

Affected Public: State and Local Governments.

Number of Respondents: 59.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: 50 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 2950.

Total Burden Cost (capital/startup): 0.

Total Burden Cost (operating/maintaining): 0.

Description: Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (Public Law 105-220, August 7, 1998), Fund Management. Section 112(a) of the Workforce Investment Act requires the Governor of the State to submit a single State Plan to the Secretary to be eligible to receive an allocation under Section 127 or 132 or to receive financial assistance under the Wagner-Peyser Act. The State outlines a 5-year strategy for the statewide workforce investment system of the State that meets the requirements of Section 111 and 112 of the Act.

Todd Owen,

Departmental Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. NRTL-1-89]

Intertek Testing Services, NA, Inc., Applications for Renewal and Expansion of Recognition

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice announces: (1) the application of Intertek Testing Services, NA, Inc., for renewal of its recognition as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory under 29 CFR 1910.7, and (2) the applications of Intertek Testing Services, NA, Inc., for expansion of its recognition to use additional standards, sites, and programs, and presents the Agency's preliminary finding. This preliminary finding does not constitute an interim or temporary approval of these applications.

DATES: Comments submitted by interested parties must be received no later than February 16, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Send comments concerning this notice to: Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, NRTL Program, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room N3653, Washington, D.C. 20210.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bernard Pasquet, Office of Technical

Programs and Coordination Activities at the above address, or phone (202) 219-7056.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Notice of Application

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) hereby gives notice that Intertek Testing Services, NA, Inc. (ITSNA) has applied for renewal and for expansion of its current recognition as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory (NRTL). ITSNA's expansion request covers the use of additional test standards, sites, and programs. OSHA recognizes an organization as an NRTL, and processes applications related to such recognitions, following requirements in Section 1910.7 of Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations (29 CFR 1910.7). Appendix A to this section requires that OSHA publish this public notice of the preliminary finding on an application.

The renewal and expansion of recognition covered by this notice apply only to the administrative, testing, and certification facilities that are part of the ITSNA organization and operations as an NRTL. No part of the recognition will apply to any other part of ITSNA, or to any other legal entity, subsidiary, facility, operation, unit, division, or department of Intertek Testing Services Ltd. (ITSLtd), which encompasses ITSNA. The term "ITSNA" also represents the NRTL's predecessors "ETL" and/or "InchcapeNA," as appropriate and as explained below.

The most recent notices published by OSHA for ITSNA's recognition covered an expansion for additional sites, which OSHA announced on August 8, 1997 (62 FR 42829) and granted on December 1, 1997 (62 FR 63562). The following is a chronology of the other **Federal Register** notices published by OSHA concerning the recognition of ITSNA, all of which involved an expansion of recognition for additional test standards: a request announced on October 26, 1990 (55 FR 43229) and granted on December 18, 1990 (55 FR 51971; see correction, 56 FR 2953 1/25/91); a request announced on November 18, 1992 (57 FR 54422) and granted on July 13, 1993 (58 FR 37749; see correction, 58 FR 47001, 9/3/93); and a request announced on August 9, 1996 (61 FR 41659) and granted on November 20, 1996 (61 FR 59111; see correction, 63 FR 1126, 1/8/98). The renewal will incorporate all recognitions granted to ITSNA through the date of publication of this preliminary finding.

The current address of the ITSNA testing facilities already recognized by OSHA are:

ITSNA Cortland, 3933 U.S. Route 11, Cortland, New York 13045
ITSNA Boxborough, 593 Massachusetts Avenue, Boxborough, Massachusetts 01719

ITSNA Atlanta, 4317-A Park Drive, Norcross, Georgia 30093

ITSNA San Francisco, 1365 Adams Court, Menlo Park, CA 94025

*ITSNA Pittsburg, 530 Garcia Avenue, Pittsburg, California 94565

*ITSNA Vancouver, 211 Schoolhouse Street, Coquitlam, British Columbia, V3K 4X9 Canada

ITSNA Hong Kong, 2/F., Garment Centre, 576 Castle Peak Road, Kowloon, Hong Kong

ITSNA Taiwan, 14/F Huei Fung Building, 27, Chung Shan North Road, Sec. 3, Taipei 10451, Taiwan

The current address of the ITSNA/ETL "Certification" office to be recognized as part of the renewal request is:

ITSNA Cortland Certification, 24 Groton Avenue, Cortland, New York 13045.

The current address of the additional ITSNA testing sites covered by the expansion requests are:

ITSNA Los Angeles, 27611 LaPaz Road, Suite C, Laguna Niguel, California 92677

ITSNA Minneapolis, 7435 Fourth Street North, Lake Elmo, Minnesota 55042

ITSNA Totowa, 40 Commerce Way, Unit B, Totowa, New Jersey 07512

*ITSNA Madison, 8431 Murphy Drive, Middleton, Wisconsin 53562

* One of the three sites permitted to authorize the use of the "WHI" certification mark.

General Background on the Applicant and Applications

ITSNA, as "ETL," has submitted a request for the renewal, dated September 29, 1993 (see Exhibit 30A). It later submitted multiple requests to expand its recognition: applications for recognition of additional sites, dated August 24, 1994 (see Exhibits 30B, 30C, and 30D), and dated April 3, 1996 (see Exhibit 30E); requests for recognition to use additional test standards, dated April 25, 1997 and January 2, 1998 (see Exhibits 30F and 30H); and the request for recognition to use additional programs and procedures, dated November 20, 1997 (see Exhibit 30G). ITSNA submitted an application for another site that it subsequently withdrew.

When first recognized as an NRTL in 1989, the organization's name was ETL Testing Laboratories, Inc. (ETL). According to the preliminary **Federal Register** notice for the recognition (54 FR 8411), ETL was part of Inchcape

Inspection and Testing Services, U.S.A., Inc. (IITS), based in New York. IITS was in turn owned by Inchcape plc, based in the United Kingdom.

In 1996, "ETL" informed OSHA (See Exhibit 23E) of a change in legal structure and name to "Inchcape Testing Services NA, Inc." (InchcapeNA). OSHA published a final notice reflecting this change on November 20, 1996 (61 FR 59111). In this notice, OSHA also noted: (1) the 1991 acquisition by IITS of Dash, Strauss, and Goodhue, Inc. (DS&G), and (2) that it granted the voluntary termination of recognition of DS&G as an NRTL, as requested by InchcapeNA. OSHA had recognized DS&G as an NRTL on June 16, 1989 (54 FR 25643) for one location. This site maintained its recognition as part of IITS.

More recently, InchcapeNA informed OSHA (see Exhibit 25F) of the substantial acquisition of "Inchcape Testing Services" by Charterhouse Development Capitol Limited (Charterhouse) and "affiliated investors." Following this, "InchcapeNA" informed OSHA (see Exhibit 25G) of a name change to "Intertek Testing Services NA Inc." in connection with a change in corporate identity by ITS Ltd, headquartered in London, England.

ITSNA, as ETL, received its recognition as an NRTL on September 13, 1989 (see 54 FR 37845), for a period of five years ending September 13, 1994. Appendix A to 29 CFR 1910.7 stipulates that the period of recognition of an NRTL is five years and that an NRTL may renew its recognition by applying not less than nine months, nor more than one year, before the expiration date of its current recognition. ETL submitted its renewal request within the time allotted, and ITSNA retains its recognition pending OSHA's final decision in this renewal process. However, OSHA temporarily withheld its consideration of the renewal and the expansion requests pending resolution by the NRTL of discrepancies noted at its facilities during OSHA audits. Staff of the OSHA NRTL Program accepted resolution of the discrepancies in December 1996, permitting OSHA to resume processing all the requests it had received from ITSNA.

