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SLEEVES OF INSULATING MATERIAL FOR LIVE WORKING

ULC is pleased to announce the publication of CAN/ULC-60984-08 (CEI/IEC 60984:1990+A1: 2002, MOD), Second Edition of Sleeves of Insulating Material for Live Working. This Standard has been approved by the ULC Committee on Live Working, and has been published under the date of October 2008.

This is an adoption, with Canadian Deviations, of the International Electrotechnical Commission CEI/IEC 60984:1990+A1:2002.

This National Standard of Canada is applicable to insulating sleeves for the protection of workers from accidental contact with live electrical conductors, apparatus or circuits..

Five classes of sleeve, differing in electrical characteristics, are provided and designated as: Class 0, Class 1, Class 2, Class 3 and Class 4.

Five categories of sleeve with different properties are provided, related to the following: resistance to acid, resistance to oil, resistance to ozone, combined resistance to oil and ozone, and also resistance to extreme low temperature. These are designated as Categories A, H, Z, S and C respectively.

Two styles of sleeve, differing in configuration, are provided and designated as straight taper and curved elbow.

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This standard can be ordered for \$271.20 CAN (Hardcopy) from the ULC website (<u>www.ulc.ca</u>) ULC online store.

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