

# **Manitoba Electrical Code Inspection Notice**

## 14-612 Transfer equipment for standby power systems

Effective Date:		
Immediately		
Scope:		

To clarify when an enclosed inlet and an overcurrent device is required.

# Requirements:

Rule 14-612

Rule 14-612 is struck out and replaced with the following.

- 1) Transfer equipment for standby power systems shall prevent the inadvertent interconnection of normal and standby sources of supply in any operation of the transfer equipment.
- 2) An enclosed inlet may be supplied with the transfer switch for the connection of a portable generator.
- 3) An enclosed inlet installed remotely of the transfer switch for the connection of a portable generator must have an overcurrent installed adjacent to the enclosed inlet.

#### Rationale:

Unless installed as part of the transfer switch, an overcurrent device must be installed adjacent to the enclosed inlet to provide protection for the enclosed inlet and wiring to the transfer switch when installed for a portable generator.

## Supporting Information:

Manitoba Electrical Code

## Issued By

Manitoba Hydro Electrical Codes and Standards

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