

Formal Interpretation

NFPA 40

Storage and Handling of Cellulose Nitrate Film

2007 Edition

Reference: 6.5.9

F.I. No.: 40-01-1

Question: Does the committee interpret Subsection 6.5.9 of NFPA 40 as allowing DOT approved flame retardant polypropylene canisters to be used for the extended term storage of Cellulose Nitrate film under all other requirements of NFPA 40?

Answer: Yes

Issue Edition: 2001

Reference: 6.5.10

Issue Date: June 21, 2005

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Standard for the Storage and Handling of Cellulose Nitrate Film

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Reference: 8.1.1 and 8.1.5.2

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Question: Does the Committee interpret the Code to the effect that NFPA 40 (2001) limits only the number of nitrate-base projectors in code-qualified nitrate-base projection booth and that additional, safety-base film projectors can also be housed in the same booth, as long as all requirements of NFPA 40 (2001) are met?

Answer: Yes.

Issue Edition: 2001

Reference: 8.1.1 through 8.1.10

Issue Date: September 29, 2006

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