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Dear ENERGY STAR® Imaging Equipment Partner or Other Interested Stakeholder,

With this letter, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is seeking your input as part of the early stages of a revision of the ENERGY STAR Imaging Equipment specification. This letter and accompanying discussion guide highlight an initial list of priority areas for this specification revision, key questions for stakeholders, and next steps in the revision process. EPA looks forward to working with stakeholders to develop the Version 3.0 specification that will recognize efficiency gains in the imaging equipment market since the completion of the current ENERGY STAR requirements.

The following are EPA's priorities for the Version 3.0 revision:

- Effect of network traffic on energy consumption
- Paper usage assumptions
- Consideration of maintenance mode and standby power
- Scope considerations

EPA welcomes stakeholder suggestions on any other issues to be considered during the Version 3.0 specification revision process and in particular on those topics raised in the discussion guide. Please submit any comments to imagingequipment@energystar.gov by March 22, 2017.

EPA will host a webinar to answer any questions on this discussion guide on **March 1, 2017 from 12-2 PM Eastern Time**. Please register [here](#) if you plan on attending. Specifications and meeting materials will be distributed via email and posted on the ENERGY STAR website. To track EPA's progress on this specification, please visit the product development website at www.energystar.gov/revisedspecs and navigate to "Imaging Equipment."

Please contact me at Fogle.Ryan@epa.gov or 202-343-9153 or Matt Malinowski, ICF, at Matt.Malinowski@icf.com or (202) 862-2693 with questions or concerns. For any other imaging equipment related questions, please contact imagingequipment@energystar.gov. Thank you for your continued support of the ENERGY STAR program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ryan Fogle".

Ryan Fogle
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