

THE CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS

DEPARTMENTAL MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 31, 1981

TO: Borough Superintendents

FROM: Irwin Fruchtman, P.E. *IF*
Commissioner

SUBJECT: Department of Buildings Advisory Class "E" Alarm and
Communication System for Compliance with Local Law # 5/1973
as Amended.

The Advisory Class "E" alarm and communication system that was promulgated by the Commissioner of Buildings on July 22, 1975 in connection with reconsideration from compliance with the Local Law No. 5 requirements for the Class "E" system is hereby amended as follows:

The applicability for reconsideration from compliance is extended from the two types of existing buildings specified therein to include:

All existing buildings which have received a passing score by the High-Rise Fire Safety Task Force of the Buildings and Fire Departments pursuant to the Local Law # 5 Equivalency Guidelines and have been accepted by the Commissioner for reconsideration from compliance with Local Law # 5 requirements for the Class "E" alarm and communication system. July 22, 1975 Advisory Memorandum attached.

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