Regarding the expansions, ITSNA requests recognition to use additional standards, testing facilities (sites), and additional programs and procedures. All the ITSNA testing sites listed above will be recognized to use the programs and procedures, and to perform testing, but not to authorize the "ETL" certifications.

Renewal of NRTL Recognition

ITSNA seeks renewal of its recognition for the eight sites that OSHA has previously recognized. The renewal of each of these sites is limited to performing testing to the test standards for which OSHA has recognized ITSNA, and for which the site has the proper capability and control programs. However, OSHA intends to impose certain limitations on the testing that can be performed at ITSNA's sites, and in general, to the testing permitted under some of the test standards.

The renewal will allow ITSNA to maintain its current operation as an NRTL. Specifically, only the ITSNA "Cortland Certification" office, currently at the address identified above, may authorize the use of the "ETL" certification mark or certifications for the NRTL Program. Only the Vancouver, Pittsburg, and proposed Madison sites identified above may authorize the use of the "WHI" (Warnock Hersey) certification mark or certifications.

ITSNA also seeks renewal of its recognition for testing and certification of products to demonstrate compliance to the following 405 test standards, which OSHA has previously recognized for ITSNA. OSHA recognition of any NRTL for a particular test standard is limited to products for which OSHA standards require third party testing and certification before use in the workplace.

ANSI/ASME A90.1 Safety Standard for Belt Manlifts

ANSI/IEEE C37.13 Low Voltage AC Power

Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures

ANSI/IEEE C37.14 Low Voltage DC Power

Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures

ANSI/IEEE C37.20.1 Metal-Enclosed Low

Voltage Power Circuit Breaker Switchgear

ANSI/IEEE C37.20.2 Metal-Clad and Station-

Type Cubicle Switchgear

ANSI/IEEE C37.20.3 Metal-Enclosed

Interrupter Switchgear

¹ ANSI/ISA S12.12 Nonincendive Electrical

Equipment for Use in Class I and II,

Division 2, and Class III, Divisions 1 and

2, Hazardous (Classified) Locations

ANSI/ISA S12.13.1 Performance

Requirements for Combustible Gas

Detectors

ANSI Z21.1 Household Cooking Gas

Appliances

ANSI Z21.5.1 Gas Clothes Dryers—Volume

I—Type 1 Clothes Dryers

ANSI Z21.5.2 Gas Clothes Dryers—Volume

II—Type 2 Clothes Dryers

ANSI Z21.10.1 Gas Water Heaters—Volume

I—Storage Water Heaters with Input

Ratings of 75,000 Btu per Hour or less

ANSI Z21.10.3 Gas Water Heaters—Volume

III—Storage, with Input Ratings above

75,000 Btu per Hour, Circulating and

Instantaneous Water Heaters

ANSI Z21.11.1 Gas-Fired Room Heaters—

Volume I—Vented Room Heaters

ANSI Z21.11.2 Gas-Fired Room Heaters—

Volume II, Unvented Room Heaters

ANSI Z21.12 Draft Hoods

ANSI Z21.13 Gas-Fired Low-Pressure Steam

and Hot Water Boilers

ANSI Z21.15 Manually Operated Gas Valves

ANSI Z21.17 Domestic Gas Conversion

Burners

ANSI Z21.18 Gas Appliance Pressure

Regulators

ANSI Z21.20 Automatic Gas Ignition Systems

and Components

ANSI Z21.21 Automatic Valves for Gas

Appliances

ANSI Z21.23 Gas Appliance Thermostats

ANSI Z21.35 Pilot Gas Filters

ANSI Z21.40.1 Gas-Fired, Heat Activated Air

Conditioning and Heat Pump Appliances

ANSI Z21.40.2 Gas-Fired, Work Activated

Air-Conditioning and Heat Pump

Appliances (Internal Combustion)

