Term: Postulate

Quote: A *Postulate* would be a proposition necessary as a premiss for a course of deductive reasoning and predicating a contingent character of the hypothetical subject of that course of reasoning; and any proposition of that description would be a Postulate.


References: NEM 4:286

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