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RE: INTERTEK'S ETL CERTIFICATION MARK

The ETL Mark is a product certification issued by Intertek that demonstrates a product's compliance to applicable standards. These standards, published by organizations such as ANSI, UL, CSA, ASTM, NFPA and others, are most often safety-related, but they can also be performance-related as well.

A product that bears the ETL mark has been independently tested by a 3rd-party laboratory and meets the requirements of the standard. It also indicates that the product's manufacturer is subject to ongoing inspections at its production facilities to ensure continued compliance.

The history of ETL dates back to 1896 when it was originally founded by the famous American inventor, Thomas Edison, as the Lamp Testing Bureau within the Edison Illuminating Companies. In 1904 it was renamed Electrical Testing Laboratories (ETL) and was used by manufacturers to ensure the safety and performance of their electrical products. For more than a century the company expanded into new industries and product categories, increased its scope of capabilities and accreditations, merged with and acquired complementary laboratories, and ultimately became one of the world's leading Safety & Quality solutions providers as part of Intertek Group, a publicly traded company listed on the London Stock Exchange (LSE: ITRK).

Today, Intertek is a worldwide leader in product testing, inspection and certification with more than 1,000 offices and laboratories around the world. The company maintains accreditations and recognitions by A2LA, ANSI, OSHA, SCC, IECEE, NIST, CNAL, KETI and many other global organizations that enable us to provide testing and certification services. In addition to the ETL certification for North America, Intertek can also provide clients the S, GS, and CE Marks in Europe, the NOM Mark for Mexico, and other regional and country-specific certifications and safety/performance approvals.

The ETL Certification mark is recognized by retailers, distributors, and Authorities Having Jurisdiction (such as electrical inspectors, fire marshals and building code inspectors) and millions of products bearing the ETL Mark are sold across the US and Canada each year. To search for specific products by manufacturer's name, model, or standard number, visit our ETL Directory of Listed Products at www.intertek.com/ETLdirectory.

Or, to learn more about the ETL certification program overall, visit www.intertek.com/ETL.

Regards,

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