

WAC 296-96-24437 Emergency exit ladders. Emergency exit ladders shall:

- (1) Be a fixed metal type;
- (2) Be accessible from either the "up" or "down" path of the lift;
- (3) Be installed when the vertical distance between the landings exceeds 20 ft.; and
- (4) Be constructed to comply with current general safety standards except enclosed cages need not be built;
- (5) Provide access to an emergency exit;
- (6) Be located in a position so that in an emergency a person can safely transfer from the manlift to the ladder.

Note: Transfer is considered safe when a person can maintain 3 points of contact while making the transfer.

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