

Energy Labelling and MEPS program Regulatory Ruling

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This ruling has been prepared on behalf of all regulators for energy labelling and MEPS for electrical appliances in Australia and New Zealand. This ruling represents an agreed interpretation of the relevant regulations. This interpretation shall be recognised in all Australian and New Zealand jurisdictions.

Product Type: Close control units
Relevant Standard AS/NZS 4965.2:2008
Relevant Clause/s 1.2
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Subject

Exemption for Close – Coupled Row Based Cooling Units

Ruling:

That Close – Coupled Row Based Cooling Units be exempted under clause 1.2 of AS/NZS 4965.2:2008.

Close – Coupled Row Based Cooling Units shall be defined as cooling devices that are designed to be mounted in the row containing the rack enclosures and is placed in such a way that it takes air from a hot aisle, cools it and discharges it to a cold aisle. To qualify for an exemption under this provision the particular unit must be designed for, and the manufacturer shall have published operating data up to a minimum of 35C DB entering air temperature.

The intent of the clause is to exclude close control units that by virtue of their application can not be practically tested for compliance with MEPS.

Proposed revisions to the Standard

To be added to clause 1.2 as an additional exemption (g)