be equipped with one or more relief valves conforming to all of the following, except as specified in par. (b): 1. Be located between the pump and the check valve. 2. Be of such a type and so installed in the bypass connection, that the valve cannot be shut off from the hydraulic system. 3. Be of sufficient size, individually or accumulatively, to pass the maximum rated capacity of the pump without raising the pressure more than 50% above the working pressure. Two or more relief valves may be used to obtain the required capacity. 4. Be sealed after being set to the correct pressure. (b) <i>No relief valve.</i> A relief valve is not required for centrifugal pumps driven by induction motors, provided the shut-off, or maximum pressure that the pump can develop, is not greater than 135% of the working pressure at the pump. (3) CHECK VALVE. A check valve shall be provided that will hold the platform lift with the rated load at any point if either of the following occurs: (a) The pump stops and the down valves are closed. (b) The maintained pressure drops below the minimum operating pressure. (4) PRESSURE-GAUGE FITTINGS. A pressure-gauge fitting with a shutoff valve shall be provided at either of the following locations: (a) On the cylinder side of the check valve. (b) Immediately adjacent to the hydraulic control valve. (5) TYPE TESTS, CERTIFICATION, AND MARKING PLATES FOR CONTROL VALVES. (a) <i>Engineering tests and certification process.</i> Each type or model and make of a hydraulic control valve shall be subjected to the engineering tests and to the certification process specified in ASME A17.1 section 8.3.5, except ASME A17.1 section 8.3.5.3.1 does not apply. (b) <i>Hydraulic controls.</i> Hydraulic control valves shall be plainly marked in a permanent manner with all of the following information: 1. The certifying organization's name or identifying symbol. 2. The name, trademark, or file number by which the organization that manufactured the product can be identified. 3. Type designation. 4. Component-rated pressure. 5. Electrical coil data.	
8.1.4.8		Removed section about cylinders below ground	Long overdue	
Section 9	Engineering Type Testing and Design			
			SPS 318.1809 Retain SPS 318.1809 Rope sockets. This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 9.8: Where wedge rope sockets are provided, they shall conform to the requirements in ASME A17.1 section 2.20.9.5.	
Section 10	Acceptance and Periodic Inspections and Tests			

