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Interim Changes to Second Edition ULC-S545-02

STANDARD FOR RESIDENTIAL FIRE WARNING SYSTEM CONTROL UNITS

The ULC Standards Subcommittee on Control Units for Fire Alarm Systems (ULC-S500F/SC2) and the ULC Working Group on Residential Fire Warning Systems (ULC-WG-S540/545) have endorsed an interim change to ULC-S545-02 to allow an alternate evaluation criteria in accordance with clauses 8.4.2, "Enclosure Strength and Integrity" and 8.16, "Spacings", in CAN/ULC-S527-11, "Standard for Control Units for Fire Alarm Systems". This is in lieu of requirements of Clause 5.19, "Spacings", in ULC-S545-02, "Residential Fire Warning System Control Units".

Pending the publication of the Third Edition of CAN/ULC-S545, Standard for Residential Warning System Control Units, these alternate criteria may be used for product evaluation. Product may be evaluated to the existing criteria in accordance with Clause 5.19, Spacings, in ULC-S545-02 or to Clause 8.4.2, Enclosure Strength and Integrity and Clause 8.16, Spacings, in CAN/ULC-S527-11, "Standard for Control Units for Fire Alarm Systems".

This update is to align certain provisions of ULC-S545-02 as closely as practicable with CAN/ULC-S527-11, Standard for Control Units for Fire Alarm System, where the standards meet the same intent.

This planned interim change will be effective immediately until the date of publication of the Third Edition of CAN/ULC-S545 as a National Standard of Canada which is scheduled in the work program for 2014.

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