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Foreword

All the technical contents in this Part are mandatory.

GB 4706 *Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Safety* consists of several parts; thereof, Part 1 belongs to General Requirements; while the rest are Particular Requirements.

This Part shall be used in conjunction with GB 4706.1-2005 Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Safety – Part 1: General Requirements.

This Part equivalently adopts IEC 60335-2-32:2005 Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Safety – Part 2-32: Particular Requirements for Massage Appliances. (English Version).

For the benefit of use, this Part makes the following editorial changes against the IEC 60335-2-32:

- a) Modify "Part 1" into "GB 4706.1-2005";
- b) Use a decimal point "." to replace the comma "," acting as a decimal point.

This Part replaced GB 4706.10-2003 Safety of Household and Similar Electrical Appliances – Particular Requirements for Massage Appliances.

Compared with GB 4706.10-2003, this Part has the major differences as follows:

- --- Add the water filled foot massager in the scope, replace the contents of "usually unconsidered"; add new definitions.
- --- Add the parameters of open-cell polyether to 3.1.9; add the test requirements for the water filled foot massager.
- --- Cancel the 4.101 requirements in GB 4706.10-2003 (appliances shall be tested as the portable appliances except for those that is expected to fix on the frame under normal operation).
- --- Add a warning to the appliance with a water injection container in 7.12.
- --- Modify the "appliance with electric heating elements" in GB 4706.10-2003 into "combined appliance" in 11.2.
- --- Add the water temperature limit value in 11.8.
- --- Add requirements for Class-I stationary appliance with leakage current no greater than 0.75mA except for fixed appliances in 13.2.

- --- Add test requirements for water filled foot massager in 15.2.
- --- Add requirements for Class-I stationary appliance with leakage current no greater than 0.75mA except for fixed appliances in 16.2.
- --- Add the content of Clause 21 in GB 4706.10-2003 to 21.1.
- --- The addition contents in 25.7 are slightly different from those in GB 4706.10-2003.
- --- Add test requirements for water filled and gas in-flow appliances in 22.102.
- --- Add ISO 2439:1980 Flexible Cellular Polymeric Materials Determination of Hardness (Indentation Technique) and ISO 13732-1 Ergonomics of the Thermal Environment Methods for the Assessment of Human Responses to Contact with Surfaces Part 1: Hot Surfaces in Bibliography.

This Part was proposed by China Light Industry Council.

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The historical editions replaced by this Standard are as follows:

--- GB 4706.10-1986, GB 4706.10-1993, GB 4706.10-2003.

Household and Similar Electrical Appliances - Safety - Particular Requirements for Massage Appliances

1 Scope

This clause of GB 4706.1-2005 is replaced by the following.

This International Standard deals with the safety of electric massage appliances for household and similar purposes, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V for single phase appliances and 480 V for other appliances.

NOTE 1: Examples of appliances within the scope of this standard are

foot massagers;
hand-held massagers;
massage beds;
massage belts;
massage chairs;
massage pads;
water filled foot massagers.

Appliances not intended for normal household use but that nevertheless may be a source of danger to the public, such as appliances intended to be used by laymen in shops, in light industry and on farms, are within the scope of this Part.

NOTE 2: Examples of such appliances are those used in beauty parlors and fitness centers.

As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home.

However, in general, it does not take into account:

- persons (including children) whose:
 - · physical, sensory or mental capabilities; or

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