

# CERTIFICATION Notice

An Urgent Bulletin from CSA Group

**Appliances No. 29**

**Effective Date: June 1, 2017**

**Date: July 11, 2014**

**Apply Before September 1, 2016**

Announcing: Publication of CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:13 - Household and similar electrical appliances — Safety — Part 2-43: Particular requirements for clothes dryers and towel rails

Class No: 2821 51, HEATERS - Clothes Dryers - Household and Commercial

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## **Who is affected?**

Manufacturers of electric clothes dryers for drying textiles on racks located in a warm airflow and also manufacturers of electric towel rails.

## **What do you do?**

1. CSA Group Service Delivery staff will contact you to address compliance with each revision as applicable to the product designs covered in your affected Certification Reports. In addition to updates to your Certificate(s) of Compliance & Report(s), testing may be required to comply with these revisions.
2. Please respond within thirty (30) days of receiving CSA Group's "Application for CSA Certification Services" and "Quotation" communication. You must respond no later than September 1, 2016 in order to guarantee the update to your certification is completed by June 1, 2017. If testing is needed, we will inform you of the samples required.

## **Approvals:**

Appliances currently Certified to a previous edition of the subject standard (E335-2-43 or E60335-2-43) are

required to comply with the requirements of CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:13 prior to the effective date. Appliances currently Certified to C22.2 No. 112 or TIL C-42 are not affected by this Notice.

## **Major Revisions:**

See attachment 1

## **Background and Rationale:**

CSA Standards in the 60335-series consist of one "Part 1" (60335-1) and several Part 2 Standards (E60335-2-XX). Each Part 2 is for a more specific product type and works in conjunction with Part 1 by accepting the content of the clause without change, or by adding to, amending or omitting it. The latest edition of the Part 1 is CAN/CSAC22.2 No. 60335-1-11, which was announced December 5, 2012 in CSA Informs Ref No: I12-107, Appliances No. 21.

CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:13 is an adoption with Canadian deviations of the identically titled IEC 60335-2-13 edition 3.2 (edition 3:2002 consolidated with amendment 1:2005 and amendment 2:2008). It supersedes the previous edition published in 2001 as CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43, which was an adoption of IEC 60335-2-43:1995 (edition 2).

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

Go to <http://directories.csa-international.org/> and enter your Master Contract # and the class numbers associated with this Notice to determine which of your products are affected.

## **For technical questions on this Certification Notice**

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In the event your models do not comply with the effective standards, arrangements must be made to bring them into compliance.

In the event we do not receive a response as to your currently certified models, prior to the above applicable effective date(s), the certification of such models will be discontinued.



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# **ATTACHMENT 1**

## Major Revisions

The following list describes the technical changes between CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:01 and CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:13. Editorial changes to the standard are not included.

### **Edition of the Part 1**

- This edition of CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43 is used in conjunction with CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 60335-1-11. The previous edition, CAN/CSA-E60335-2-43:01, was used in conjunction with CAN/CSA-E335-1/2E-94.

### **Technical Changes in this Part 2**

- Additional installation instructions for fixed towel rails are specified (7.12.1).
- A test is added to ensure that the doors of clothes dryers can be opened from the inside (20.102).
- A test is added to ensure that appliances with horizontally hinged doors have adequate stability when the door is subjected to a load (20.103).
- New requirement that household clothes dryers be provided with a Type DRT power supply cord suitable for the application and with a molded-on attachment plug as required by Rule 26-744 of the CEC, part I (25.1A).