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Caution Marking for Aging Degradation

Numbers of accident by household appliances have been reported. Investigation on cases revealed that usage exceeding the life of appliances intended by a manufacturer is one of main causes. In order to reduce appliance related accidents, J2000(H20) "Requirements for Caution Marking for Aging Degradation" was introduced.

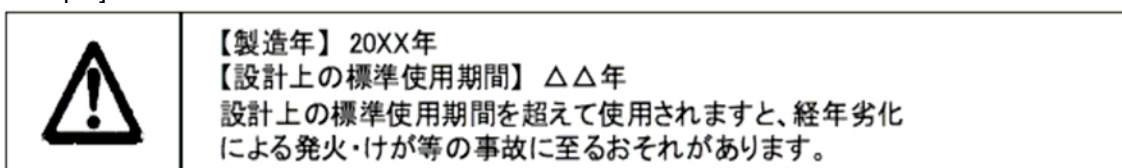
Effective April 1, 2009, manufacturers of appliances shown below must affix warning label on the product.

- Room fans
- Air conditioners
- Ventilation fans
- Washing machines (excluding those with a dryer)
- Spin extractors (limited to those integrated with washing machines)
- TV's (limited to CRT type)

Required marking items are;

1. Year of manufacture,
2. Intended life of service,
3. Warning statement.

[Example]



Warning statement (translation)

"There is a chance of accident, such as fire and injury, if this unit is used exceeding its intended life of service."

In addition to the marking label, it is recommended to include details of conditions used to calculate a life of service in the user's manual.

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