

CERTIFICATION Notice

An Urgent Bulletin from CSA Group

Wiring Devices No. 116

Date: October 25, 2016

Effective Date: September 30, 2017

Apply Before June 15, 2017

Announcing: Publication of CSA Standard C22.2 No. 160-15 Voltage and polarity testers

Class No: 6222 02, ATTACHMENT PLUGS - Voltage and polarity testers

To purchase the Standard, visit us at www.shop.csa.ca

Who is affected?

Manufacturers of voltage and polarity testers.

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 June 15, 2017 in order to guarantee the update to your certification is completed by September

30, 2017. If testing is needed, we will inform you of the samples required.

Approvals:

This announces the publication of Standard CSA C22.2 No. 160-15 Voltage and Polarity Testers (Third Edition). This edition supersedes the previous editions published in 1983 and 1985.

Major Revisions:

Major revisions include new requirements for Electrical Insulating materials. New materials require a minimum comparative tracking index (CTI) of 175V; Flame rating of V2 or HB + 100 Relative thermal index (RTI); and corrosion protection for non-current carrying parts.

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

Go to <http://www.csagroup.org/services/testing-and-certification/certified-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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