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Second Edition of CAN/ULC-S137:2017

STANDARD METHOD OF TEST FOR FIRE GROWTH OF MATTRESSES (OPEN FLAME TEST)

ULC Standards is pleased to announce the publication of the Second Edition of CAN/ULC-S137, Standard Method of Test for Fire Growth of Mattresses (Open Flame Test). This Standard has been approved by the ULC Standards Committee on Fire Tests and has been published under the date of August 2017.

This new edition includes an Update to the Referenced Standards and moved this section within the normative body of the standard.

The purpose of this test method is to investigate the ability of mattresses to resist rapid heat release by measuring specific fire test responses when the mattress or mattress set is subjected to a specified flaming ignition source under well ventilated conditions.

This test method is applicable only to the finished mattresses and mattress sets and does not apply to testing of individual component materials used, such as ticking and upholstery materials, foams, cotton battings, etc.

This test method does not provide information on the performance of a mattress or mattress set in other fire conditions or the contribution of the mattress to a developing fire condition.

If you require any additional information, please contact Mary Huras at (613) 755-2729 ext. 61425 or by email at Mary.Huras@ul.com.

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