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Reference : CPSO-310323-08
Date : 31 Mar 2023
To : Registered Suppliers and Conformity Assessment Bodies
Subject : Update on Safety Standard for 13A Fused Connection Units (switched)

Dear Registered Suppliers (RSEs) and Conformity Assessment Bodies (CABs),

The purpose of this circular is to provide an update on the registration requirement of 13A fused connection units (switched), which are classified as Controlled Goods (CGs) under the Consumer Protection (Safety Requirements) Regulations (CPSR).

2. Currently, this CG needs to comply to SS 403: 1997 (or newer editions) for registration under the CPSR. This standard was recently reviewed and released as SS 145-4: 2022.

3. The Consumer Product Safety Office (CPSO) would like to inform you that, from 31 Dec 2024 onwards, only test reports for SS 145-4: 2022 (or newer editions when available) will be accepted as supporting documentation for new or renewal registration applications of this CG under the CPSR.

4. From now till 30 Dec 2024, SS 403 test reports can still be accepted for new or renewal registration applications.

5. RSEs are advised to approach your CAB directly to confirm when they will be able to test your product to SS 145-4: 2022.

Issued by:

The Consumer Product Safety Office

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Frequently Asked Questions for Circular CPSO – 310323-08

Q. Where can I find a copy of the SS 145-4: 2022 standard?

A. You may purchase a copy of the Standard from the [Singapore Standards e-Shop](#).

Q. Where can I find the list of CABs to test and/or certify my product?

A. You may refer to the list of Conformity Assessment Bodies [here](#).

Q. Can I continue to sell existing stock of 13A fused connection units (switched) with a valid CoC from 31 Dec 2024, if they were certified to SS 403?

A. Yes, they can continue to be sold in Singapore from 31 Dec 2024, if they have a valid CoC. If you plan to renew their CoC subsequently, do note that only SS 145-4: 2022 (or newer editions when available) test reports will be accepted for renewal applications.