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Section 362.12(9)

Question:

Is it the intent of article 362.12 (9) Uses not permitted for Type ENT conduit (where subject to physical damage) to restrict the use of ENT run parallel to and within the chase of a 3 metal framing member. There is 1 space from the edge of the conduit to the nearest edge of the framing member per Nec 300.4 D. Which only requires 1

Answer

No. The reference should be 2008 NEC & 362.12(10).

Commentary:

The correct section of the NEC to reference is 300.4(D).
Protection against physical damage to ENT shall comply with 300.4 of the NEC.

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