



## Request for Interpretation - Response July 7, 2020

Request for Formal Interpretation of ANSI/ALI ALOIM:2008 (R2013), dated July 23, 2019  
(TI 20-001)

This document comprises the official response of the Automotive Lift Institute, Inc. (ALI) to the “Request for Interpretation” relating to the requirements of ANSI/ALI ALOIM:2008 (R2013) titled Automotive Lifts – Operation, Inspection and Maintenance.

Statement: Throughout the above standard, the phrase “owner or employer” is used to describe those responsible for certain actions. The term “employer” is defined in section 3. However, the term “owner” is not.

Question 1:

In the above referenced standard, what is the definition of “owner”?

Response 1:

There is no definition of “owner” in the referenced standard.

Question 2:

Is the term “owner” in reference to the subject lifting equipment or to the premises/building in which the lifting equipment is installed?

Response 2:

The term “owner” applies to whatever is owned.

We believe that this is responsive to your questions as posed. Thank you for your interest in automotive lift safety.