ANSI Z21.47 Gas-Fired Central Furnaces

ANSI Z21.48 Gas-Fired Gravity and Fan Type

Floor Furnaces

ANSI Z21.49 Gas-Type Gravity and Fan Type

Vented Wall Furnaces

ANSI Z21.56 Gas-Fired Pool Heaters

ANSI Z83.4 Direct Gas-Fired Make-Up Air

Heaters

ANSI Z83.8 Gas Unit Heaters and Gas-Fired

Duct Furnaces

ANSI Z83.11 Gas Food Service Equipment—

Range and Unit Broilers

ANSI Z83.16 Gas-Fired Unvented

Commercial and Industrial Heaters

ANSI Z83.18 Direct Gas-Fired Industrial Air

Heaters

ANSI/UL 1 Flexible Metal Conduit

ANSI/UL 3 Flexible Nonmetallic Tubing for

Electric Wiring

ANSI/UL 4 Armored Cable

ANSI/UL 5 Surface Metal Raceways and

Fittings

UL 6 Rigid Metal Conduit

UL 9 Fire Tests of Window Assemblies

UL 10B Fire Tests of Door Assemblies

UL 10C Positive Pressure Fire Tests of Door

Assemblies

UL 13 Power-Limited Circuit Cables

ANSI/UL 17 Vent or Chimney Connector

Dampers for Oil-Fired Appliances

ANSI/UL 20 General-Use Snap Switches

ANSI/UL 21 LP-Gas Hose

ANSI/UL 22 Amusement and Gaming

Machines

ANSI/UL 25 Meters for Flammable and

Combustible Liquids and LP Gas

ANSI/UL 44 Rubber-Insulated Wires and

Cables

ANSI/UL 45 Portable Electric Tools

ANSI/UL 48 Electric Signs

ANSI/UL 50 Electrical Cabinets and Boxes

ANSI/UL 62 Flexible Cord and Fixture Wire

ANSI/UL 65 [Electric] Wired Cabinets

ANSI/UL 67 [Electric] Panelboards

ANSI/UL 69 Electric-Fence Controllers

ANSI/UL 73 [Electric] Motor-Operated

Appliances

ANSI/UL 79 Power-Operated Pumps for

Petroleum Product Dispensing Systems

ANSI/UL 82 Electric Gardening Appliances

ANSI/UL 83 Thermoplastic-Insulated Wires

and Cables

ANSI/UL 87 Power-Operated Dispensing

Devices for Petroleum Products

- ANSI/UL 94 Tests for Flammability of Plastic Materials for Parts in Devices and Appliances
- ANSI/UL 96 Lightning Protection Components
- ANSI/UL 98 Enclosed and Dead-Front Switches
- UL 104 Elevator Door Locking Devices and Contacts
- ANSI/UL 114 Electric Office Appliances and Business Equipment
- ANSI/UL 122 Photographic Equipment
- ANSI/UL 130 Electric Heating Pads
- UL 136 Pressure Cookers
- ANSI/UL 141 Garment Finishing Appliances
- ANSI/UL 150 Antenna Rotators
- ANSI/UL 153 Portable Electric Lamps
- ANSI/UL 154 Carbon-Dioxide Fire Extinguisher
- ANSI/UL 174 Household Electric Storage Tank Water Heaters
- UL 181 Factory Made Air Ducts and Connectors
- ANSI/UL 183 Manufactured Wiring Systems
- ANSI/UL 187 X-Ray Equipment
- ANSI/UL 197 Commercial Electric Cooking Appliances
- ANSI/UL 198B Class H Fuses
- ANSI/UL Class K Fuses
- ANSI/UL 198E Class R Fuses
- ANSI/UL 198F Plug Fuses
- ANSI/UL 198G Fuses for Supplementary Overcurrent Protection
- ANSI/UL 198H Class T Fuses
- ANSI/UL 198L DC Fuses for Industrial Uses
- ANSI/UL 198M Mine-Duty Fuses
- ANSI/UL 201 Standard for Garage Equipment
- ANSI/UL 207 Refrigerant Containing Components and Accessories, Nonelectrical
- UL 209 Cellular Metal Floor Raceways and Fittings
- ANSI/UL 224 Extruded Insulating Tubing
- ANSI/UL 231 [Electrical] Power Outlets
- ANSI/UL 244A Solid-State Controls for Appliances
- ANSI/UL 250 Household Refrigerators and Freezers
- ANSI/UL 291 Automated Teller Systems
- ANSI/UL 294 Access Control System Units
- ANSI/UL 296 Oil Burners
- ANSI/UL 296A Waste Oil-Burning Air-Heating Appliances
- ANSI/UL 298 Portable Electric Hand Lamps
- ANSI/UL 299 Dry Chemical Fire Extinguisher
- ANSI/UL 303 Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Condensing and Compressor Units
- ANSI/UL 307A Liquid Fuel-Burning Heating Appliances for Manufactured Homes and Recreational Vehicles
- ANSI/UL 310 Electrical Quick-Connect Terminals
- ANSI/UL 325 Door, Drapery, Gate, Louver, and Window Operators and Systems
- UL 330 Hose and Hose Assemblies for Dispensing Gasoline
- ANSI/UL 343 Pumps for Oil-Burning Appliances
- ANSI/UL 347 High-Voltage Industrial Control Equipment
- ANSI/UL 353 Limit Controls
- ANSI/UL 355 Cord Reels
- ANSI/UL 360 Liquid-Tight Flexible Steel Conduit
- ANSI/UL 363 Knife Switches
- ANSI/UL 365 Police Station Connected Burglar Alarm Units and Systems
- ANSI/UL 372 Primary Safety Controls for Gas-and Oil-Fired Appliances
- UL 378 Draft Equipment
- ANSI/UL 399 Drinking-Water Coolers
- ANSI/UL 407 Manifolds for Compressed Gases
- ANSI/UL 412 Refrigeration Unit Coolers
- ANSI/UL 414 Meter Sockets
- ANSI/UL 416 Refrigerated Medical Equipment
- ANSI/UL 427 Refrigerating Units
- ANSI/UL 429 Electrically Operated Valves
- ANSI/UL 430 [Electric] Waste Disposers
- ANSI/UL 443 Steel Auxiliary Tanks for Oil-Burner Fuel
- UL 444 Communications Cables
- ANSI/UL 448 Pumps for Fire-Protection Service
- ANSI/UL 464 Audible Signal Appliances
- ANSI/UL 465 Central Cooling Air Conditioners
- ANSI/UL 466 Electric Scales
- ANSI/UL 467 [Electrical] Grounding and Bonding Equipment
- ANSI/UL 469 Musical Instruments and Accessories
- ANSI/UL 471 Commercial Refrigerators and Freezers
- ANSI/UL 474 Dehumidifiers
- ANSI/UL 482 Portable Sun/Heat Lamps
- ANSI/UL 484 Room Air Conditioners
- ANSI/UL 486A Wire Connectors and Soldering Lugs for Use With Copper Conductors
- ANSI/UL 486B Wire Connectors for Use with Aluminum Conductors
- ANSI/UL 486C Splicing Wire Connectors
- ANSI/UL 486E Equipment Wiring Terminals for Use with Aluminum and/or Cooper Conductors
- ANSI/UL 489 Molded-Case Circuit Breakers and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures
- ANSI/UL 493 Thermoplastic-Insulated Underground Feeder and Branch-Circuit Cables
- ANSI/UL 496 Edison Base Lampholders
- ANSI/UL 497 Protectors for Communication Circuits
- UL 497A Secondary Protectors for Communication Circuits
- ANSI/UL 497B Protectors for Data Communication and Fire Alarm Circuits
- ANSI/UL 498 Attachment Plugs and Receptacles
- ANSI/UL 499 Electric Heating Appliances
- ANSI/UL 506 Specialty Transformers
- ANSI/UL 507 Electric Fans
- ANSI/UL 508 Electric Industrial Control Equipment
- ANSI/UL 508C Power Conversion Equipment
- ANSI/UL 510 Insulating Tape
- ANSI/UL 512 Fuseholders
- ANSI/UL 514A Metallic Outlet Boxes
- ANSI/UL 514B Fittings for Conduit and Outlet Boxes
- ANSI/UL 514C Nonmetallic Outlet Boxes, Flush-Device Boxes and Covers
- ANSI/UL 525 Flame Arresters for Use on Vents of Storage Tanks for Petroleum Oil and Gasoline
- ANSI/UL 541 Refrigerated Vending Machines
- ANSI/UL 542 Lampholders, Starters, and Starter Holders for Fluorescent Lamps
- UL 544 Electric Medical and Dental Equipment
- ANSI/UL 547 Thermal Protectors for Electric Motors
- ANSI/UL 551 Transformer-Type Arc-Welding Machines
- ANSI/UL 558 Industrial Trucks, Internal Combustion Engine-Powered
- ANSI/UL 559 Heat Pumps
- ANSI/UL 561 Floor-Finishing Machines
- ANSI/UL 563 Ice Makers
- ANSI/UL 567 Pipe Connectors for Flammable and Combustible Liquids and LP Gas
- ANSI/UL 574 Electric Oil Heaters
- ANSI/UL 583 Electric-Battery-Powered Industrial Trucks
- ANSI/UL 603 Power Supplies for Use with Burglar-Alarm Systems
- ANSI/UL 606 Linings and Screens for Use with Burglar-Alarm Systems
- ANSI/UL 609 Local Burglar-Alarm Units and Systems
- ANSI/UL 621 Ice Cream Makers
- ANSI/UL 626 2 1/2 Gallon Stored-Pressure, Water-Type Fire Extinguisher
- ANSI/UL 632 Electrically Actuated Transmitters
- ANSI/UL 634 Connectors and Switches for Use with Burglar-Alarm Systems
- ANSI/UL 639 Intrusion-Detection Units
- ANSI/UL 641 Low-Temperature Venting Systems, Type L
- ANSI/UL 644 Container Assemblies for LP-Gas
- ANSI/UL 651 Schedule 40 and 80 PVC Conduit
- ANSI/UL 651A Type EB and A Rigid PVC Conduit and HDPE Conduit
- UL 664 Commercial Dry-Cleaning Machines (Type IV)
- ⁽¹⁾ ANSI/UL 674 Electric Motors and Generators for Use in Hazardous Locations, Class I, Groups C and D, Class II, Groups E, F, and G
- ANSI/UL 676 Underwater Lighting Fixtures
- ⁽¹⁾ ANSI/UL 698 Industrial Control Equipment for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 705 Power Ventilators
- UL 710 Exhaust Hoods for Commercial Cooking Equipment
- ANSI/UL 711 Rating and Fire Testing of Fire Extinguishers
- ANSI/UL 719 Nonmetallic Sheathes Cables
- ANSI/UL 726 Oil-Fired Boiler Assemblies
- ANSI/UL 727 Oil-Fired Central Furnaces
- ANSI/UL 729 Oil-Fired Floor Furnaces
- ANSI/UL 730 Oil-Fired Wall Furnaces
- ANSI/UL 731 Oil-Fired Unit Heaters
- ANSI/UL 732 Oil-Fired Storage Tank Water Heaters
- UL 733 Oil-Fired Air Heaters and Direct-Fired Heaters
- UL 745-1 Portable Electric Tools
- UL 745-2-1 Particular Requirements of Drills
- UL 745-2-2 Particular Requirements for Screwdrivers and Impact Wrenches
- UL 745-2-3 Particular Requirements for Grinders, Polishers, and Disk-Type Sanders
- UL 745-2-4 Particular Requirements for Sanders
- UL 745-2-5 Particular Requirements for Circular Saws and Circular Knives
- UL 745-2-6 Particular Requirements for Hammers
- UL 745-2-8 Particular Requirements for Shears and Nibblers
- UL 745-2-9 Particular Requirements for Tappers

