



Subjects 1978 and 2221

December 22, 2006

To: Subscribers to UL's Follow-up Service for Grease Duct Enclosures (YYET),
Batts and Blankets (HNMF), and Grease Ducts (HNOB).

Subject: Announcement of Revised Requirements for Batts and Blankets (HNMF) and
Grease Ducts (HNOB) and the Withdrawal of Grease Duct Enclosures
(YYET) Category

Effective January 1, 2009, the requirements for certification of products Classified in Categories, HNMF (Batts and Blankets) and HNOB (Grease Ducts) will be revised. ASTM E2336-04, the *Standard Test Methods for Fire Resistive Grease Duct Enclosure Systems* will be added for products certified in category HNMF and UL 2221, *Tests of Fire Resistive Duct Enclosure Assemblies* will be the only standard for certifying products in category HNOB.

Also effective on January 1, 2009, the products currently Classified in Category YYET (Grease Duct Enclosures) will be transferred to either Category HNMF or Category HNOB and Category YYET will be withdrawn.

Adjunct to the basic standards in Categories HNMF and HNOB, UL will continue to identify products that comply with requirements published in the ICBO Evaluation Services, Inc. *Acceptance Criteria for Grease Duct Enclosure Systems* dated April 2001 and the SBCCI Public Safety Testing and Evaluation Services Inc. *Evaluation Guide on Fire Resistance Construction (Flexible Duct Wrap Enclosure Systems)*, dated January 1, 1998.

The basis for these revised requirements is in response to revisions to the 2003 International Mechanical Code and the publication of the 2006 International Mechanical Code.

To facilitate the implementation of these revised requirements, an Industry File Review will be initiated. You will be receiving additional information explaining the Industry File Review in the near future.

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To: Parties Interested in Grease Duct Enclosure Systems
From: Michael Beaton, P.E.
Date: November 30, 2007
Subject: Cancellation date for legacy reports on grease duct enclosure systems not complying with AC101, ASTM E 2336 or UL 2221

MEMO

The purpose of this memo is to provide notification that effective January 1, 2009, grease duct enclosure systems recognized in ICC-ES evaluation reports will be required to comply with the ICC-ES Acceptance Criteria for Grease Duct Enclosure Systems (AC101), ASTM E 2336 or UL 2221. Systems recognized in a legacy evaluation report that do not comply with those requirements will be deleted from the evaluation report.

Report holders wishing to continue recognition of the systems currently recognized only under UL 1978 will need to submit data showing compliance with the above-noted requirements by July 1, 2008, to ensure sufficient time for ICC-ES to review the data and revise the evaluation report prior to the January 1, 2009, deadline.

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Certification Update Notification

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Re: UL 1978 Listings for Grease Duct Enclosure Materials

As your certification body we are providing this notification that all Intertek Listings for duct wrap type materials must be revised/updated to comply with UL 2221 or ASTM E2336 as appropriate. As of the effective date noted below, all Listing references to UL 1978 will be withdrawn unless the grease duct is manufactured and supplied as a complete system.

We urge you to contact your Intertek engineering office or Account Manager to take the appropriate action.

Standards Affected	Effective Date of Revised Requirements	New/Revised Requirements
UL 1978	January 1, 2009	<u>Certification of Duct Wrap Type Materials</u>

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

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