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Dear ENERGY STAR[®] Connected Thermostat Partner:

As you know, Partners with certified Connected Thermostat product families are expected to submit savings data periodically, with a new sample of homes selected according to the connected thermostat [Savings Method and Appendix](#). The first set of periodic submission would normally be due July 1, 2017. However, EPA is working on updates to the calculation of Resistance Heat Utilization (RHU) in our software, and requests that resubmissions be delayed until those updates are complete, so that they will include valid RHU data. We hope the updates will proceed promptly, allowing submissions in the first week of August. At the time that we release updated software, we will also release seeds for data sampling.

Thanks for your continued engagement in ENERGY STAR connected thermostats. Please direct any savings method questions to Abigail Daken, daken.abigail@epa.gov or 202-343-9375 or to Doug Frazee at ICF, douglas.frazee@icf.com or 443-333-9267.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Abigail Daken".

Abigail Daken
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