

# CERTIFICATION Informs

An Urgent Bulletin from CSA Group

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Adhesive Labels No. 06

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Existing Certification not affected

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Announcing: Publication of CSA C22.2 No. 0.15-15, Update No. 1, Adhesive Labels

See Attachment 1 for affected Class Numbers.

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## **Who is affected?**

Manufacturers of adhesive labels.

## **What do you do?**

1. This publication outlines certification revisions that do not affect your currently certified product designs.
2. Please contact CSA technical staff if you have questions or need information concerning this publication and how it applies to you.
3. If you would like to arrange for an evaluation of new products to the revisions, initiate a certification project by contacting our Client Services Centre at 1-866-797-4272. Please

supply appropriate supporting documentation\*. If testing is needed, we will inform you of the samples required.

\*which includes technical information, company name, address, factory locations and CSA file number or master contract number (if assigned), and any other relevant documentation.

## **Approval:**

Effective immediately, all new applications and/or updates to currently certified products will be evaluated to CSA C22.2 No. 0.15-15, Update No. 1.

## **Major Revisions:**

See attachment 2

For questions specific to your file or products contact your CSA Group technical staff associate.

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## **For technical questions on this Informs**

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# ATTACHMENT 1

## Affected Class Numbers

### Class No:

7921 01, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Central Canada  
7921 02, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Eastern Canada  
7921 03, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Western Canada  
7921 04, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Central USA.  
7921 05, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Eastern USA.  
7921 06, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Western USA.  
7921 07, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Southern USA.  
7921 08, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Europe  
7921 09, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Japan  
7921 10, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - British Isles  
7921 11, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Far East and Others  
7921 12, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Mexico  
7921 13, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Central America  
7921 14, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - South America  
7922 01, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Label Stock  
7923 01, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Printing Systems  
7924 01, ADHESIVE-TYPE LABELS - Electronic Printing Technologies

# ATTACHMENT 2

## Major Revisions

Clause	Changes
3 Definitions	The definition of high abrasion was modified to clarify that the high abrasion rating is optional.
	Type B definition was changed.
	The definition of "Additional special applications label or nameplate" was removed. A new definition "Special fluid exposure application" was added.
5 Performance 5.4 Adhesion test	Clause 5.4.1 a) was modified to add type B label so that Clause 8.3 adhesion test was also required for Type B label.
6 Exposure conditions required for indoor, outdoor, and special use ratings 6.4 Special use application ratings (optional)	Clause 6.4 "(Optional)" was added in the title of Clause 6.4.
	Clause 6.4.1 General in the previous edition was removed. Clause 6.4.1 Special fluid exposure and Clause 6.4.3 High abrasion application were added.
	Clause 6.4.3 High abrasion application also clarified labels protected by an over-lamination shall be excluded from the abrasion and fluid abrasion test and be rated as high abrasion application.
8.2 Exposure conditions 8.2.11 Abrasion	Clause 8.2.11.4 changed "For high abrasion applications" to "For optional high abrasion applications" to clarify that the high abrasion application is optional.
8.2 Exposure conditions 8.2.12 Fluid abrasion	Clause 8.2.12.6 changed "For additional special application" to "For additional special fluid exposure" for clarity.

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8.2 Exposure conditions 8.2.13 Special fluid exposure (optional)	The title of Clause 8.2.13 was changed from “Special use application” to “Special fluid exposure (optional)” for clarity.
Table 2 Application surface groupings	<p>Table 2 added note 2 and 3:</p> <p>2) Labels suitable for application to two or more plastic or painted surfaces are considered suitable for blends or alloys of those plastics or paints, provided the combination is covered for the conditions and temperatures that are common to the individual substrates.</p> <p>3) Testing is done on generic plastic substrates. However submissions may be conducted on a specific grade of polymeric material that meets the end use application requirements.</p>