



## Office of the State Fire Marshal

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** All Licensed Contractors, Licensed Inspectors and Licensed Inspection Companies

**FROM:** Bob Capuani  
Director, Elevator Safety Division

**DATE:** July 26, 2011

**RE:** HANDRAIL ADVERTISING ON ESCALATORS

At the July 14, 2011 Elevator Safety Review Board meeting the Board was approached with a request to allow advertising on escalator handrails.

Until further notice please be advised that at this time the State of Illinois does not allow advertising on escalator handrails in the State of Illinois with the exception of municipalities with a population over 500,000.