

NYSERDA/DOE meeting, March 20, 2003:

NYSERDA indicated that they support the proposed expansion of the criteria coverage and proposed level. However, NYSERDA recommended postponing the effective date to accommodate the market. New York's Keep Cool program launched in April (including TTW units, but at a lower efficiency level than proposed by DOE), so the proposal would be too late for New York to integrate the new products, levels, and marketing information into consumer education activities. In addition, the proposed effective date does not allow manufacturers to adapt product plans to ensure ENERGY STAR coverage in their TTW line.