

Dear Ms. Duff,

After receiving the Final Draft of the Energy Star Program Requirements for Refrigerated Beverage Vending Machines, I reviewed that and find it to be satisfactory. Unless there are other recommended revisions from other Partners, we give our approval to the Feb. 1, 2004 effective date to implement the Program.

Sincerely,

Marvin Echols  
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