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**OFFICE OF ELEVATORS AND AMUSEMENT RIDES**

CHAPTER 71

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71‑5600. Fee Schedules.

**Synopsis:**

 The South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Office of Elevators and Amusement Rides, proposes to amend its regulations relating to fee schedules for elevator inspections.

 A Notice of Drafting was published in the *State Register* on August 25, 2017.

**Instructions:**

Replace regulation as shown below. All other items and sections remain unchanged.

**Text:**

71‑5600. Fee Schedules.

 1. Construction Permits

 A. The fee for a construction permit shall include the fee for registration and the first annual operating certificate of a facility.

Contract Price/Per Facility Fee

 $1 ‑ $ 10,000 $250.00

$ 10,001 ‑ $ 30,000 $295.00

$ 30,001 ‑ $ 50,000 $345.00

$ 50,001 ‑ $ 80,000 $390.00

$ 80,001 ‑ $ 100,000 $410.00

$100,001 ‑ $200,000 $460.00

$200,001 – and up $510.00

 B. Fees under 71‑5600 include one turn‑over inspection. Any return turn‑over inspection, for failing to comply, will be charged at a rate of $75.00 per hour including travel time.

 C. A fee of $250.00 will be charged upon issuance of a temporary certificate, good for a period of no more than sixty (60) days. At the end of sixty (60) days the owner may a) apply for a renewal of a temporary certificate with a fee of $250.00; b) have the elevator ready for a complete turnover inspection; or c) remove the elevator from service.

 2. Operating Certificate:

 A.(1) The fee for an annual operating certificate, after registration, whether initial or renewal, with inspection by the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation shall be as follows:

 Number of Floors Fee

 2 to 5…………………………………..……………$125.00

 6 to 12………………………………………..……..$150.00

 13 and above………………………………..………$175.00

 (2) The fee for an operating certificate, after registration whether initial or renewal, with inspection by the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation shall be as follows:

 Type of Elevator Fee

 Handicap lifts………………………………………$75.00 every five years

 Manlifts ……………………………………….…...$200.00 every seven years

 Television tower ……………………………….......$300.00 every seven years

Special Purpose Personnel Elevators:

 2‑5 floors …………………………………………..$125.00 every seven years

 6‑12 floors ………………………………………...$150.00 every seven years

 13 and above floors ……………………………..…$175.00 every seven years

 B. The fee for an annual operating certificate, after registration, whether initial or renewal, upon report of a special inspection shall be $50.00 per facility.

 C. The fee for a reinspection due to failure to make timely corrections of all deficiencies noted in an annual inspection report will be $75.00 per hour of inspection time, including travel time.

 3. License for Special Inspector:

 A. The fee for an annual license as a special inspector shall be $200.00.

**Fiscal Impact Statement:**

 There will be no cost incurred by the State or any of its political subdivisions for these regulations.

**Statement of Rationale:**

 The updated regulations will increase fees forinspection of elevators to cover the costs associated with the program.