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Safety Share

Elevators, Escalators and Moving Walkways

Dick Donovan, of HS-70, informed the HSS VPP Committee about a recent safety incident he experienced while at an airport in Las Vegas. Dick tripped as he was getting off of the escalator. The incident made him consider the day-to-day hazards we take for granted. With this in mind, Dick made an effort to look around to find safety information about using elevators, escalators and moving walkways. Dick came across some useful safety information provided by the Otis Elevator Company.

The web site below provides links to two good one-page reminders for safety on elevators, escalators, and moving walkways.

<http://www.otis.com/site/us/Pages/SafetyforAll.aspx>

Dick also found more interactive presentations on the same material, see website below. These presentations include "trivia questions" related to the material presented.

<http://www.asaferide.org/>