- UL 745-2-11 Particular Requirements for Reciprocating Saws
- UL 745-2-12 Particular Requirements for Concrete Vibrators
- UL 745-2-14 Particular Requirements for Planers
- UL 745-2-17 Particular Requirements for Routers and Trimmers
- UL 745-2-30 Particular Requirements for Staplers
- UL 745-2-31 Particular Requirements for Diamond Core Drills
- UL 745-2-32 Particular Requirements for Magnetic Drill Presses
- UL 745-2-33 Particular Requirements for Portable Bandsaws
- UL 745-2-34 Particular Requirements for Strapping Tools
- UL 745-2-35 Particular Requirements for Drain Cleaners
- UL 745-2-36 Particular Requirements for Hand Motor Tools
- UL 745-2-37 Particular Requirements for Plate Jointers
- ANSI/UL 746C Polymeric Materials—Use in Electrical Equipment Evaluations
- ANSI/UL 749 Household [Electric] Dishwashers
- ANSI/UL 751 Vending Machines
- ANSI/UL 756 Coin and Currency Changers and Actuators
- UL 763 Motor-Operated Commercial Food Preparing Machines
- ANSI/UL 773 Plug-In, Locking Type Photocontrols for Use with Area Lighting
- ANSI/UL 773A Nonindustrial Photoelectric Switches for Lighting Control
- UL 775 Graphic Arts Equipment
- ANSI/UL 778 Motor-Operated Water Pumps
- (1)ANSI/UL 781 Portable Electric Lighting Units for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- UL 795 Commercial-Industrial Gas-Heating Equipment
- ANSI/UL 796 Electrical Printed-Wiring Boards
- ANSI/UL 797 Electrical Metallic Tubing
- UL 810 Capacitors
- ANSI/UL 813 Commercial Audio Equipment
- ANSI/UL 814 Gas-Tube-Sign and Ignition Cable
- ANSI/UL 817 Cord Sets and Power-Supply Cords
- (1)ANSI/UL 823 Electric Heaters for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 826 Household Electric Clocks
- ANSI/UL 827 Central-Stations for Watchman, Fire-Alarm, and Supervisory Services
- ANSI/UL 834 Electric Heating, Water Supply, and Power Boilers
- ANSI/UL 842 Valves for Flammable Liquids
- (1)ANSI/UL 844 Electric Lighting Fixtures for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 845 Motor Control Centers
- ANSI/UL 854 Service-Entrance Cables
- ANSI/UL 857 Electric Busways and Associated Fittings
- ANSI/UL 858 Household Electric Ranges
- UL 858A Safety-Related Solid-State Controls for Household Electric Ranges
- ANSI/UL 859 Electrical Personal Grooming Appliances
- ANSI/UL 863 Time-Indicating and—Recording Appliances
- ANSI/UL 864 Control Units for Fire-Protective Signaling Systems
- ANSI/UL 867 Electrostatic Air Cleaners
- ANSI/UL 873 [Electrical] Temperature-Indicating and Regulating Equipment
- ANSI/UL 875 Electric Dry Bath Heaters
- (1)ANSI/UL 877 Circuit Breakers and Circuit-Breaker Enclosures for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 879 Electrode Receptacles for Gas-Tube Signs
- ANSI/UL 883 Fan-Coil Units and Room Fan-Heater Units
- ANSI/UL 884 Underfloor Raceways and Fittings
- (1)ANSI/UL 886 Outlet Boxes and Fittings for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 891 Dead-Front Electrical Switchboards
- (1)ANSI/UL 894 Switches for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 900 Test Performance of Air-Filter Units
- ANSI/UL 910 Test Method for Fire and Smoke Characteristics of Electrical and Optical-Fiber Cables Used in Air Handling Spaces
- ANSI/UL 913 Intrinsically Safe Apparatus and Associated Apparatus for Use in Class I, II, and III, Division 1, Hazardous Locations
- ANSI/UL 916 Energy Management Equipment
- ANSI/UL 917 Clock-Operated Switches
- ANSI/UL 921 Commercial Electric Dishwashers
- ANSI/UL 923 Microwave Cooking Appliances
- ANSI/UL 924 Emergency Lighting and Power Equipment
- ANSI/UL 935 Fluorescent-Lamp Ballasts
- ANSI/UL 943 Ground-Fault Circuit Interrupters
- ANSI/UL 961 Hobby and Sports Equipment
- ANSI/UL 964 Electrically Heated Bedding
- ANSI/UL 969 Marking and Labeling Systems
- ANSI/UL 977 Fuse Power-Circuit Devices
- ANSI/UL 982 Motor-Operated Household Food Preparing Machines
- ANSI/UL 983 Surveillance Camera Units
- ANSI/UL 984 Hermetic Refrigerant Motor-Compressors
- ANSI/UL 987 Stationary and Fixed Electric Tools
- UL 991 Safety-Related Controls Employing Solid-State Devices
- ANSI/UL 998 Humidifiers
- (1)ANSI/UL 1002 Electrically Operated Valves for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 1004 Electric Motors
- ANSI/UL 1005 Electric Flatirons
- ANSI/UL 1008 Automatic Transfer Switches
- ANSI/UL 1012 Power Supplies
- ANSI/UL 1017 Vacuum Cleaner Machines and Blower Cleaners
- ANSI/UL 1020 Thermal Cutoffs for Use in Electrical Appliances and Components
- UL 1022 Line Isolated Monitors
- ANSI/UL 1026 Electric Household Cooking and Food Serving Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1028 [Electric] Hair-Clipping and Shaving Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1029 High-Intensity Discharge Lamp Ballasts
- ANSI/UL 1030 Sheathed Heating Elements
- ANSI/UL 1037 Antitheft Alarms and Devices
- ANSI/UL 1042 Electric Baseboard Heating Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1047 Isolated Power Systems Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1054 Special-Use Switches
- UL 1059 [Electrical] Terminal Blocks
- ANSI/UL 1063 Machine-Tool Wires and Cables
- ANSI/UL 1066 Low-Voltage AC or DC Power Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures
- ANSI/UL 1069 Hospital Signaling and Nurse-Call System
- ANSI/UL 1072 Medium-Voltage Power Cables
- UL 1075 Gas Fired Cooling Appliances for Recreational Vehicles
- ANSI/UL 1076 Proprietary Burglar Alarm Units and Systems
- ANSI/UL 1077 Supplementary Protectors for Use in Electrical Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1081 [Electric] Swimming Pool Pumps, Filters, and Chlorinators
- ANSI/UL 1082 Household Electric Coffee Makers and Brewing-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1083 Household Electric Skillets and Frying-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1086 Household Trash Compactors
- ANSI/UL 1097 Double Insulation Systems for Use in Electrical Equipment
- (1)ANSI/UL 1203 Explosion-Proof and Dust-Ignition-Proof Electrical Equipment for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- UL 1206 Electrical Commercial Clothes-Washing Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1207 Sewage Pumps for Use in Hazardous [Class I only] (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 1230 Amateur Movie Lights
- ANSI/UL 1236 Electric Battery Chargers
- ANSI/UL 1238 Control Equipment for Use with Flammable Liquid Dispensing Devices
- UL 1240 Electric Commercial Clothes-Drying Equipment
- UL 1244 Electrical and Electronic Measuring and Testing Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1261 Electric Water Heaters for Pools and Tubs
- ANSI/UL 1262 Laboratory Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1270 Radio Receivers, Audio Systems, and Accessories
- ANSI/UL 1277 Electrical Power and Control Tray Cables with Optional Optical-Fiber Members
- ANSI/UL 1278 Movable and Wall- or Ceiling-Hung Electric Room Heaters
- ANSI/UL 1286 Office Furnishings
- ANSI/UL 1310 Direct Plug-In Transformer Units
- ANSI/UL 1313 Nonmetallic Safety Cans for Petroleum Products
- ANSI/UL 1316 Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Plastic Underground Storage Tanks for Petroleum Products
- UL 1323 Scaffold Hoists
- ANSI/UL 1409 Low-Voltage Video Products Without Cathode-Ray-Tube Displays
- ANSI/UL 1410 Television Receivers and High-Voltage Video Products
- ANSI/UL 1411 Transformers and Motor Transformers for Use in Audio-, Radio-, and Television-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1413 High-Voltage Components for Television-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1414 Across-the-Line, Antenna-Coupling, and Line-By-Pass Capacitors for Radio- and Television-Type Appliances

