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Section 412

Question:

Is it the intent of 412.4.6 to require a fixed fire suppression system in a group III hangar where NFPA 409 says one is not required?

Answer

Yes. The code does not say to provide the system where required by NFPA 409. It says aircraft hangars shall be provided with a fire suppression system designed in accordance with NFPA 409.

Commentary:

None

Notice:

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