



MECHANICAL CODE MANUAL

MCM 308.0

04/01/03

CLOTHES DRYERS IN GARAGES

Section 308.0 of the Mechanical Code allows heating and cooling equipment which generate a glow, spark, or flame capable of igniting flammable vapors to be installed in a garage provided the pilots, burners, or heating elements and switches are at least eighteen (18) inches above the floor level.

Since this paragraph was intended to apply to automatic (thermostat, timer, etc.) rather than manual start-up, Section 308.0 would not apply to clothes dryers either electric or gas nor to other similar equipment which may be installed in a garage.

Supercedes MCM 308.0 (1/96).

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