- ANSI/UL 1416 Overcurrent and Overtemperature Protectors for Radio- and Television-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1417 Special Fuses for Radio- and Television-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1418 Implosion-Protected Cathode-Ray Tubes for Television-Type Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1424 Cables for Power-Limited Alarm Circuits
- ANSI/UL 1433 Control Centers for Changing Message Type Electric Signs
- ANSI/UL 1436 Outlet Circuit Testers and Similar Indicating Devices
- UL 1437 Electrical Analog Instruments—Panel Board Types
- ANSI/UL 1438 Household Electric Drip-Type Coffee Makers
- ANSI/UL 1445 Electric Water Bed Heaters
- ANSI/UL 1446 Systems of Insulating Materials—General
- ANSI/UL 1447 Electric Lawn Mowers
- ANSI/UL 1448 Electric Hedge Trimmers
- UL 1449 Transient Voltage Surge Suppressors
- ANSI/UL 1450 Motor-Operated Air Compressors, Vacuum Pumps and Painting Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1453 Electric Booster and Commercial Storage Tank Water Heaters
- UL 1459 Telephone Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1480 Speakers for Fire Protective Signaling Systems
- ANSI/UL 1481 Power Supplies for Fire Protective Signaling Systems
- ANSI/UL 1492 Audio-Video Products and Accessories
- ANSI/UL 1557 Electrically Isolated Semiconductor Devices
- UL 1558 Metal-Enclosed Low-Voltage Power Circuit Breaker Switchgear
- ANSI/UL 1559 Insect-Control Equipment, Electrocuting Type
- ANSI/UL 1561 Large General Purpose transformers
- UL 1562 Transformers, Distribution, Dry-Type—Over 600 Volts
- ANSI/UL 1563 Electric Hot Tubs, Spas, and Associated Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1564 Industrial Battery Chargers
- ANSI/UL 1565 Wire Positioning Devices
- UL 1567 Receptacles and Switches for Use With Aluminum Wire
- ANSI/UL 1569 Metal-Clad Cables
- ANSI/UL 1570 Fluorescent Lighting Fixtures
- ANSI/UL 1571 Incandescent Lighting Fixtures
- ANSI/UL 1572 High Intensity Discharge Lighting Fixtures
- ANSI/UL 1573 Stage and Studio Lighting Units
- ANSI/UL 1574 Track Lighting Systems
- ANSI/UL 1577 Optical Isolaters
- ANSI/UL 1581 Reference Standard for Electrical Wires, Cables, and Flexible Cords
- ANSI/UL 1585 Class 2 and Class 3 Transformers
- ANSI/UL 1594 Sewing and Cutting Machines
- ¹ UL 1604 Electrical Equipment for Use in Class I and II, Division 2, and Class III Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- ANSI/UL 1610 Central-Station Burglar-Alarm Units
- ANSI/UL 1638 Visual Signaling Appliances
- UL 1640 Portable Power Distribution Units
- ANSI/UL 1647 Motor-Operated Massage and Exercise Machines
- UL 1660 Liquid-Tight Flexible Nonmetallic Conduit
- ANSI/UL 1662 Electric Chain Saws
- ANSI/UL 1664 Immersion-Detection Circuit-Interrupters
- ANSI/UL 1666 Standard Test for Flame Propagation Height of Electrical and Optical-Fiber Cables Installed Vertically in Shafts
- ANSI/UL 1673 Electric Space Heating Cables
- ANSI/UL 1676 Discharge Path Resistors
- ANSI/UL 1690 Data-Processing Cables
- ANSI/UL 1711 Amplifiers for Fire Protective Signaling Systems
- ANSI/UL 1727 Commercial Electric Personal Grooming Appliances
- UL 1738 Venting Systems for Gas-Burning Appliances, Categories II, III, and IV
- ANSI/UL 1778 Uninterruptible Power Supply Equipment
- UL 1795 Hydromassage Bathtubs
- UL 1812 Ducted Heat Recovery Ventilators
- UL 1815 Nonducted Heat Recovery Ventilators
- ANSI/UL 1876 Isolating Signal and Feedback Transformers for Use in Electronic Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1917 Solid-State Fan Speed Controls
- ANSI/UL 1950 Information Technology Equipment Including Electrical Business Equipment
- UL 1993 Self-Ballasted Lamps and Lamp Adapters
- UL 1994 Low-Level Path Marking and Lighting Systems
- UL 1995 Heating and Cooling Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1996 Duct Heaters
- UL 2021 Fixed and Location-Dedicated Electric Room Heaters
- ANSI/UL 2044 Commercial Closed Circuit Television Equipment
- ANSI/UL 2097 Double Insulation Systems for Use in Electronic Equipment
- UL 2601-1 Medical Electrical Equipment, Part 1: General Requirements for Safety
- UL 3044 Surveillance Closed Circuit Television Equipment
- UL 3101-1 Electrical Equipment for Laboratory Use; Part 1: General
- UL 3111-1 Electrical Measuring and Test Equipment, Part 1: General
- ANSI/UL 6500 Audio/Visual and Musical Instrument Apparatus for Household, Commercial, and Similar General Use
- UL 8730-1 Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 1: General
- UL 8730-2-4 Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Thermal Motor Protectors for Motor Compressors or Hermetic and Semi-Hermetic Type
- UL 8730-2-7 Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Timers and Time Switches
- UL 8730-2-8 Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Electrically Operated Water Valves
- ¹ Testing and certification of products under this test standard is limited to Class I locations. See also general note and condition for hazardous location testing.
- Note 1**—All safety testing for Class I locations is limited to recognized ITSNA sites properly pre-qualified by ITSNA. See “Limitations.”
- Note 2**—Testing and certification of gas operated equipment is limited to equipment for use with “liquefied petroleum gas.”
- The designations and titles of the above test standards were current at the time of the preparation of this notice. They may differ from those that OSHA used in the original recognition of the test standards published in the **Federal Register**. In addition, OSHA had recognized ITSNA for ASTM E152, ASTM E163, and a few other standards that the standards organization has withdrawn or replaced. ITSNA has substituted alternative standards where possible, and these are listed above.
- In their report on the recognitions, the NRTL Program staff recommended certain limitations on intrinsic testing that will apply to all hazardous location testing. These limitations are described partly in the note above and more fully under *Limitations* below. These limitations will apply to the renewal of recognition of the above test standards.
- Expansion of NRTL Recognition**
- Expansion of Recognition—Additional Facilities*
- ITSNA requests recognition of the 4 additional sites listed above. OSHA’s recognition of the Los Angeles, Minneapolis, and Totowa sites will be limited to performing testing to the test standards for which the site has the proper capability and control programs. In addition, OSHA will not recognize these three sites for authorizing certifications under the NRTL Program. OSHA intends to recognize the Madison site for performing testing to a limited number of test standards, but also for authorizing the “WHI” certifications under the Program. However, as previously noted, OSHA intends to impose certain limitations on the testing that can be performed at ITSNA’s sites, and in general, to the testing permitted under some of the test standards. The expansion will also permit ITSNA to conduct activities that meet the criteria of the specific programs for which ITSNA seeks recognition.
- Expansion of Recognition—Additional Test Standards*
- ITSNA seeks recognition for testing and certification of products to demonstrate compliance with the following 112 test standards, and OSHA has determined the standards are appropriate, as prescribed by 29 CFR 1910.7(c). OSHA recognition of any NRTL for a particular test standard is limited to products for which OSHA standards require third party testing and

