

## **B.5 Specific safety requirements for prescribed products**

- (1) In addition to the essential safety requirements, all prescribed products shall comply with the corresponding specific safety requirements specified in Schedule 2 of the Regulation which are elaborated in Section C.3 of the Notes so as to ensure that the products are safe for normal use in Hong Kong. The following electrical products are classified as prescribed products under the Regulation:-
- (A) Plugs;
  - (B) Adaptors;
  - (C) Lampholders;
  - (D) Flexible Cords;
  - (E) Extension Units; and
  - (F) Unvented Thermal Storage Type Electric Water Heaters.
- (2) Under the provisions of the Electricity Ordinance (CAP. 406), the Secretary for the Environment may amend the Schedules of the Regulation, and revise the list of prescribed products to include those electrical products of special nature that require certain specific safety requirements in addition to the essential safety requirements. The revised list of prescribed products will be announced through gazetting for public information. A grace period will normally be allowed before such amendments/revisions are brought into effect for the industry and the public to accustom to the new safety requirements.