



May 22, 2015
Subject 217

TO: Subscribers to UL's Certification Services under the Standard for Single and Multiple Station
Smoke Alarms, UL 217

SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF EFFECTIVE DATE

An Industry File Review (IFR) announced on March 16, 2011 is presently in effect to determine compliance with new/revised Surge Immunity tests as detailed in Table 53.1, 53.2 and clauses 53.6 through 53.9 of the 6th Edition of the Standard for Single and Multiple Station Smoke Alarms, UL 217.

Based on the results of the topic opened on March 16, 2015, under the Work Area of UL 217, 6th Edition on CSDS, a decision was reached to extend the Effective Date from August 4, 2015 to a Date To Be Determined. Once the effective date for the 7th edition has been identified, UL will assign the same effective date for Table 53.1, 53.2 and clauses 53.6 through 53.9.

Please note that this Bulletin does not address other IFR's that are active such as the IFR, announced on August 22, 2011, to determine compliance with other changes to the Standard, also with an effective date of August 4, 2015.

Revisions to UL Follow-Up Procedures, including deletion of models and specific constructions on the previous Effective Date, resulting from Applicant requests or prior investigation of products by UL will remain in place unless an Applicant specifically requests that UL reverse such revisions. Applicants interested in retaining such models or constructions until the new Effective Date should contact UL's Customer Service Department immediately.

Sincerely,

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