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Description

This electrical code of practice sets out the electrical and physical installation requirements for recessed luminaires ("commonly known as downlights" or something similar) and their auxiliary equipment, such as transformers and control gear in residential, commercial and industrial buildings. The document gives guidance on the selection of recessed luminaires and their installation requirements to ensure that the integrity of the building is maintained. This integrity includes building elements, thermal, acoustic, fire and moisture.

Scope

This electrical code of practice sets out the installation requirements for recessed luminaires and auxiliary equipment in residential, commercial and industrial buildings. This document does not apply to recessed luminaires that are: (a) Recessed into swimming pools; (b) Ground-planted in gardens, pavements and ducts; and (c) Fitted into surfaces that do not compromise part of a building.

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