

**INTERPRETATION IC 90.1-2013-9 OF
ANSI/ASHRAE/IES STANDARD 90.1-2013
Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings**

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Reference: This request for interpretation refers to the requirements presented in ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2013, Section 9.1.2, relating to lighting alterations.

Background: In a lighting alteration of a corridor or stairwell the automatic shutoff requirements of 9.4.1.1 must be met. Which provisions are the automatic shutoff requirements? Is it 9.4.1.1(g), (h), or (i)?

Interpretation: The 9.4.1.1 automatic lighting shutoff requirements are 9.4.1.1(g), 9.4.1.1(h), and 9.4.1.1(i). Lighting alterations in a stairwell or corridor must comply with one of 9.4.1.1(g), 9.4.1.1(h), or 9.4.1.1(i).

Question: Is this interpretation correct?

Answer: YES

Comments: The standard doesn't specifically say which automatic shutoff provision must be met. The intent is that one of the three automatic OFF provisions 9.4.1.1(g), 9.4.1.1(h), or 9.4.1.1(i) shall be used.