

# OCCUPANCY LIMIT APPLICATION

## **OVERVIEW**

To limit the number of people in a room, the Occupancy Limit application can be imposed with a counter relay and some programming.

### Parts Required

- A counter relay (multiple manufacturers including Square D).
- A spare Input.
- Two Devices/Readers.

Note: If using a DSX-1042 Controller, an FRB8 Relay Board may be required.

# CONNECTIONS

- 1. Create a new Location if this is part of a large Location.
- 2. Install a Reader on either side of the Door connected to Side A and Side B of a Controller.
- 3. Connect the Lock to both relays A1 and B1 for activation.
- 4. Connect Door contact to Side A Input 7 only.
- 5. Terminate Input 8 on both sides with 1K Resistors.
- 6. Connect A2 Relay to the Increment Input on the Counter Relay.
- 7. Connect B2 Relay to the Decrement Input on the Counter Relay.
- 8. Connect the Output of the Counter Relay to Input A5.
- 9. Set the Counter Relay to activate the Output at the Occupancy Limit desired (10, 50, 100, etc..).

#### Programming

- 1. Create 2 Time Zones: TZ1 and TZ2.
- 2. Set both Time Zones for 24x7 and "Time Zone is OFF when linked to".
- 3. Add Outputs Al, Bl. Assign them to Time Zone 2. Set "State when Linked to" for Open.
- 4. Add Outputs A2, B2 and assign them No Time Zone. Set "State when Linked To" for Secure.
- 5. Create a Linking Group A consisting of output A2 Pulse 1 second.
- 6. Create Linking Group B consisting of output B2 Pulse 1 second.
- 7. Create Input A7 Pulse 20 seconds.
- 8. Use Time Zone 2 for the conditional Time Zone in the Linking Groups.
- 9. Create Linking Level A that activates Linking Group A from reader A and activates Linking Group B from reader B.
- 10. Create Access Level 1 for the side A reader that uses Time Zone 1 (24x7).
- 11. Create Access Level 2 for the side B reader that uses Time Zone 2 (also 24x7).
- 12. Assign Linking Level A and Access Levels 1 and 2 to the Card Holders that will have access to the room.
- 13. Create Linking Group C that consists of Time Zone 1 set to Follow using conditional Time Zone 2.
- 14. Add Input A5 and give it no Time Zone.
- 15. Assign Linking Group C to the spare Input and set it to link on Status Change.

# **OPERATION**

- 1. When Cards are used at Reader A (In)-Relay A1 unlocks the Door and the Linking Level activates A2 which increments the Counter Relay up.
- 2. When Cards are used at Reader B (Out)- Relay B1 unlocks the Door and the Linking Level activates B2 which decrements the Counter Relay.
- 3. As the traffic flows into the room, the Counter Relay increments up.
- 4. When the Counter reaches the limit set for occupancy (10, 50, 100, etc.) it provides an Output that trips Input A5.
- 5. Input A5 then links to Time Zone 1 turning it OFF.
- 6. When Time Zone 1 is linked OFF, Access Level 1 no longer allows Card Holder entrance.
- 7. Card Holders trying to Enter will be "Denied By Time Zone".
- 8. Card Holders leaving the room will be granted access with Access Level 2 which will decrement the Counter Relay.
- 9. When the Counter Relay is below the limit set for occupancy (10, 50, 100, etc.) it will release Input A5.
- 10. The release of Input A5 will enable Time Zone 1 allowing Card Holders to enter until the counter reaches the limit set for occupancy.