

Fire formal interpretations

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NZS 4512:2010 *Fire detection and alarm systems in buildings* – Clauses 216.1 and Referenced Documents

Question:

NZS 4512:2010 references UL 521:2002 *Heat detectors for fire protective signalling systems*.

UL 521:2002 does not exist.

UL 521 was first published in December 1961 and is now running at the seventh edition published 19th February 1999.

There have been several revisions to the seventh edition, including October 3rd 2002, with the latest revision being April 9th 2015.

Are heat detectors (point- or line-type) complying with UL 521:1999 (seventh edition) revision April 9th 2015 permitted?

Interpretation issued by the Alarms and detection group:

Heat detectors complying with any revision of the 7th edition of UL 521 up to and including April 2015 are acceptable.