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▼ **New Standards – New Editions – Special Publications**

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▼ Reaffirmed Standards

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New Standards – New Editions – Special Publications

PLUS 14021, 2nd edition

Environmental claims: A guide for industry and advertisers

This document is available “Free of Charge” at Shop.CSA.com.

The first objective of this guide is to provide the users of ISO 14021, *Environmental labels and declarations — Self-declared environmental claims (Type II environmental labelling)*, with a best-practice guide to the application of the standard and some practical examples of how the standard could be applied to environmental claims in the Canadian marketplace.

The second objective is to help industry and advertisers comply with certain provisions of the *Competition Act*, the *Consumer Packaging and Labelling Act*, and the *Textile Labelling Act*, administered and enforced by the Competition Bureau, an independent agency that contributes to the prosperity of Canadians by protecting and promoting competitive markets and enabling informed consumer choice. To achieve both of these objectives, the Bureau has partnered with CSA on this edition to ensure it is offered free of charge to the public and that it will serve both as an aid to interpreting CAN/CSA-ISO 14021 and as a best-practice guide to complying with the provisions of the above statutes that prohibit false or misleading representations.

Nouvelles normes – Nouvelles éditions – Publications spéciales publiées en français

PLUS 14021, 2^e édition

Déclarations environnementales : Guide pour l'industrie et les publicitaires

Ce document est disponible gratuitement au Shop.CSA.com.

L'objectif premier de ce guide est de fournir aux utilisateurs de l'ISO 14021, *Marquages et déclarations environnementaux — Autodéclarations environnementales (Étiquetage de type II)*, un guide de pratiques exemplaires d'application de la norme et quelques exemples concrets de la façon d'appliquer la norme aux déclarations environnementales sur le marché canadien.

Le second objectif est d'aider l'industrie et les publicitaires à respecter certaines dispositions de la *Loi sur la concurrence*, de la *Loi sur l'emballage et l'étiquetage des produits de consommation* et de la *Loi sur l'étiquetage des textiles* qui relèvent du Bureau de la concurrence, organisme indépendant qui contribue à la prospérité des Canadiens en protégeant et en favorisant des marchés concurrentiels et en permettant aux consommateurs de faire des choix éclairés. C'est à cette fin qu'il a collaboré avec l'Association canadienne de normalisation (CSA) pour que la présente édition soit offerte gratuitement au public et aide les personnes concernées à interpréter la CAN/CSA-ISO 14021 et à suivre les pratiques exemplaires afin de respecter les dispositions des lois précitées qui interdisent les indications fausses ou trompeuses.



Reaffirmed Standards

Z752-03 (R2008)

Definition of Household Hazardous Waste