



TECHNICAL INFORMATION

TITLE: USE OF THE STARTCO MPU-16A MOTOR PROTECTION UNIT AS AN OVERLOAD RELAY AS DEFINED BY THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE

Rules 430-32 (a) (1) and 430-125 (b) (1) of the 1993 Edition of the National Electrical Code state that each motor shall be protected against overload by either an integral thermal protector or an external overload device.

Rule 90-7 outlines the examination of equipment for safety by qualified Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratories such as Underwriters Laboratories Inc. or the Canadian Standards Association.

The Canadian Standards Association report for File No. LR62897-8 confirms that the MPU-16A meets the requirements of an overload relay as specified in UL Standard No. 508. The acceptability in both Canada and the United States is indicated by the NRTL/C designation below the CSA logo.

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