VIRGINIA STATE BUILDING CODE TECHNICAL REVIEW BOARD

INTERPRETATION

Interpretation Number: 1/2023

Code: NFPA 70 - National Electrical Code/2017

Section No: Article 250.24 (see Article attached)

QUESTION: Is equipment connected via taps ahead of the main for PV systems required to comply with 2017 National Electric Code (NEC) Section 250.24?

ANSWER: Yes. Section 705.12(A) of the 2017 NEC allows connecting PV systems to dwelling unit electric utilities via disconnect switch on the supply side of the existing electric service disconnecting means.

This Official Interpretation was issued by the State Building Code Technical Review Board at its meeting of May 12, 2022.

Chair, State Building Code Technical Review Board