

SENATE BILL No. 872

November 29, 2001, Introduced by Senators SIKKEMA, DUNASKISS, JOHNSON and MC COTTER and referred to the Committee on Economic Development, International Trade and Regulatory Affairs.

A bill to amend 1967 PA 227, entitled

"An act to regulate the inspection, construction, installation, alteration, maintenance, repair and operation of elevators and the licensing of elevator contractors; to prescribe the functions of the director of labor; to create, and prescribe the functions of, the elevator safety board; to provide penalties for violations of the act; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,"

by amending section 3 (MCL 408.803).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

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1 Sec. 3. (1) "Elevator" means the machinery, construction,
2 apparatus, and equipment of an incline lift, escalator, moving
3 walk, or device serving 2 or more landings used in raising and
4 lowering a car, cage, or platform ~~which~~ THAT is guided. ~~It~~
5 ELEVATOR includes a passenger elevator, freight elevator, gravity
6 elevator, workmen's elevator, dumbwaiter, manlift, and other
7 lifting or lowering apparatus ~~which~~ THAT is guided. ~~It~~
8 ELEVATOR does not include ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

1 (a) An elevating device within the scope of ~~the mining act,~~
2 ~~Act No. 163 of the Public Acts of 1911, as amended, being sec-~~
3 ~~tions 425.101 to 425.113 of the Compiled Laws of 1948~~ 1911
4 PA 163, MCL 425.101 TO 425.113.

5 (b) A feeding machine or belted bucket, scoop, roller, or
6 any similar type of freight conveyor.

7 (c) A lubrication hoist or other similar mechanism.

8 (d) A piling or stacking machine used within 1 story ~~, and~~
9 THAT DOES not ~~penetrating~~ PENETRATE a floor.

10 (e) A device in a private residence ~~other than one~~ NOT
11 carrying persons.

12 (f) An outside material hoist used for raising or lowering
13 construction materials while a building or structure is under
14 construction within the scope of the ~~construction safety act,~~
15 ~~Act No. 89 of the Public Acts of 1963, as amended, being sections~~
16 ~~408.711 to 408.724 of the Compiled Laws of 1948~~ MICHIGAN OCCUPA-
17 TIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT, 1974 PA 154, MCL 408.1001 TO
18 408.1094.

19 (G) A PORTABLE, FREESTANDING, PREWIRED LIFT UNIT.

20 (H) A BATTERY-POWERED STAIRWAY CHAIRLIFT UNIT.

21 (2) "Elevator contractor" means a person, firm, or corpora-
22 tion engaged in the business of constructing, installing, main-
23 taining, repairing, or altering elevators ~~,~~ including the
24 installing or maintaining of electric wiring, fixtures,
25 apparatus, and appliances in connection with the operation or
26 control thereof.

1 (3) "Elevator contractor license" means a license issued by
2 the director to an elevator contractor covering the construction,
3 installation, alteration, maintenance, or repair ~~by him~~ of ele-
4 vators BY THE ELEVATOR CONTRACTOR.