

## STANDARD INFORMATION

**Standard Number:** ANSI Z21.88 / CSA 2.33  
**Standard Name:** Vented Gas Fireplace Heaters  
**Standard Edition and Issue Date:** 7<sup>th</sup> Edition Dated November 1, 2016  
**Date of Revision:** November 1, 2016  
**Date of Previous Revision of Standard:** 6<sup>th</sup> Edition Revised March 1, 2015

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF NEW/REVISED REQUIREMENTS

**Effective Date:** **December 1, 2018**

## IMPACT, OVERVIEW, AND ACTION REQUIRED

**Impact Statement:** A review of all Listing Reports is necessary to determine which products comply with new/revised requirements and which products will require re-evaluation. **NOTE:** Effective immediately, this revised standard will be exclusively used for evaluation of new products unless the Applicant requests in writing that current requirements be used along with their understanding that their listings will be withdrawn on Effective Date noted above, unless the product is found to comply with new/revised requirements.

**Overview of Changes:** Revised Construction, Marking and Testing requirements. Specific details of new/revised requirements are found in table below.

**If the applicable requirements noted in the table are not described in your report(s), these requirements will need to be confirmed as met and added to your report(s) such as markings, instructions, test results, etc. (as required).**

### Client Action Required:

**Information** – To assist our Engineer with review of your Listing Reports, please submit technical information in response to the new/revised paragraphs noted in the attached or explain why these new/revised requirements do not apply to your product (s).

***Current Listings Not Active? – Please immediately identify any current Listing Reports or products that are no longer active and should be removed from our records. We will do this at no charge as long as Intertek is notified in writing prior to the review of your reports.***



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CLAUSE	VERDICT	COMMENT
4.1.7		Amend clause to clarify that the protective barrier may be shipped separately from the appliance.
4.7.12, 4.9.5		Amend clauses to require the replacement of the word “LP” with “propane “on the appliance marking label. All convertible direct vent appliances will require revised markings.
4.10.1		Amend clause to allow the use of controls Certified to 60730-2-5 instead of C22.2 no.199. The use of controls Certified to 60730-2-5 is not mandatory at this time.
4.34.2j		Amend clause to require the gas designation on the appliance rating plate to be changed from “LP” to “Propane”. All currently Certified products using propane gas will require revised rating plates.
5.13.3, 5.13.5		Amend clauses to require that the explosion testing be repeated with the appliance in a heated condition. All direct vent appliances must be reevaluated or retested to demonstrate compliance with these provisions.
Annex I		Add Annex I, applicable to all direct vent appliances, containing consumer information intended to enhance the safer operation of the appliance. All direct vent appliances will require revised instruction manuals containing the information contained in this Annex.
CUSTOMERS PLEASE NOTE: This Table and column “Verdict” can be used in determining how your current or future production is or will be in compliance with new/revised requirements.		