WIRE AND CABLE

cUL Certification and Associated Testing Services for Decorative Lighting Products

New CSA Standard Published in December 2014

The fifth edition of CSA C22.2 No. 37 for decorative lighting products was published in December 2014. UL is equipped with the necessary expertise and testing capabilities for certification to the new CSA standard.

Area of Focus	Previous CSA Standard	New CSA Standard
Wire Gauge	Indoor 20 AWG Outdoor 18 AWG	Indoor 22 AWG Outdoor 22 AWG
Fuse	Not Required	Shall Be Provided In The Plug
Enclosure Material	Min. V-2 For Lampholder; No UV Rating Requirement	Min. V-1 For Lampholder, UV Rating Required
Marking	Simple	More Details And Similar To UL 588

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Brand owners, retailers and product manufacturers who obtain the cUL or cUL Recognized Component certification for their product(s) will benefit from competitive pricing for the full service scope, including new work, follow-up inspection services (FUS), label services, and annual maintenance.

Products with the cUL certification are automatically protected under UL's valuable Anti-Counterfeiting Program, with an experienced team of law enforcement professionals dedicated to working with global customs agencies and law enforcement authorities to combat counterfeiting activities. This helps ensure a fair and competitive marketplace for customers, and the delivery of safe products to consumers.

Program Benefits

- Competitive pricing for full service scope, including new work, follow-up inspection services (FUS), label services, and annual maintenance
- Global brand protection under UL's Anti-Counterfeiting Program
- Backed by UL thought leadership, some compliance requirements under the new CSA standard were pioneered by UL 588
- Seamless support from experienced engineers and technical experts locally, as well as in your target market(s)
- Comprehensive follow-up (FUS) and market surveillance program help ensure a compliant supply chain and fair, competitive market
- Reduce time and cost by integrating with other global testing and certification requirements under UL's one-stop solution service for both end-products and components

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