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Addition of the UKCA Mark Due to the UK's Secession from the EU

■Date of Issue

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■Relevant Models

Powder clutches/brakes, tension controllers, and tension detectors

Thank you for your continued support of Mitsubishi Electric powder clutches/brakes, tension controllers, and tension detectors.

Due to the secession of the UK from the EU, the UKCA (UK Conformity Assessment) mark must have been indicated on the products distributed and sold on the market in Great Britain instead of the CE mark for the EU unified regulations. However, the UK government announced, in August 1, 2023, an indefinite extension to the use of CE mark for most products being placed on the market in Great Britain. The UKCA mark has been indicated on the products manufactured on and after October 2021. Only the CE mark may be indicated on the products to be sold in the future according to this announcement. Please note that there is no change in the general specifications, performance specifications, functions, and external dimensions of the products.

1 OVERVIEW OF THE UKCA MARK

The UKCA mark is a new mark that has been required for products distributed in Great Britain (England, Wales, and Scotland) market. It covers most of the products on which the CE mark must be indicated.

The rules and regulations to be satisfied include the Low Voltage Directive, EMC Directive, Machinery Directive, and RoHS Directive.

To distribute and sell the relevant products on the market in Great Britain, it is necessary to comply with the required rules and regulations and to indicate the UKCA mark. (*)

As of the issue date of this technical bulletin, the conformity conditions for the UKCA mark are the same as those for the CE mark.

(*) The UK government announced, in August 1, 2023, an indefinite extension to the use of CE mark for most products being placed on the market in Great Britain.

2 RELEVANT MODELS

Powder clutches/brakes, tension controllers, and tension detectors (excluding the models that do not comply with the CE Marking and discontinued models).

For the models that do not comply with the CE Marking and discontinued models, please consult your local Mitsubishi Electric representative.

3 DETAILS ON THE CHANGE

The following UKCA mark is indicated on the product and packaging label.



4 CHANGE AFTER THE ANNOUNCEMENT IN AUGUST 1, 2023

Initially, the products marked with the CE mark, instead of the UKCA mark, were permitted to be distributed on the market in Great Britain after the secession of the UK from the EU from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2024. Additionally, the products marked only with the CE mark were permitted to be distributed as long as they have the UKCA mark on their packaging from January 1, 2025 to December 31, 2027.

However, the UK government announced, in August 1, 2023, an indefinite extension to the use of CE mark for most products being placed on the market in Great Britain.

5 DATE OF CHANGE

The action to comply with the UKCA marking had been implemented sequentially since October 2021, and was completed in December 31, 2022. The products to be sold in the future will be marked only with the CE mark depending on the circumstances, and may therefore be mixed with the existing products with the UKCA mark.

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REVISIONS

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A	July 2021	First edition
B	February 2024	The change related to the indefinite extension to the use of CE mark (the UK government announcement in August 2023) was added.

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