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**DOUBLE-CAPPED LED LAMPS DESIGNED  
TO RETROFIT LINEAR FLUORESCENT LAMPS –  
SAFETY SPECIFICATIONS**

**INTERPRETATION SHEET 1**

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[IEC 62776:2014/ISH1:2018](https://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/iec/5a1afc72-4647-4674-bf7d-19b0cfa90b94/iec-62776-2014-ish1-2018)

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Interpretation of Clause 7 of IEC 62776:2014

The statement in the first paragraph of Clause 7 that “there shall not be any electrical continuity between the two ends of the lamp during the insertion” is in contradiction with the compliance requirements that follow. In the physical world, establishing the complete lack of any electrical continuity between the two ends is not possible since all materials may be characterized by their inherent conductivity however small it may be.

The compliance requirements described in the fourth paragraph of Clause 7 shall take precedence.