

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: Clothes Washing Machines
Relevant Standard AS/NZS 2040.2 : 2005
Relevant Clause/s 1.1
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Subject

Exemption for cold wash only washing machines

Ruling:

A clothes washer shall be exempted from the provisions of this standard if it is only capable of being used for cold wash operations.

This ruling applies if all of the following apply:

- 1. The machine shall have no provision for internal water heating*
- 2. The machine shall have a single water connection marked only for cold water.*
- 3. The machine shall have automatic fill control*
- 4. The machine shall have no program that notes or implies anything other than a cold wash program.*
- 5. The user manual shall explicitly state that the washer is suitable only for cold washing.*
- 6. No product literature shall purport that the washer is suitable for anything other than cold washing.*

Proposed revisions to the Standard

As noted Above