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President, Singapore Institute of Architects (SIA)
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Dear Sir/Madam,

IMPLEMENTATION OF SS 550:2009 – CODE OF PRACTICE FOR INSTALLATION, OPERATION & MAINTENANCE OF ELECTRIC PASSENGER & GOODS LIFTS

The SS 550:2009 – Code of Practice for Installation, Operation and Maintenance of Electric Passenger and Goods Lifts, formerly CP 2, was approved by the SPRING's Electrical & Electronic Standards Committee on 06 Oct 2009 and officially launched on 4 Feb 2010. This standard specifies the design, construction, installation, testing, inspection, operation and maintenance of permanently installed new electric lifts.

2. SCDF has briefed the FSSD Standing Committee on 5 Apr 2010 on the fire safety related changes in SS 550:2009. In order not to unduly affect on-going projects, the Committee agreed that SS 550:2009 shall be applicable to all building plans that are submitted to SCDF for approval on or after 01 Jul 2010.

3. Please convey the contents of this circular to members of your Institution/Association/Board. The circular is also available in CORENET-e-Info: <http://www.corenet.gov.sg/einfo>.

4. For any inquiry or clarification, please contact Mr. Lee Wee Keong at tel. no. 68481445 or email address LEE_Wee_Keong@scdf.gov.sg.

Yours faithfully,

(Transmitted via e-mail)

Poon Keng Soon
Secretary, FSSD Standing Committee
for Commissioner
Singapore Civil Defence Force

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