

Pass it On Bulletin # 14

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FYI – Variance to Remove Hose from Standpipe Riser

DSSI would like to inform everyone that Class B Office Buildings may be able to request to remove the hose from the Buildings Standpipe Riser as long as certain criteria (Building fully Sprinkler, etc.) are met. DSSI is in contact with FDNY Technology Unit and awaiting further information from this Unit regarding what the procedure will be to request this variance.

Once DSSI receives further information from the FDNY Technology Unit, we will “PASS IT ON”.

As a reminder, under the requirements of the NYC Fire Code and NFPA 25 Standard requires that all hoses for the Standpipe System need to be tested at least once every 5 years.

Due to this fact, we feel that all buildings should be aware of this variance before they do this test or purchase all new hoses for the Standpipe System.

Any questions please contact Tom Calkins at 212-240-9500 ext 101.