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## NLC4 Delisting



**[Networked Lighting Control System Technical Requirements 5 \(NLC5\)](#)**, which went into effect in August 2020, strengthened cybersecurity, interoperability and energy monitoring requirements for listing systems on the DLC's NLC Qualified Products List (QPL). Since 2020, both NLC4 and NLC5 listed systems have been available on the NLC QPL, but at the end of next month NLC4 listed systems will be delisted.

**On February 28, 2022, NLC4 listed systems that have not updated to NLC5 will be delisted.** To avoid delisting, please **complete and submit update applications by February 21, 2022 at the latest.** Please review the **[NLC5 Technical requirements](#)** on the DLC website to learn more about the cybersecurity

requirements and accepted certifications. For any questions regarding the deadline and qualification of NLC5 systems please contact Bagwat Mohan at [bmohan@designlights.org](mailto:bmohan@designlights.org).

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## The New DLC Application Portal

The DLC now has a [new application portal](#) for SSL and HORT application submissions. For more information on how to navigate and submit applications in the new portal, please review the recorded [webinar](#) and short [video tutorials](#), which are viewable directly on the DLC website.

The old application portal will still be available for:

1. **Downloading and saving applications data.** Existing application data (including completed applications) will not be transferred to the new portal. Submitters will receive multiple reminder emails to retrieve this data before the old portal is no longer accessible. Support resources will be available soon to explain how to download your data.
2. **Completing previously submitted applications currently under review.** These applications must be completed within 90 days, or they will need to be resubmitted through the new portal.

[Review Important Information for Application Submitters](#)

[Watch the New Application Portal Webinar](#)

[Watch Short Video Tutorials](#)

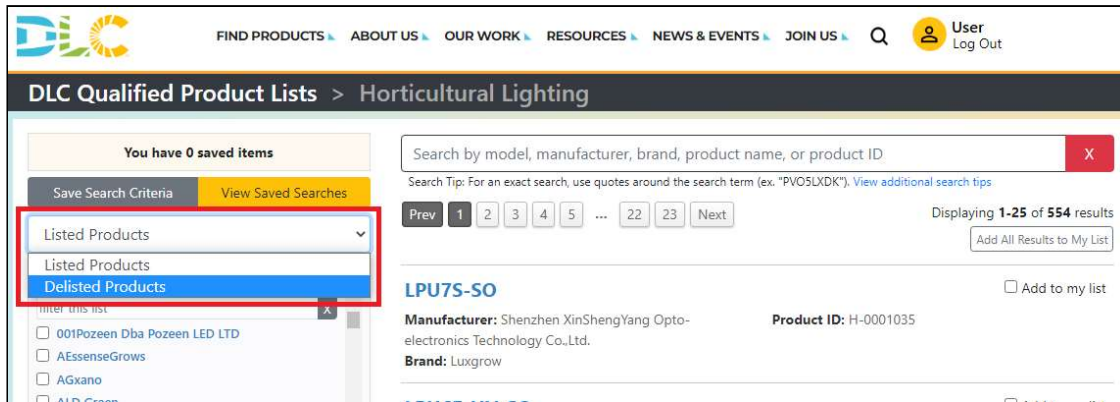
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## Horticultural Lighting QPL Updates

On February 1, 2022, V1.2 products that did not update to V2.1 were delisted. You may see which products were delisted by filtering for delisted products on the [Horticultural Qualified Products List](#) (Hort QPL). Products that were delisted

may requalify with new applications, including all new application materials and applicable fees.



The screenshot shows the DLC website interface for 'DLC Qualified Product Lists > Horticultural Lighting'. At the top, there is a navigation menu with links for 'FIND PRODUCTS', 'ABOUT US', 'OUR WORK', 'RESOURCES', 'NEWS & EVENTS', and 'JOIN US'. A search icon and a user profile icon are also present. Below the navigation, there is a search bar with the text 'Search by model, manufacturer, brand, product name, or product ID'. A search tip is provided: 'Search Tip: For an exact search, use quotes around the search term (ex. "PVO5LXDK"). View additional search tips'. A pagination bar shows 'Prev', '1', '2', '3', '4', '5', '...', '22', '23', and 'Next'. The main content area displays a list of products, with a dropdown menu for filtering. The dropdown menu is highlighted with a red box, showing options for 'Listed Products' and 'Delisted Products'. The product details for 'LPU7S-SO' are visible, including the manufacturer 'Shenzhen XinShengYang Opto-electronics Technology Co., Ltd.' and the brand 'Luxgrow'.

### Updating V2.1 Products without TM-33 Data

- All V2.1 listings without TM-33 are required to submit TM-33 data by April 1, 2022. Any products without TM-33 data will be delisted in May 2022.

### Submitting New V2.1 Applications

- Starting in March 2022, all new V2.1 applications will require TM-33 data for submission.

If you have any questions about how to update your product listings, please contact [horticulture@designlights.org](mailto:horticulture@designlights.org).

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## Update V5.0 Products to V5.1



With many commercial lighting programs now providing incentives for fixtures with integral controls and dimming capabilities, it's important programs have the selection of products available to them on the Qualified Products List. Although the delisting date of SSL V5.0 products is not until June 30, the deadline to submit update applications is April 15. Now is the time to begin updating your SSL V5.0 listed products to V5.1.

[Read the SSL V5.1 Blog](#)

[Review the SSL V5.1 Transition Guide](#)

## Downloading the QPLs

Please reference the how-to guide below for step-by-step instructions on how to save and download searches from the QPLs, and view the image below for important tips.

[Download the Guide](#)



*(click the image to enlarge)*

## Meet the DLC

**Bagwat Mohan: Your NLC Application Expert**



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## In Case You Missed It



The [DLC records all webinars](#) we present and host, so you'll always have access in the event you were unable to attend – or just want to re-watch a webinar for a refresher.



Find the latest [DLC news and blogs posts](#) on perspectives related to LED lighting, networked lighting controls, and other relevant industry developments.

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### About the DLC and What We Do

The DLC is a non-profit, mission-based organization dedicated to promoting high quality, energy efficient lighting products in collaboration with utility energy efficiency programs, manufacturers, lighting designers, and other essential lighting industry players.

Through our collaborative policy development process, the DLC publishes and regularly updates Technical Requirements for commercial LED lighting, networked lighting controls, and horticultural LED lighting. Products that meet the requirements can then be submitted for review and qualify for listing on our qualified products lists (QPLs).

In addition to the QPLs, the DLC's experienced staff provides technical expertise, facilitates thought leadership through webinars, meetings, and events, and creates other educational lighting resources to help accelerate the transition to better quality, more connected lighting solutions. See how you can [join the DLC](#).



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