- certification before use in the workplace.
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.013 AC High-Voltage Generator Circuit Breakers Rated on a Symmetrical Current Basis
- ² ANSI C37.17 Trip Devices for AC and General Purpose DC Low-Voltage Power Circuit Breakers
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.18 Enclosed Field Discharge Circuit Breakers for Rotating Electric Machinery
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.21 Control Switchboards
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.29 Low-Voltage AC Power Circuit Protectors Used in Enclosures
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.38 Gas-Insulated, Metal-Enclosed Disconnecting, Interrupter and Grounding Switches
- ² ANSI C37.46 Power Fuses and Fuse Disconnecting Switches
- ² ANSI C37.50 Low-Voltage AC Power Circuit Breakers Used in Enclosures—Test Procedures
- ² ANSI C37.51 Metal-Enclosed Low-Voltage AC Power Circuit-Breaker Switchgear Assemblies—Conformance Test Procedures
- ² ANSI C37.55 Metal-Clad Switchgear Assemblies—Conformance Test Procedures
- ² ANSI C37.57 Metal-Enclosed Interrupter Switchgear Assemblies—Conformance Testing
- ² ANSI/IEEE C37.90 Relays and Relay Systems Associated with Electric Power Apparatus
- ² ANSI C37.121 Unit Substations—Requirements
- ² ANSI/IEEE C57.12.00 Distribution, Power and Regulating Transformers—General Requirements
- ² ANSI/IEEE C57.13 Instrument Transformers—Requirements
- ² ANSI/IEEE C57.13.2 Instrument Transformers—Conformance Test Procedures
- ² ANSI/IEEE C62.11 Metal-Oxide Surge Arresters for AC Power Circuits
- ANSI K61.1 Storage and Handling of Anhydrous Ammonia (CGA G-2.1)
- ANSI/ISA S82.01 Electrical and Electronic Test, Measuring, Control and Related Equipment: General Requirements
- ANSI/ISA S82.03 Electrical and Electronic Process Measuring and Control Equipment
- ANSI Z21.24 Metal Connectors for Gas Appliances
- ANSI Z21.44 Gas-Fired Gravity and Fan-Type Direct Vent Wall Furnaces
- ANSI Z21.50 Vented Decorative Gas Appliances
- ANSI Z21.57 Recreational Vehicle Cooking Gas Appliances
- ANSI Z21.58 Outdoor Cooking Gas Appliances
- ANSI Z21.60 Decorative Gas Appliances for Installation in Solid-Fuel Burning Fireplaces
- ANSI Z21.72 Portable Camp Cook Stoves for Use With Propane Gas
- ANSI Z83.6 Gas-Fired Infrared Heaters
- ANSI Z83.7 Gas-Fired Construction Heater
- UL 5A Nonmetallic Surface Raceways and Fittings
- ANSI/UL 8 Foam Fire Extinguishers
- ANSI/UL 123 Oxy-Fuel Gas Torches
- ANSI/UL 180 Liquid-Level Indicating Gauges and Tank-Filling Signals for Petroleum Products
- ANSI/UL 217 Single and Multiple Station Smoke Detectors
- UL 218 Fire Pump Controllers
- UL 228 Door Closers-Holders, and Integral Smoke Detectors
- ANSI/UL 234 Low Voltage Lighting Fixtures for Use in Recreational Vehicles
- ANSI/UL 248-1 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 1: General Requirements
- ANSI/UL 248-2 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 2: Class C Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-3 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 3: Class CA and CB Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-4 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 4: Class CC Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-5 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 5: Class G Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-6 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 6: Class H Non-Renewable Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-7 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 7: Class H Renewable Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-8 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 8: Class J Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-9 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 9: Class K Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-10 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 10: Class L Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-11 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 11: Plug Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-12 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 12: Class R Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-13 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 13: Semiconductor Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-14 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 14: Supplemental Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-15 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 15: Class T Fuses
- ANSI/UL 248-16 Low-Voltage Fuses—Part 16: Test Limiters
- ANSI/NEMA 250 Enclosures for Electrical Equipment
- UL 252A Compressed Gas Regulator Accessories
- UL 300 Fire Testing of Fire Extinguishing Systems for Protection of Restaurant Cooking Areas
- UL 307B Gas Burning Heating Appliances for Manufactured Homes and Recreational Vehicles
- ANSI/UL 391 Solid-Fuel and Combination-Fuel Control and Supplementary Furnaces
- ANSI/UL 588 Christmas-Tree and Decorative-Lighting Outfits
- UL 635 Insulating Bushings
- ANSI/UL 668 Hose Valves For Fire Protection Service
- ANSI/UL 696 Electric Toys
- ANSI/UL 697 Toy Transformers
- UL762 Power Ventilators for Restaurant Appliances
- ANSI/UL 783 Electric Flashlights and Lanterns for Use in Hazardous [Class I only] (Classified) Locations
- UL 791 Residential Incinerators
- ANSI/UL 870 Wireways, Auxiliary Gutters, and Associated Fittings
- UL 962 Household and Commercial Furnishings
- ANSI/UL 1018 Electric Aquarium Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1023 Household Burglar-Alarm System Units
- ANSI/UL 1090 Electric Snow Movers
- ANSI/UL 1247 Diesel Engines for Driving Centrifugal Fire Pumps
- UL 1248 Engine-Generator Assemblies for Use in Recreational Vehicles
- ANSI/UL 1283 Electromagnetic-Interference Filter
- UL 1363 Relocatable Power Taps
- ANSI/UL 1419 Professional Video and Audio Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1431 Personal Hygiene and Health Care Appliances
- ANSI/UL 1472 Solid-State Dimming Controls
- ANSI/UL 1482 Solid Fuel Room Type Heaters
- ANSI/UL 1484 Residential Gas Detectors
- ANSI/UL 1635 Digital Burglar Alarm Communicator System Units
- ANSI/UL 1651 Optical Fiber Cable
- UL 1693 Electric Radiant Heating Panels and Heating Panel Sets
- UL 1694 Tests for Flammability of Small Polymeric Component
- ANSI/UL 1703 Flat Plate Photovoltaic Modules and Panels
- ANSI/UL 1740 Industrial Robots and Robotic Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1773 Termination Boxes
- ANSI/UL 1776 High-Pressure Cleaning Machines
- ANSI/UL 1786 Nightlights
- UL 1821 Thermoplastic Sprinkler Pipe and Fittings for Fire Protection
- UL 1838 Low Voltage Landscape Lighting Systems
- UL 1863 Communication Circuit Accessories
- ANSI/UL 1889 Commercial Filters for Cooking Oil
- UL 1951 Electric Plumbing Accessories
- ANSI/UL 1963 Refrigerant Recovery/Recycling Equipment
- ANSI/UL 1971 Signaling Devices for the Hearing Impaired
- UL 1977 Component Connectors for Use in Data, Signal, Control and Power Applications
- ANSI/UL 1981 Central Station Automation Systems
- UL 2024 Optical Fiber Cable Raceway
- UL 2034 Single and Multiple Station Carbon Monoxide Detectors
- ANSI/UL 2083 Halon 1301 Recovery/Recycling Equipment
- ANSI/UL 2096 Commercial/Industrial Gas and/or Gas Fired Heating Assemblies with Emission Reduction Equipment
- UL 2106 Field Erected Boiler Assemblies
- ANSI/UL 2157 Electric Clothes Washing Machines and Extractors
- ANSI/UL 2158 Electric Clothes Dryers
- UL 2250 Instrumentation Tray Cable
- (¹) FMRC 3600 Electrical Equipment for Use in Hazardous (Classified) Locations, General Requirements
- (¹) FMRC 3610 Intrinsically Safe Apparatus and Associated Apparatus for Use in Class I, II and III, Division 1 Hazardous (Classified) Locations
- (¹) FMRC 3611 Electrical Equipment for Use in Class I, Division 2; Class II, Division 2; and Class III, Division 1 and 2 Hazardous Locations
- FMRC 3615 Explosionproof Electrical Equipment, General Requirements
- UL 8730-2-3 Automatic Electrical Controls for Household and Similar Use; Part 2: Particular Requirements for Thermal Motor Protectors for Ballasts for Tubular Fluorescent Lamps
- (¹) Testing and certification of products under this test standard is limited to Class I

