

## STANDARD INFORMATION

**Standard:** ULC S559

**Standard ID:** Standard for Equipment for Fire Signal Receiving Centres and Systems [CAN/ULC 559:2020 Ed.3+R:04Oct2024]

**Previous Standard ID:** Standard for Equipment for Fire Signal Receiving Centres and Systems [CAN/ULC S559:2020 Ed.3]

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF NEW/REVISED REQUIREMENTS

**Effective Date:** **October 4, 2026**

## IMPACT, OVERVIEW, AND ACTION REQUIRED

**Impact Statement:** Per our accreditation, Intertek is required to review reports against the standard revisions to confirm compliance. Once compliance is confirmed, the standard reference in the report is updated to show continued compliance to the technical requirements of the standard. Reports not updated to this version by the effective date above will be withdrawn.

This update does not apply to listings referencing ULC S559:2013 Ed.2 unless a change is made to the product.

Note: In the October 4, 2024 revision the standard has been renumbered to ULC 559.

**Overview of Changes:** New Section for Software-based Receivers under System Requirements. Specific details of new/revise requirements are found in table below.

Note: If the listing references a Canadian standard, per the Canadian Electrical Code (CSA C22.2#0) Section titled Language of markings, Caution and Warning Markings shall be in English and French.

***Current Listings Not Active? – Please immediately identify any current Listing Reports or products that are no longer active and should be removed from our records. We will do this at no charge as long as Intertek is notified in writing prior to the review of your reports.***



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CLAUSE	VERDICT	COMMENT
		<i>Additions to existing requirements are <u>underlined</u> and deletions are shown <del>lined-out</del> below.</i>
3	Info	<b>Glossary</b>
3.26	Info	SOFTWARE-BASED RECEIVERS – Computer based information technology equipment located at a fire signal receiving centre in the signaling path which receives, processes and displays alarm, supervisory and trouble signals.
		<b><i>New section added;</i></b>
		<b>Software-based Receivers</b>
11A		This section describes alternate methods for the evaluation of software-based receivers meeting the conditions specified in 11A.2.
		See standard for details.