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The Attachments Energy Rating Council's Response to the ENERGY STAR Specification for Smart Home Energy Management Systems Final Draft Version 1.0

The Attachments Energy Rating Council (AERC) appreciates the opportunity to comment on the ENERGY STAR Specification for Smart Home Energy Management Systems (SHEMS) Final Draft Version 1.0. AERC was created through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Energy to rate, certify, and label the energy performance of window attachments.

Optional Encouraged Devices

AERC thanks EPA for including AERC certified automated window attachments in its list of optional encouraged devices in the Final Draft Specification.

In conclusion, AERC strongly supports the development of an ENERGY STAR SHEMS program, appreciates the opportunity to comment on the ENERGY STAR Specification for SHEMS Final Draft Version 1.0 document, and looks forward to the release of the final specification.

Sincerely,

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