

STANDARD INFORMATION

Standard: UL 498A

Standard ID: Current Taps and Adapters [UL 498A:2008 Ed.2+R:29Oct2021]

Previous Standard ID: Current Taps and Adapters [UL 498A:2008 Ed.2+R:08Feb2021]

EFFECTIVE DATE OF NEW/REVISED REQUIREMENTS

Effective Date: **October 29, 2023**

IMPACT, OVERVIEW, AND ACTION REQUIRED

Impact Statement: Per our accreditation, Intertek is required to review reports against the standard revisions to confirm compliance. Once compliance is confirmed, the standard reference in the report is updated to show continued compliance to the technical requirements of the standard. Reports not updated to this version by the effective date above will be withdrawn.

Overview of Changes: Incorporates a change to clothes dryers and ranges power adapter markings. Specific details of new/revise requirements are found in table below.

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 – Please immediately identify any current Listing Reports or products that are no longer active and should be removed from our records.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
		<i>Additions to existing requirements are <u>underlined</u> and deletions are shown lined out below.</i>
8	Info	Installation Instructions
8.6	Info	Adapters for dryer and range outlets
8.6.1		A device whose purpose is to adapt either a dryer receptacle having a 14-30R configuration or a range receptacle having a 14-50R configuration to mate with a grounding-type attachment plug having a 5-15P or 6-15P configuration shall be additionally provided with installation instructions. <u>or the smallest unit container of the device shall be marked that include the words, "CAUTION – Risk of fire or electric shock. Do not use with appliances that block access to the outlet for disconnection."</u>