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### Sec. 29-200-1a. Definitions

As used in sections 29-200-1a to 29-200-5a, inclusive, of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) "Lift" means vertical wheelchair lift, inclined wheelchair lift, or inclined stairway chairlift.
- (2) "Vertical wheelchair lift" means a power passenger lift designed and used to raise or lower a person in a wheelchair vertically from one level to another.
- (3) "Inclined wheelchair lift" means a power passenger lift installed on a stairway or an approved way designed and used to raise or lower a person in a wheelchair on an incline from one level to another.
- (4) "Inclined stairway chairlift" means a power passenger lift installed on a stairway for raising and lowering a person from one floor to another.
- (5) "Limited use, limited access elevator" means a power passenger elevator where the use and application is limited by size, capacity, speed, and rise, intended principally to provide vertical transportation for people with disabilities.

(Adopted effective March 30, 1999)

### Sec. 29-200-2a. Installers

Installation of all lifts and limited use, limited access elevators shall be performed only by persons licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 393 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

(Adopted effective March 30, 1999)

#### Sec. 29-200-3a. Standards for installation

- (a) Each lift shall be installed in accordance with the provisions of ASME A18.1-2003, Safety Standard for Platform and Stairway Chairlifts.
- (b) Each limited use, limited access elevator shall be installed in accordance with the provisions of section 5.2 OF ASME A17.1-2004, Safety Code for Elevators and Escalators.
- (c) The ASME codes are available from The American Society of Mechanical Engineers, 3 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016-5990.

(Adopted effective March 30, 1999; amended March 30, 2006)

# Sec. 29-200-4a. Relationship with building and fire codes

All installations of lifts and limited use, limited access elevators shall meet all applicable requirements of the State Building Code and State Fire Safety Code adopted under authority of Sections 29-252 and 29-292, respectively, of the Connecticut General Statutes. Permit applications to install such lifts and limited use, limited access elevators shall be submitted to the local building official.

(Adopted effective March 30, 1999)

### Sec. 29-200-5a. Discontinuance of operation

Any limited use, limited access elevator deemed by the Commissioner of Public Safety to be dangerous to life and property shall be subject to discontinuance of operation in accordance with the provisions of Section 29-197 of the Connecticut General Statutes.

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