NOTICE

New CSA Z98-14 Safety Standard for Passenger Ropeways and Passenger Conveyers

Alberta Regulation 190/2008 came into force on June 1, 2017 as per the Order in Council (O.C. 78/2017) and is applicable throughout the Province of Alberta.

Background:

CSA Z98-14 Passenger Ropeway and Passenger Conveyers Standard has been adopted by Regulation. This Standard specifies requirements for the design, manufacture, installation, operation, maintenance, testing, and inspection of passenger ropeways and passenger conveyors in Alberta.

Changes:

Regulations under the *Safety Codes Act* may be amended to allow for automatic adoption of codes and standards. Once a code or standard is declared in force in Alberta under the *Act*, future publications of the code or standard may be automatically adopted and come into force (become mandatory) 12 months after the publication date of the code or standard. The Minister may issue an order that the published code or standard will not be in force on that date, or that the coming into force will occur on an earlier or later date.

Future editions of CSA Z98 Standard will now be automatically adopted upon publication and come into force 12 months after the publication date. This adoption process will ensure that Alberta remains harmonized with the national code development system and persons will be able to rely on a preestablished date for the use, application and enforcement of new editions of Passenger Ropeways and Passenger Conveyer Standard in Alberta.

Copies of the new regulation may be obtained through Queen's Printers website <u>www.qp.gov.ab.ca</u>.

Copies of the CSA Z98 may be purchased from CSA International through CSA's website at: <u>www.shop.csa.ca</u>.

Additional Information:

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