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10.1.2	Removed the word "Routine" from the name of this section. Changed heading from "Periodic Inspections and Tests" to "Periodic Tests". Eliminated the language about owner and AHJ responsibilities.		This is an improvement. SPS 318.1810 Change this heading to "Acceptance and Periodic Inspections and Tests" to match new code heading. SPS 318.1810 Routine, periodic, and acceptance inspections and tests. (1) INSPECTORS. The requirements in ASME A18.1 sections 10.1.1 to 10.1.4 are not included as part of this chapter. Note: See s. SPS 318.1011 for additional requirements relating to inspections SPS 318.1810 (1) Change "10.1.1 to 10.1.4" to "10.1.1.to 10.1.3" to continue to exempt platform lifts and stairway chairlifts from mandatory written maintenance programs. Continue to administer inspector licensing through DSPS, not just QEI.	
10.1.2.1	Simplified language to state tests are made by lift personnel in the presence of the inspector.		Correct this in SPS 318 to require witnessing of acceptance tests. Periodic tests must be witnessed only when requested by the inspector.	
10.1.4	Renumbered <i>Qualification of Inspectors</i> from 10.1.5 to 10.1.4. Changed wording for placing a lift back into service from requiring "routine and periodic tests and inspections including 1-year, 3-year and 5-year tests" to requiring "an acceptance inspection and tests."		SPS 318.1810 (2) Change reference from 10.1.5 to 10.1.4. Modify "subs. (4) through (8)" (2) APPLICABILITY OF INSPECTION AND TEST REQUIREMENTS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.1.5: Inspections and tests required by subs. (4) to (8) are to determine whether the equipment conforms to whichever of the following are applicable: (a) The standard in effect on the contract date for the original installation. (b) For altered components, the standard in effect on the contract date for the alteration.	
10.1.5	Renumbered <i>Installation Placed Out of Service</i> from 10.1.6 to 10.1.5. Changed wording for placing a lift back into service from requiring "routine and periodic tests and inspections including 1-year, 3-year and 5-year tests" to requiring "an acceptance inspection and tests."		SPS 318.1810 (3) Modify "subs. (4) through (8)" in (b). Consider changing (a) 6. to state it applies to platform lifts because stairway chairlifts cannot be part of an accessible route. Then consider removing the note. (3) INSTALLATION PLACED OUT OF SERVICE. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.1.6: (a) When an installation is placed out of service, all of the following requirements shall be met: 1. The power feed lines shall be disconnected from the machine disconnect switch or equivalent. 2. For a vertical platform lift, the doors or gates shall be secured against opening. 3. The department or agent municipality shall be notified. 4. The department or agent municipality may inspect the lift and charge an inspection fee. 5. Periodic inspections and tests may be discontinued while a lift is out of service. 6. Written approval of the building code authority where a conveyance is part of a required accessible route in an occupied building. (b) Before the lift may be placed back into service, all applicable inspections and tests shall be performed as required by subs. (2) and (4) to (8), and the permit-to-operate requirements in s. SPS 318.1011 shall be met. Note: The building code may prohibit placing a vertical or inclined platform lift out of service where used by persons with disabilities. Consult with a building inspector for written permission prior to placing it out of service.	
10.1.6	Created new 10.1.6. Moved 10.2 <i>Routine Inspections and Tests</i> from 10.2 to new 10.1.6 and changed the heading to <i>Inspection Requirements</i> . Complete rewrite of inspection and test responsibilities. This no longer mixes inspection and test items however the new list of inspection items includes items that would require the inspector to remove machine tower panels, covers or guarding - not something we expect an inspector to do.		SPS 318.1810 (5) Replace with new (a) stating "The following items in ASME A18.1, section 10.1.6 are to be part of acceptance and annual inspections of platform lifts meeting sections 2 and 3, as applicable to the equipment: (a) (1) through (11), (b) (1) through (3), (c) (6), (10) through (16) and (d) (1) through (3). Additionally, the inspection must include inspection of the two-way voice communication and call controls at the landings as applicable. Note: Inspectors are not expected to remove panels, covers or guards to perform an annual inspection. Where an inspection reveals the need for removal of a panel, cover or guard to confirm the proper operation of internal components, or where an inspection reveals the need to perform a test, the inspector may order such removal or testing to complete the inspection."	

