

Inspection and Technical Services

GAS BULLETIN: REGULATOR CERTIFICATION

ITS 22-013

Rational: Clarification on CSAB149.1-20 Clause 5.2.2 Regulator Certification

CSA B149.1-20 5.2.2.2

A line pressure regulator shall be provided when the delivery pressure is greater than the maximum rated pressure of the appliance or equipment and shall be a) installed upstream of the appliance or equipment; and

- b) certified to either
 - i) ANSI Z21.80/CSA 6.22; or
 - ii) UL 144.

Note: ANSI Z21.80/CSA 6.22 applies to both natural gas and propane, while UL 144 applies only to propane.

This clause will be enforced for new and replacement appliances and also applies to line pressure regulators supplying multiple appliances and gas piping systems. On a replacement appliance, an existing uncertified line pressure regulator must be replaced with one meeting the current code criteria. There will be a grace period which begins **September 1, 2022** after which, all new and replacement installations must meet the B149.1-20 code requirements as of **March 1, 2023**.

