



## **ELECTRICAL - MECHANICAL - SIGN AND BANNER HANGING – MANDATORY ESA REGULATIONS**

### **OFFICIAL CONTRACTOR**

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Exhibitors are urged to anticipate their electrical - mechanical - sign and banner hanging requirements early and make arrangements well in advance of the show dates.

**COMPLETED REQUISITIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY February 15, 2018.** All arrangements are made with the contractor, and invoices are rendered by them.

All electrical - mechanical services will be installed by the official contractor only. Arrangements are between the exhibitor and Showtech Power & Lighting, and the Show Management accepts no responsibility for the cost of services provided by the contractor at the exhibitor's request.

New Ministry Of Labour regulations may require advanced shipping and placement of signage before general move-in. Your staff will be required to have proper safety equipment as per Ontario workplace safety.

### **Mandatory Requirements: Electrical**

It is a requirement of the Ontario Electrical Safety Code, a provincial regulation, that any electrical equipment, which is being assembled, displayed, offered for sale or used in any show, convention, or similar exhibition **MUST BE APPROVED**.

Electrical Safety Code Requirements: It is a requirement of Rule 2-022 of the Ontario Electrical Safety Code, a provincial regulation, that any electrical equipment, which is being assembled, displayed, offered for sale or used in any show, convention or similar exhibition **MUST BE APPROVED**. The authority for enforcing this regulation is vested in the Electrical Safety Authority. Electrical equipment is considered to be approved, if it bears the certification mark or Field Evaluation label of an organization that has been accredited by the Standards Council of Canada to approve electrical equipment. If

these markings are missing, the equipment is considered to be unapproved.

For a full list of recognized certification marks, please visit:

<http://www.esasafe.com/consumers/productsafety/marks>

Any new electrical product requires an inspection certificate from an approval company.

CMPX 2020 is a tradeshow, therefore exhibitors can apply to show or energize an unapproved product by completing the ***Application For Permission to Show*** or ***Application For Permission To Energize*** form found in the CMPX Exhibitor manual forms on the website. The fee currently (Feb 2019) for Permission To Show is \$60 + hst, and the fee for Permission To Energize is \$139 + hst.

Exhibitors are expected to make every reasonable effort to have electrical equipment approved prior to the show. ***Failure to comply could result in the equipment being removed from the display.*** For more information, please contact the Electrical Safety Authority at:

The Electrical Safety Authority  
Customer Service Centre  
400 Sheldon Drive, Unit 1  
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