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POLICY NOTIFICATION

High Limit Controls

The provisions of North Carolina Administrative Code, paragraph .0406, require that each automatically fired boiler or pressure vessel be protected by two pressure or temperature operated controls which monitor the upper pressure or temperature of the water, steam, or other fluid in the boiler or one may be the operating control.

The provision also requires that the high limit control on all boilers shall be equipped with a manual reset which shall prevent the boiler or pressure vessel from being fired after the maximum pressure or temperature has been reached.

The provisions of .0406 do not apply to unfired pressure vessels. Also, the manual reset requirement does not apply to HLW stamped water heaters.

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