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			Add new (b) stating "The following items in ASME A18.1, section 4 are part of acceptance and 3-year inspections of stairway chairlifts meeting section 4: 4.2 first sentence, 4.4, 4.6.1, 4.6.2, 4.6.4, 4.6.5, 4.7.5, 4.10.1.1, 4.10.1.2, and 4.11. Additionally, acceptance inspections include meeting the following: 4.8.1.2, 4.8.1.3, 4.8.2.4, 4.8.2.6, 4.8.4, 4.8.4.1, 4.8.4.2, 4.9, 4.10.3.1, 4.10.5, 4.10.6.2, 4.10.7. (5) INSPECTIONS AND TEST REQUIREMENTS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.2.2: Routine inspections shall include the applicable items listed in ASME A18.1 sections 10.2.2.1 to 10.2.2.4. Where an inspection reveals a need for a test to be conducted, the licensed elevator inspector may order the test.	
10.2	Changed heading from Routine Inspections and Tests to One-Year Test Requirements		SPS 318.1810 (4) Replace with one of these possible options: 1). Continue to only require 5-year full-load safety tests for lifts that have safety devices. Do not require any other new 1-year (10.2) or other 5-year (10.3) tests for platform lifts or stairway chairlifts. This would not expand testing. 2). Require the applicable new 1-year (10.2) and 5-year (10.3) tests to be performed at the time of the 5-year full-load test of the safety device for lifts that are currently subjected to 5-year safety tests. This would expand the number of tests for lifts that have safety devices but would not apply to lifts that have screw drives. 3). Require the applicable new 1-year (10.2) and 5-year (10.3) tests to be performed every 5 years for all lifts, even those with screw drives without safety devices every 5 years. This would expand not only the number of tests but also cover all lifts including screw drives that have not required 5-year testing. If chosen, reconsider adding a test of the safety nut switch for screw drives. 4). Require all 1-year tests every year and 5-year tests every 5 years for all lifts. This would greatly increase regulation of platform lifts or stairway chairlifts and greatly increase costs to owners.	
			(4) ROUTINE INSPECTIONS AND TESTS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.2.1: Routine inspections and tests of sections 2 and 3 lifts shall be performed at intervals of not longer than one year. Routine inspections and tests of section 4 lifts shall be performed at intervals of not longer than 3 years.	
			SPS 318.1810 (6) Delete. (6) PERIODIC INSPECTIONS AND TESTS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.3: Periodic inspections shall be performed at the same time as routine inspections. Where an inspection reveals a need for a test to be conducted, the inspector may order the test.	
			SPS 318.1810 (7) (a) Delete, especially the part about submitting to the department. Renumber (7) to (6) (7) FIVE-YEAR INSPECTION AND TEST REQUIREMENTS. (a) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.3.3.1: Where a lift is equipped with a safety device that is subject to testing, the 5-year safety test – and where applicable, the governor test in ASME A18.1 section 10.3.3.2 – shall be performed. The test results shall be submitted to the department or agent municipality on an approved form.	
			SPS 318.1810 (7) (b) Renumber to (a) and change to state "Hydraulic control valves shall be tested in accordance with the applicable requirements of ASME A17.1, 8.10.3.2.2 (v) at the time of the acceptance inspection. Renumber (7) to (6) (b) This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.1.3: The hydraulic control valves shall be tested in accordance with the requirements in ASME A17.1 8.10.3.2.2 (v).	

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			SPS 318.1810 (7) (c) renumber to (b) and remove the phrase "and Type A parts of Type C safeties". Renumber (7) to (6). (c) Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 subsection 10.3.3.1 (b): For Type A safeties and Type A safety parts of Type C safeties, there shall be sufficient travel of the safety rollers or dogs remaining after the test to bring the platform and its rated load to rest on safety application at governor tripping speed. A metal tag shall be attached to the lift tower in a permanent manner that is readily visible to inspectors without disassembly, giving the date of the safety test together with the name of the person or firm who performed the test.	
			SPS 318.1810 (8) Remove "Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 Section 10.5". Renumber (8) to (7). (8) INSPECTION AND TEST REQUIREMENTS FOR ALTERED INSTALLATIONS. Substitute the following wording for the requirements in ASME A18.1 section 10.5: Where an alteration is made to an existing installation, the affected components shall comply with the applicable portions of ASME A18.1 sections 2 to 4, 8, and 9.	
Section 11	Maintenance of Platform Lifts and Stairway Chairlifts			
			SPS 318.1811 (1) No change. SPS 318.1811 Maintenance logs. (1) WEEKLY OPERATION PROCEDURE. The requirements in ASME A18.1 section 11.1.2 (c) are not included as part of this chapter.	
			SPS 318.1811 (2) No change. (2) ON-SITE DOCUMENTATION. This is a department rule in addition to the requirements in ASME A18.1 part 11.3: For a lift having an inspection and test panel, the inside cover of the inspection and test panel shall provide instructions for locating the on-site documentation. Instructions shall be permanently legible with lettering not less than 1/8 inch in height.	

