

**CITY OF NEW YORK
DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS**

Pursuant to Administrative Code Section 27-131, the following equipment or material has been found acceptable for use in accordance with the Report of Materials and Equipment Acceptance (MEA) Division.

Patricia J. Lancaster, A.I.A., Commissioner
MEA 357-03-E

Report of Material and Equipment Acceptance Division

Manufacturer – Lenox Hearth Products, 1110 Nest Taft Avenue, Orange, CA 92865.

Trade Name(s) – Merit Plus.

Product - Gas fired vented decorative fireplace appliance.

Pertinent Code Section(s) -27-800, RS 14-2 (ANSI Z223).

Prescribed Test(s) - RS 14-6 (ANSI Z21.50, Z21.88a, Z21.11, Z21.44).

Laboratory – Intertek Testing Services.

Test Report(s) – No. J20006711-231, dated August 21, 2000.

Description – Gas fired decorative fireplace appliance designed to provide supplemental heating and to enhance the aesthetics of a room.

Model No.	Description	Btu/h Input
MPDT-3328CNM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDT-3328CPM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDR-3328CNM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDR-3328CPM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPD-3530CNM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	20,000
MPD-3530CNM-B	Vented Fireplace Heaters	20,000
MPD-3530CPM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	20,000
MPD-4035CNM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	27,000
MPD-4035CNM-B	Vented Fireplace Heaters	27,000
MPD-4035CPM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	27,000
MPD-4540CNM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	29,000
MPD-4540CNM-B	Vented Fireplace Heaters	29,000
MPD-4540CPM	Vented Fireplace Heaters	29,000
MPDT-3328CNE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDT-3328CPE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDR-3328CNE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPDR-3328CPE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	17,500
MPD-3530CNE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	20,000
MPD-3530CPE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	20,000
MPD-4035CNE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	27,000
MPD-4035CPE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	27,000
MPD-4540CNE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	29,000
MPD-4540CPE	Vented Fireplace Heaters	29,000

Note: The units must be installed under the following clearances to combustible construction (inches): unit to floor – 0; unit to backwall – 0; vent to enclosure top-1²; unit to sidewalls –0; unit top to ceiling – 36²; vent to enclosure sides-1².

¹ A maximum 8” wide mantel be installed 18” above the fireplace opening.

² 1” to bottom and sides, 3” to top of horizontal vent/intake pipe.

Recommendation - That the above described gas-fired vented appliances, be accepted for decorative heating operation on natural gas only, for indoor installation only with combustible air and required ventilation air provided. Venting of the above equipment is subject to Section 27-879 of the Building Code. Approval of all electrical equipment, apparatus, materials and devices shall be obtained from the Bureau of Electrical Control before installation. All shipments and deliveries of such equipment shall be provided with a metal tag, suitably placed, certifying that the equipment shipped or delivered are equivalent to those tested and acceptable for use, as provided for in Section 27-131 of the Building Code.

Final Acceptance

1/26/03

Examined By

Shye - J. J. J.