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IND 57.22

STATE OF WISCONSIN }
INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION } SS.
OF WISCONSIN }

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Helen E. Gill, Secretary of the Industrial Commission and custodian of the official records of commission, hereby certify that on September 30, 1958, the Industrial Commission voted to revise Section Ind 57.22 of the Wisconsin Building Code as it applies to fire alarm systems. Under the present order Ind 57.22 requires a fire alarm system in all motels which accommodate twenty or more persons. Under the revised order Ind 57.22, one story motels in which each unit has an outside door at grade level will not be required to provide a fire alarm system. The revised order will become effective on the first day of the month following its publication in the Wisconsin Administrative Code, namely November 1, 1958.

The rule as revised will read as follows:

Ind 57.22 Fire Alarms.

(1) Every building which accommodates 20 or more persons except hospitals, places of detention, and motels not more than one story in height in which each unit has an outside door at grade level, shall be provided with a fire alarm system complying with section Ind 51.24.

(2) Every hospital which accommodates 20 or more persons shall be provided with a fire alarm complying with section Ind 51.24 except that chimes or other approved sounding devices shall be used when within hearing distance of the patients. Visual attention compelling devices may be used in hospitals where approved by the Industrial Commission.

(a) A presignal fire alarm system may be installed in hospitals or hotels when not less than 4 employees are on duty at all times to respond to fire alarms.

(b) Where presignal systems are installed, it is recommended that the fire department be called immediately after the pre-alarm signal is received.

(3) This order applies to buildings now in existence and to buildings hereafter constructed.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal of
the Industrial Commission, in the
city of Madison, this 30 day of**

September, 1958.

**William R. Gull
Secretary of the Industrial Commission
of Wisconsin**