



# FORMAL INTERPRETATION No. 19-01

Subject: C.A. Program Waivers  
Reference: UAP, Part IV, Sections 2(B)(8)  
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## ISSUE

The Commission occasionally grants waivers for specific compliance assurance (CA) program and other related requirements and assigns the responsibility to inspect industrialized buildings through all phases of production to a qualified organization, such as an inspection agency. The waiver is only applicable to those aspects of a CA program that have been assigned to a qualified organization. However, many CA manuals submitted under a waiver do not adequately address the remaining requirements. To ensure uniformity, the Commission has determined that it is necessary to identify the specific requirements covered by a waiver.

## INTERPRETATION

Unless specified otherwise, a CA program waiver exempts a manufacturer from the following provisions of Part V, Section 2 of the MRR.

- (A)(3) - An organizational mechanism for a CA program
- (A)(4) - A uniform system of monitoring a CA program
- (A)(6) - Requirement for handling certification labels
- (C)(4) - Provisions for necessary authority to reject defective work

The Commission, at its discretion, may waive other requirements where a manufacturer provides an acceptable alternative or demonstrates that the requirement is unnecessary.