locations. See also general note and condition for hazardous location testing.

(?) These standards are approved for equipment or materials intended for use in commercial and industrial power system applications. These standards are not approved for equipment or materials intended for use in installations that are excluded by the provisions of Subpart S in 29 CFR 1910, in particular Section 1910.302(b)(2).

Note 1—All safety testing for Class I locations is limited to recognized ITSNA sites properly pre-qualified by ITSNA. See "Limitations."

Note 2—Testing and certification of gas operated equipment is limited to equipment for use with "liquefied petroleum gas."

As previously noted, in their recommendation on the recognitions, the NRTL Program staff recommended certain limitations on intrinsic testing, partly described in the note above and more fully under *Limitations* below. These limitations will also apply to the expansion of recognition for the above additional test standards.

Expansion of Recognition—Programs and Procedures

ITSNA has applied to use the following supplemental programs and procedures, based upon the criteria detailed in the March 9, 1995 **Federal Register** notice (60 FR 12980, 3/9/95). This notice lists nine (9) programs and procedures (collectively, programs), eight of which an NRTL may use to control and audit, but not actually to generate, the data relied upon for product certification. An NRTL's initial recognition will always include the first or basic program, which requires that all product testing and evaluation be performed in-house by the NRTL that will certify the product. The on-site review report indicates that ITSNA appears to meet the criteria for use of all the following supplemental programs and procedures, for which it has applied:

1. Program 2: Acceptance of testing data from independent organizations, other than NRTLs.
2. Program 3: Acceptance of product evaluations from independent organizations, other than NRTLs.
3. Program 4: Acceptance of witnessed testing data.
4. Program 5: Acceptance of testing data from non-independent organizations.
5. Program 6: Acceptance of evaluation data from non-independent organizations (requiring NRTL review prior to marketing).
6. Program 7: Acceptance of continued certification following minor modifications by the client.
7. Program 8: Acceptance of product evaluations from organizations that

function as part of the International Electrotechnical Commission Certification Body (IEC-CB) Scheme.

8. Program 9: Acceptance of services other than testing or evaluation performed by subcontractors or agents.

Impacts on ITSNA Independence

Section 1910.7(b)(3) requires that the NRTL be completely independent of employers subject to the tested equipment requirements, and of any manufacturers or vendors of equipment or materials ["products"] being tested for these purposes. In complying with this requirement, an NRTL must not be affiliated with manufacturers or vendors ("suppliers") of the products the NRTL may test and certify.

According to the on-site review report for the Cortland facilities, ITSNA currently owns Design Engineering, a manufacturer of laboratory test equipment. If ITSNA were to certify the type of products manufactured or sold by Design Engineering, then ITSNA would not meet the requirement in 29 CFR 1910.7 for complete independence. Also, ITSNA's apparent parent company is Intertek Testing Services, Ltd. (ITSLtd). If ITSNA were to certify a type of product for an entity owned by ITSLtd, and that entity is also a supplier of that type of product, then ITSNA would not be "completely independent." The NRTL Program staff believes that such situations can occur due to the large number of products for which OSHA has recognized ITSNA and the possible current or future interests of ITSLtd. Although ITSNA may not directly own or be owned by such an entity, both are fully within the same organization. Mere legal separation of the entities does not suffice for purposes of meeting the requirement for complete independence.

Conditions

Due to the foregoing, OSHA intends to impose the following condition on the renewal and expansion of recognition of ITSNA to mitigate or eliminate situations that will cause it to fail to meet the independence requirement of 29 CFR 1910.7. This condition applies solely to ITSNA's operations as an NRTL, and will be in addition to any other condition that OSHA normally imposes in its recognition of an organization as an NRTL.

ITSNA may not test and certify any products for a client that is a manufacturer or vendor, and that is either owned in excess of 2% by ITSLtd, or affiliated organizationally with ITSNA, including Design Engineering.

