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H.P. 709	House of Representatives, February 15, 2001
Resolve, to Grant an	n Exception for Inspections of Low-use Elevators.
Reference to the Committee	on Business and Economic Development suggested and

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Presented by Representative McKEE of Wayne.

ordered printed.

	Sec. 1. Board of Elevator and Tramway Safety to create exception for
2	inspections of low-use elevators. Resolved: That, by January 1, 2002,
	the Board of Elevator and Tramway Safety shall adopt rules to
4	create an exception for inspections of low-use elevators. The rules must:
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Allow for a low-use elevator inspection schedule that does not compromise safety with a frequency of no less than 2 years between inspections;

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2. Define "low-use elevator" for churches, small businesses and other organizations that have an elevator that is used infrequently; and

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3. Create a mechanism to verify that an elevator is used infrequently; and be it further

Sec. 2. Rules. Resolved: 18 That rules adopted by the Board of Elevator and Tramway Safety to implement this resolve are routine technical rules as defined in Title 5, chapter 375, subchapter 20 II-A.

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24 SUMMARY

26 This resolve directs the Board of Elevator and Tramway Safety to create rules to make an exception in the yearly 28 scheduling of inspections for low-use elevators in churches, small businesses and other organizations that have elevators but 30 use them infrequently.