

FILE NO. 3-110.2

DATE: December 3, 1990

**CODE APPLICATION NOTICE**

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**CODE SECTION:** Section 110.2, ~~2001~~ 2004 California Electrical Code

**110.2. Approval.** The conductors and equipment required or permitted by this *Code* shall be acceptable only if approved.

**INTERPRETATION:**

Equipment shall be approvable if it is listed, labeled or certified for its use by a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL) as recognized by the U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

**REASON:**

The question of what constitutes approval often arises in conjunction with various types of equipment to be installed in health care facilities. The code is unclear as to exactly what criteria constitutes approval of specific types of equipment.

The above interpretation is consistent with the intent of Sections 90.1, 90.4, 90.7 and 110.3 of the ~~2001~~ 2004 California Electrical Code. The interpretation is reasonable and provides staff with a "standard" means of evaluating whether a particular piece of equipment should or should not be approved for installation.

ORIGINAL SIGNED

4/24/2007

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Date