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Hood Inspections

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Section: 603.4

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Question:

Does Table 609.3.3.1 apply to service of the fire suppression systems as referenced in sections 906.1, 904.11 or 904.11.6?

Answer:

No, Table 609.3.3.1 gives visual inspection requirements the hood, grease filters, duct, extractors, traps and other grease ducting components to determine if cleaning is needed. This section does not discuss nor have any additional requirements for the hood fire suppression system. The hood fire suppression system is referenced in Section 609.3.4 and shall be performed in accordance with the appropriate standard and manufacturer's instructions.

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