



DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

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Request for Formal Interpretation of the 2018 Connecticut State Building Code

Mr. Morrison,

You have requested a formal interpretation related to section 105.2 the 2015 International Building Code portion of the 2018 Connecticut State Building Code which states.

2. Electrical equipment used solely for radio and television transmissions, but a permit is required for equipment and wiring for power supply and for the installation of towers and antennas.

Question #1:

Under this exemption, what specially constitutes “Radio transmissions” as applies to wireless telecommunications, i.e. cellular towers?

Answer #1:

In the case of cellular towers, this exception would be limited to only the antenna equipment.

Sincerely,

Joseph V. Cassidy, P.E.
State Building Inspector