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3.1.1			SPS 318.1803 (1) Retain
3.1.4.1			SPS 318.1803 (2) (a) Retain
3.1.4.2			SPS 318.1803 (2) (b) Retain
3.3.1.7	Added section for guarding of suspension means for inclined platform lifts similar to for vertical platform lifts		
3.3.6	Added section for glass in inclined platform lifts similar to for vertical platform lifts		
3.8.3.1	Removed reference to Type B safeties		Lifts do not have Type B safeties
3.10.1	Added requirement for lift landing controls to be permanently accessible.		SPS 318.1803 (3) Delete
3.10.10	For raising or lowering the lift manually by authorized personnel, removed the part about doing so in a power failure.		
3.10.10.1	Added details to the operation of the manual raising or lowering means. Added (c) which states "other suitable means" as an option.		No comment
3.10.10.2	Added necessary details about how to access the means to manually raise or lower for size of access opening, key access and for means to monitor the access so the lift cannot operate without the access closed and locked.		No comment
3.11.1	Editorial only		No comment
3.12	Changed to state "standby power may be provided to raise or lower the lift during a power failure" instead of providing standby power in lieu of manual operation.		Therefore manual operation is required even if standby power is provided.

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4.1.1			SPS 318.1804 Retain
4.8.1.2	Editorial only.		No comment
4.8.3.1	Removed reference to Type B safeties		Lifts do not have Type B safeties
4.10.1	Added requirement for lift landing controls to be permanently accessible.		No comment

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8.1.4.8	Changes are not apparent		SPS 318.1808 (1) through (5) No changes
8.1.7.2.1	Editorial only		

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9.7	Changes are not apparent		No comment
9.8	Rope Sockets		SPS 318.1809 No changes
9.9.1	Tests of mechanical locks and electric contacts must be conducted by a nationally recognized testing lab. Other renumbering with editorial changes only.		No comment

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10	Removed the word "routine" from inspections and tests		Positive change
10.1.1	Simplified and clarified the language for who can inspect and the minimum requirements for an inspection report		Positive change
10.1.2	Periodic tests must be made in the presence of the inspector		New SPS 318.1810 (1) Copy language from SPS 318.17086(4): "Periodic Tests: Substitute the following wording for the language in ASME A18.1, 10.1.2.1: Periodic tests may be witnessed by the department or agent municipality or by a person authorized by the department or agent municipality
10.1.3	Qualification of Inspectors		Renumber SPS 318.1810 (1) to (2) Reference 10.1.3 instead of 10.1.4
10.1.4	Applicability of Inspection and Test Requirements		Renumber SPS 318.1810 (2) to (3) Reference 10.1.4 instead of 10.1.5. Move the language in SPS 318.18010(8) here for altered components because 10.5 no longer exists for testing of altered components.
10.1.5	Installation Placed out of Service		Renumber SPS 318.1810 (3) to (4) Reference 10.1.5 instead of 10.1.6
10.1.6	Inspection Requirements		Renumber SPS 318.1810 (4) to (5) Change the title to "Inspection Requirements". Reference 10.1.6 instead of 10.2.2. Add statement to the effect that inspection is to include only the applicable items in (a) through (d) that may be inspected without removing machine enclosure panels or covers. Change the last sentence to state "periodic" and not "routine". Move statement here from current SPS 318.1810(6): "Where an inspectoin reveals the need for a test to be conducted, the inspector may order the test."
10.2	One-Year Test Requirements		New SPS 318.1810.(6) Substitute the following language for the heading in ASME A18.1, 10.2: "Tests specified in 10.2.1 and 10.2.1.1, where applicable are to be performed at intervals no longer than 5 years." Remove existing language in SPS 318.1810 (6) because it is no longer needed with the removal of the word "routine" from A18.1.
10.3	Acceptance and 5-Year Periodic Inspections and Tests		SPS 318.1810 (7) (a) Retain this. Reference 10.3 instead of 10.3.3.1. Move the part of SPS 318.1810 (7) (c) here requiring a metal tag to be attached to the lift tower in a permanent manner that is readily visible to the inspector without disassembly giving the date of the safety test with the name of the person or firm performing the test.
10.3			SPS 318.1810 (7) (b) Change reference from 10.1.3 to the introductory paragraph of 10.3
10.3.1.1	General Requirements for Type A Safeties		SPS 318.1810 (7) (c) Delete
			SPS 318.1810 (8) Move to within SPS 318.1810 (3) because former section 10.5 no longer exists.

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11.1.2	I don't see a change		SPS 318.1811. No changes