

## Field Evaluation

# Field Evaluation Services provide trusted expertise



## Solution providers available where and when you need them

United States' Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requirements mandate that all electrical equipment in the workplace be "certified" or subjected to a complete and thorough evaluation before use (29 CFR 1910.303 and 1910.399). Additionally, many city, counties, other municipalities, states, provinces and regions have regulations requiring building, gas fired and electrical products to be certified or evaluated. A UL Field Evaluation is an accepted approach by local AHJs to accomplish this required evaluation. UL's Field Evaluation program meets all requirements of the ANSI/NFPA 790 and ANSI/NFPA 791 Standards for competency and field evaluation procedures.

### Field Evaluation expertise streamlines compliance

Site-specific UL Field Evaluations help regulatory authorities determine the compliance of a product, leading to "approval" of the installation. UL's evaluation process consists of documentation review, visual and mechanical inspection, suitability for installation in accordance with the adopted installation Code(s) such as the National Electrical Code, applicable testing and an engineering report. UL's Field Evaluation Services can be requested by anyone involved with the product, including business owners, manufacturers and contractors.

A UL Field Evaluation Product Label will be applied immediately to the product if the product complies with the applicable requirements. If the product does not meet the requirements, the UL Field Engineer will provide a detailed preliminary findings report citing each issue and applicable standard reference. We will work with you to bring the product into compliance.

### Accredited Field Evaluation Body (FEB)

The UL Field Evaluation Program has been accredited by the International Accreditation Services for all the categories of electrical products identified in NFPA 790



*“SunPower, a company committed to quality, appreciates UL’s same commitment to quality. We look forward to further enhancing our relationship with UL and wanted to take this moment to recognize your Field Evaluation team’s contribution on this particular assignment. With my sincere gratitude and thanks.”*

**Robert Vinje**  
Global SVP of EPC and O&M  
SunPower Corporation

*“UL’s Field Evaluation team provides excellent and responsive customer service. Moreover, we have found UL’s Field Engineers to be a wealth of information regarding all standards affecting electrical equipment.”*

**Robert B. Arbetman P.E.**  
CENTURY A&E – FACILITIES DESIGN  
Grand Rapids, Michigan

*“We have been very impressed with the level of service and expertise that has been provided to our company by UL’s Field Evaluation Services. The people at UL are an excellent resource in a highly specialized industry and offer a level of service that has exceeded our expectations.”*

**Chris Little**  
ECOS ENERGY  
Minneapolis, Minnesota

## Typical Product Types

- Distributed Generation Equipment
- Energy Storage Systems
- Wind Turbine Generators
- Solar Photovoltaic Power Plants
- Line Side Taps
- LV and MV Engine Generators
- Fuel Cells
- Hazardous Locations Equipment
- Commercial Cooking Equipment
- Luminaires
- Gas and Oil Fired Equipment
- Food Service - Sanitation
- Factory Production Equipment
- Robotics and Controls
- Power Distribution Equipment
- MV and HV Power Distribution Equipment
- Heating, Ventilating and AC Equipment
- Industrial Control Panels
- Machine Tools
- Inspection and Testing Equipment
- Signs
- Medical and Dental Equipment
- Fire Doors and Frames
- New, Used and Modified Equipment

## UL’s Field Evaluation services provide several key benefits to our clients, including:

### Market acceptance

The UL Mark and UL Field Evaluation Label are the most widely recognized and accepted third-party identification giving products the surest route to product acceptance by authorities, regulators and vendors.

### Competitive pricing

UL provides greater value by offering competitively priced services with maximum return on your compliance investment.

### Integrity

UL never gives “rubber stamp” certifications that compromise product integrity. UL’s reputation for excellence gives customers a higher level of confidence that the product meets applicable safety requirements. UL uses full time, trained, and qualified staff to conduct all field evaluations.

### Faster turnaround

To meet your deadline, UL can provide next-day service for several product categories, and we provide services globally at manufacturing or installation sites around the world.

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