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Reaffirmation to Standard

Fourth Edition of CAN/ULC-S503-05, including Amendments 1 and 2

CARBON-DIOXIDE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

ULC Standards is pleased to announce the release of the reaffirmation of the Fourth Edition of CAN/ULC-S503-05, Carbon-Dioxide Fire Extinguishers including Amendments 1 and 2. The reaffirmation of this Standard has been approved by the ULC Committee on Portable Fire Extinguishers.

CAN/ULC-S503-05, including Amendments 1 and 2 will be of interest to anyone who manufactures, distributes, uses, regulates or inspects fire extinguishers. These requirements cover the construction and performance, exclusive of performance during fire tests, of portable carbon-dioxide fire extinguishers. Carbon-dioxide fire extinguishers are intended to be utilized in accordance with the Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers, NFPA 10 and the National Fire Code of Canada. The requirements for performance during fire testing of carbon-dioxide fire extinguishers are specified in the Binational Standard for Rating and Fire Testing of Fire Extinguishers, ANSI/UL 711 CAN/ULC-S508.

The reaffirmation of this Standard includes some editorial changes and clarifications. Should you require any additional information, please contact Mark Ramlochan at (613) 755-2729 Ext. 6222 or email: Mark.Ramlochan@ca.ul.com.

The reaffirmation of this Standard can be ordered for \$227.00 though our website at www.ul.com/canada and selecting *ULC Standards*. Once at the *ULC Standards* page, select *Sales of ULC Standards Materials*.

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