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Division:	Plans Examination	Code Interpretation	BP-CI-021
Subject:	RECEPTACLES, SHOW WINDOW	Effective Date:	05/01/2007
Code:	NEC 210.62	Revised Date:	09/04/2013

A. CODE REQUIREMENT

The National Electric Code Article 210.62 requires at least one receptacle outlet shall be installed directly above a show window for each 3.7 linear m (12 linear ft) or major fraction thereof measured horizontal at its maximum width.

B. INTERPRETATION

Facilities with windows that may be used for displays and/or advertisement will require show window receptacles. The design documents will be required to reflect this information.

Examples: Restaurants, merchandise sales and lobby/reception areas of offices.

C. RATIONALE

This is provided to clarify when the Clark County Building Department will require show window receptacles in accordance with the National Electrical Code, Article 210.62.

Windows for advertising serve a similar function as show windows. Identifying the outlets on the drawings will provide clarity and consistent field enforcement.

Revision History:

POLICY #	TITLE	Effective Date	Revised	Reviewed
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