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six starts. If a second source is provided, the system need only provide three consecutive starts.

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§112.50-3 Hydraulic starting.

- A hydraulic starting system must meet the following:
- (a) The hydraulic starting system must be a self-contained system that provides the cranking torque and engine starting RPM recommended by the engine manufacturer. The hydraulic starting system must be capable of six consecutive starts, unless a second, separate source of starting energy capable of three consecutive starts is provided. A second, separate source of starting energy may provide three of the required six starts. If a second source is provided, the hydraulic system need only provide three consecutive starts.
- (b) The stored hydraulic pressure must be automatically maintained within the predetermined pressure limits
- (c) The means of automatically maintaining the hydraulic system within the predetermined pressure limits must be electrically energized from the final emergency bus.
- (d) There must be a means to manually recharge the hydraulic system.
- (e) Charging of the hydraulic starting system must not cause insufficient hydraulic pressure for engine starting.

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§112.50-5 Electric starting.

An electric starting system must have a starting battery with sufficient capacity for at least six consecutive starts. A second, separate source of starting energy may provide three of the required six starts. If a second source is provided, the electrical starting system need only provide three consecutive starts.

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§112.50-7 Compressed air starting.

A compressed air starting system must meet the following:

- (a) The starting, charging, and energy storing devices must be in the emergency generator room, except for the main or auxiliary air compressors addressed in paragraph (c)(3)(i) of this section
- (b) The compressed air starting system must provide the cranking torque and engine starting RPM recommended by the engine manufacturer.
- (c) The compressed air starting system must have an air receiver that meets the following:
- (1) Has a capacity for at least six consecutive starts. A second, separate source of starting energy may provide three of the required consecutive starts. If a second source is provided, the compressed air starting system need only provide three consecutive starts.
 - (2) Supplies no other system.
- (3) Is supplied from one of the following:
- (i) The main or auxiliary compressed air receivers with a nonreturn valve in the emergency generator room and a handcranked, diesel-powered air compressor for recharging the air receiver.
- (ii) An electrically driven air compressor that is automatically operated and is powered from the emergency power source. If this compressor supplies other auxiliaries, there must be a non-return valve at the inlet of the starting air receiver and there must be a handcranked, diesel-powered air compressor for recharging the air receiver.

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Subpart 112.55—Storage Battery Installation

§112.55-1 General.

Each storage battery installation must meet Subpart 111.15 of this chapter.

§112.55-5 Emergency lighting loads.

When supplying emergency lighting loads, the storage battery initial voltage must not exceed the standard system voltage by more than 5 percent.