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 Surge Ready Loadcenter—The Surge-Ready loadcenter provides a mounting provision for the CHSPT2ULTRA. This loadcenter has a modified deadfront to allow for viewing of indicating lights.

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