

CERTIFICATION Notice

An Urgent Bulletin from CSA Group

Industrial Control Equipment No. 68

Effective Date: March 18, 2021

Date: April 29, 2019

Apply Before September 18, 2020

Announcing: Publication of Update No. 1 for CSA C22.2 No. 178.2-04, Transfer Switch Equipment

See Attachment 1 for affected Class Numbers.

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Who is affected?

Manufacturers of manually operated generator transfer panels for Canada.

What do you do?

1. The revisions outlined in this Certification Notice will not require testing, but will require updates to your Certificate(s) of Compliance & Report(s). 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.
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 18, 2020 in order to guarantee the update to your certification is completed by March 18, 2021.

Background and Rationale:

This Notice announces publication of Update No. 1 including revisions to CSA C22.2 No. 178.2-04, Transfer Switch Equipment.

The major revisions under this update include the following:

Updates to interlocks for switching means to restrict and deter their removal from the exterior of the units.

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

Go to <https://www.csagroup.org/testing-certification/product-listing/> 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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The standard edition or amendments announced in this Notice may be used for certification as of the date of issue of this Notice. The "Effective date" in this Notice is the date on which the current requirements, applicable to Certified products listed in the affected class numbers, expire and the standard edition or amendments announced in this Notice become the only requirements that may be used for certification.

In the event that currently certified products do not comply with the latest requirements outlined in this Notice after the "effective date", the certification of such models may be discontinued.



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ATTACHMENT 1

Affected Class Numbers

Class No:

3211 01, INDUSTRIAL CONTROL EQUIPMENT – Switches – Transfer Type

*4653 03, SWITCHES - Transfer Type, Manually Operated Generator Transfer Type

*Note: Migration of class above marked with * is encouraged as part of this Notice, as legacy classes under industrial control equipment (3211 classes) will be superseded under subsequent updates to Transfer Switch Equipment.*