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Retailer acceptance of Nemko North American safety marks

To whom it may concern,

The Nemko Group is pleased to announce that we have confirmed with **Major Retailers** that our North American market access service, including the Nemko Canada and Nemko-CCL safety approval marks, covering both USA and Canada, are accepted on products sold in **Major Retailers** stores.

The accepted Nemko Canada (Canada) and Nemko-CCL (USA) safety approval marks are:



Major Retailers have indicated that a condition for accepting safety approval marks (whether from Nemko, UL, CSA, ETL, TUV, etc) is based on mutual acceptance of the product specification. Thus, the Nemko Canada and Nemko-CCL safety approval marks are accepted at **Major Retailers** when both our customer and the buyer at the **Major Retailer** agree on the product specification for the products to be sold in their stores. In this case, it is only for our customer to document in the product specification that the product will utilize the Nemko Canada and Nemko-CCL safety approval marks.

We have confirmed this information with contacts at the **Major Retailers**. If you would like further information regarding the **Major Retailers** that we have discussed this with, please do not hesitate to contact your local Nemko office.

The Nemko Canada and Nemko-CCL safety approval marks have the same legal recognition in North America as other North American safety agency marks, including UL, CSA, ETL, TUV, etc. when issued in accordance with the relevant scopes of accreditation/recognition.

For our Canada SCC scope, see: http://palcan.scc.ca/specs/pdf/30_e.pdf

For our USA OSHA/NRTL scope, see: <http://www.osha.gov/dts/otpc/nrtl/ccl.html>

If you have any questions regarding the above information, please do not hesitate to contact your local Nemko office or myself.

Regards,



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