Limitations

The following limitations will apply solely to ITSNA's operations as an NRTL.

1. ITSNA may perform safety testing for hazardous location products only at the specific ITSNA sites that OSHA has recognized, and that have been pre-qualified by the ITSNA Chief Engineer. In addition, all safety test reports for hazardous location products must undergo a documented review and approval at the Cortland testing facility by a test engineer qualified in hazardous location safety testing, prior to ITSNA's initial or continued authorization of the certifications covered by these reports.

2. ITSNA may use the Vancouver, Pittsburg, and proposed Madison sites to perform testing and certification only of the products included within the scope of the following 3 test standards: UL 9 Fire Tests of Window Assemblies UL10B Fire Tests of Door Assemblies UL10C Positive Pressure Fire Tests of Door Assemblies

In addition, only these three sites may authorize the use of the WHI certification mark or certifications.

3. Only the Cortland certification office may authorize the use of the ETL certification mark or certifications.

Preliminary Finding

ITSNA has submitted acceptable requests for renewal and expansion of its recognition as an NRTL. In connection with the renewal and the use of the programs, OSHA has performed an on-site review (evaluation) of the Cortland, New York, facilities. OSHA also performed an on-site review (evaluation) of the four additional facilities for which ITSNA seeks recognition. ITSNA has addressed the discrepancies noted by the auditors following the review, and the auditors included the resolution in the on-site review reports (see Exhibits 31A–31E).

Following a review of the application file, the on-site review report, and other pertinent information, the NRTL Program staff has concluded that OSHA can grant, to ITSNA: (1) the renewal for the 8 sites and the test standards listed above, and (2) the expansion for the additional 112 test standards, 4 sites, and 8 programs, with the above limitations and conditions to be applied as noted. The staff therefore recommended to the Assistant Secretary that the application be preliminarily approved.

Based upon the recommendations of the staff, the Assistant Secretary has made a preliminary finding that Intertek Testing Services, NA, Inc., can meet the requirements as prescribed by 29 CFR

1910.7 for the renewal and expansion of recognition, subject to the above conditions and limitations. This preliminary finding does not constitute an interim or temporary approval of the applications for ITSNA.

OSHA welcomes public comments, in sufficient detail, as to whether ITSNA has met the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.7 for the renewal and expansion of its recognition as a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory. Your comment should consist of pertinent written documents and exhibits. To consider it, OSHA must receive the comment at the address provided above (see ADDRESSES), no later than the last date for comments (see DATES above). You may obtain or review copies of ITSNA's applications, the on-site review reports, and all submitted comments, as received, by contacting the Docket Office, Room N2625, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, at the above address. You should refer to Docket No. NRTL-1-89, the permanent record of public information on ITSNA's recognition.

The NRTL Program staff will review all timely comments, and after resolution of issues raised by these comments, will recommend whether to grant ITSNA's renewal and expansion requests. The Assistant Secretary will make the final decision on granting the renewal and expansion, and in making this decision, may undertake other proceedings that are prescribed in Appendix A to 29 CFR Section 1910.7. OSHA will publish a public notice of this final decision in the **Federal Register**.

Signed at Washington, D.C. this 17th day of November, 1998.

Charles N. Jeffress,
Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. NRTL-2-90]

SGS U. S. Testing Company Inc., Correction of Recognition

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice corrects the renewal and expansion of recognition recently granted to SGS U.S. Testing Company Inc.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This correction becomes effective on December 17, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bernard Pasquet, NRTL Program, Office of Technical Programs and Coordination Activities, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room N3653, Washington, D.C. 20210, or phone (202) 219-7056.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Notice of Final Decision

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is correcting the renewal and expansion of recognition granted to SGS U.S. Testing Company Inc. (SGS), on August 28, 1998 (see 463 FR 6084). OSHA recognizes an organization as an NRTL, and processes applications related to such recognitions, following requirements in Section 1910.7 of Title 29, Code of Federal Regulations (29 CFR 1910.7), and in Appendix A to this section. This correction notice falls outside the requirements of this section, and will be the only notice that OSHA will publish on this matter.

The current addresses of the two sites which OSHA has recognized for SGS are: SGS U.S. Testing Company Inc., 555 Telegraph Road, Los Angeles, California 90040; SGS U.S. Testing Company Inc., 291 Fairfield Avenue, Fairfield, New Jersey 07004.

In the August 28 notice, OSHA renewed the recognition of the SGS site in Los Angeles, which had received its original recognition under the name U.S. Testing Company, Inc., California Division. OSHA also expanded the recognition of SGS to include the additional site located in Fairfield, and an additional 5 test standards. However, OSHA recognized the Fairfield site only for these 5 test standards, since they were part of the application for this site, and renewed the recognition of the Los Angeles site only for the 16 test standards of the original recognition.

Such a "site-specific" recognition of test standards is inconsistent with the recognition that OSHA has granted to other NRTLs that operate multiple sites. For these NRTLs, OSHA generally recognizes the NRTL for the test standards for which it is qualified, and the NRTL may then use a site to perform product testing and certifications only to the test standards for which the site has the proper capability and programs. OSHA does not limit recognition of a site to particular test standards unless that site's capability is limited. In the case of SGS, OSHA did not intend to impose a site-specific limitation, but

just granted what it believed SGS had requested.

Just prior to publication of the August 28 notice, SGS informed OSHA that it had intended to request recognition of its existing and the additional standards for both the Los Angeles and Fairfield sites. SGS also inquired about the possibility of changing the notice, however the deadline for changing the notice had passed. The NRTL Program staff did review the application and the on-site review report to confirm that a site-specific limitation was not necessary.

SGS has formally requested, in a letter dated September 3, 1998 (see Exhibit 12), that OSHA correct the August 28 notice. The NRTL Program staff has determined that the site-specific recognition of the test standards is due to the way that SGS submitted its request for the expansion, and not due to any apparent lack of capability or other factor that would warrant a limitation. The staff therefore recommended to the Assistant Secretary that OSHA correct the recognition of SGS to reflect that it is recognized for 21 test standards and not for particular standards at each site. However, the staff recommendation includes the condition that SGS use a site to perform testing and certifications only to the test standards for which the site has the proper capability and programs.

Based on the recommendation of the staff, the Assistant Secretary is correcting the recognition of SGS to reflect that it is recognized for 21 test standards and not for particular standards at each site. This correction is subject to the above condition recommended by staff. All other terms and conditions of SGS' recognition as an NRTL remain the same.

For information purposes, the 21 test standards are relisted below.

ANSI/UL 1 Flexible Metal Conduit
ANSI/UL 3 Flexible Nonmetallic Tubing for Electric Wiring
ANSI/UL 94 Tests for Flammability of Plastic Materials for Parts in Devices and Appliances
ANSI/UL 250 Household Refrigerators and Freezers
ANSI/UL 514A Metallic Outlet Boxes, Electrical
UL 544 Electric Medical and Dental Equipment
ANSI/UL 632 Electrically Actuated Transmitters
ANSI/UL 751 Vending Machines
ANSI/UL 913 Intrinsically Safe Apparatus and Associated Apparatus for Use in Class I, II, and III, Division I, Hazardous (Classified) Locations
ANSI/UL 1012 Power Supplies
UL 1236 Electric Battery Chargers
UL 1270 Radio Receivers, Audio Systems, and Accessories