Canadian Standards Association

CERTIFICATION NOTICE

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FUEL BURNING EQUIPMENT CERTIFICATION NOTICE NO. 59

To: Manufacturers of Solid Fuel-Fired Appliances and Members of the CSA Advisory Council on Fire Safety

Subject: Announcement of CSA Certification Service for the Performance of Solid Fuel Burning Space Heaters

The Canadian Standards Association has published the first edition of CSA Preliminary Standard B415-M1986, "Performance Testing of Solid Fuel Burning Appliances."

This Standard describes a procedure which provides a basis for comparison of appliance performance. It outlines a method for determining heat outputs, appliance efficiencies and emission levels for space heaters having an air-fuel ratio of less than 30 to 1 during the burning of at least 90 percent of the fuel mass consumed in the low firing cycle.

This certification service is supplementary only for those appliances certified to CSA Standard B366.2 (ULC S627), "Space Heaters for Use With Solid Fuels".

Publication

Products certified by this program will be listed under CSA Equipment Classification:

> SOLID FUEL BURNING EQUIPMENT - Residential Space Heaters (Class 6532 01, Label Service)

and listing information will include an indication of compliance with both safety as per CSA Standard B366.2 (ULC S627) and performance (as per CSA Standard B415-M1986).

Marking

In addition to the markings required by CSA Standard B366.2, products whose performance features are certified under this program must also include markings required by CSA Standard B415-M1986 and the CSA Mark.

Direction

1. Those currently holding certification of solid fuel burning space heaters that comply with CSA Standard B366.2 (ULC S627) may make an application for certification to CSA Standard B415-M1986 at any time.

2. Those who wish to obtain CSA certification for their solid fuel burning space heaters may make an application at any time for certification to CSA Standard B366.2 (ULC S627) and B415-M1986.

Applications may be made by contacting CSA's Application Section, Customer Services Group, Rexdale, (416) 747-4251, any CSA Region Office or Overseas Agency.

Applications should include company name, address and location of factory. Applicants should identify fuels to be used, firing rate and the installation mode. The samples required for evaluation will be selected after receipt of the above.

Enquiries

Anyone wishing further information regarding this Notice is invited to contact CSA's Appraiser/Job Analyst, Customer Services Group, Rexdale (416) 747-4251, any CSA Region Office or Overseas Agency.

Copies of CSA Standard B415-M1986, can be obtained from CSA's Standard Sales Group, (416) 747-4044, Rexdale or any CSA Region Office, at a current price of $19.00 per copy. A remittance must accompany all orders under $175.00. To offset Third Class postage and handling costs, please add to the value of your order $1.25 for mailings in Canada or $3.50 for U.S. and other countries. Standards can be charged to your Master Card, American Express or VISA account.

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