What is an Unlisted Component?

An Unlisted Component is a component that has an evaluation identical to a UL Recognized Component, or an evaluation that utilizes applicable requirements specific to an end product application, and does not have an established formal certification per the customer’s request. No UL Marks are applied to these components, and the components do not appear in UL Solutions Online Certifications Directory or otherwise have their certification publicly identified.

Unlisted Components are generally those that are made by or for an Applicant for use only with that Applicant’s own certified equipment. The report that describes the construction of the Unlisted Component will include the statement “For use only in (or with) Applicant’s complete equipment where the acceptability is determined by UL LLC.”

An Unlisted Component can only be used for other products for the same Applicant.

Required Markings for Unlisted Components

If you manufacture any Unlisted Components, these types of products are not authorized to bear any UL Certification Marks. The UL Solutions Follow-Up Services Procedure will describe the applicable marking that must be applied to the Unlisted Component.

Unlisted Components bear an agreed upon identification marking, either individually or in marked lots. This marking must be removable in the event of UL Solutions’ rejection of the components or subassemblies, and it must be independent and distinguishable from identifiers, lot numbers, inspection symbols, dates, etc., that the manufacturer utilizes in the normal course of manufacturing, handling, storage and routing of the components or subassemblies or during normal production processes.

The identification marking may be as simple as a suffix added to one of the aforementioned manufacturer’s identifiers provided the suffix serves no other purpose and can be eradicated or obliterated in the event of rejection of the special component by UL Solutions during countercheck at the manufacturing location.

This identification marking permits the UL Solutions field engineering team to accept the special component as having been previously counter-checked. The Marking section of the UL Solutions Follow-Up Procedure will cover the identification marking arrangements.

In the case of “split inspections” for Unlisted Components manufactured at different locations from the end product, the UL Solutions Follow-Up Services Procedure includes responsibilities of the UL Solutions field engineering team conducting counter-checks at those locations. Questions about the required markings for Unlisted Components should be directed to the UL Solutions field engineering team assigned to the project.