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ENERGY STAR Program

If you are an ENERGY STAR partner in the ENERGY STAR program for Windows, Doors, and Skylights, be aware of the following Version 7.0 implementation timelines for product specification requirements as well as new unit shipment data submission requirements:

Revised Specification - Version 7.0 Residential Window, Door, and Skylight specification

- The effective date of the ENERGY STAR Version 7.0 Residential Window, Door, and Skylight specification was October 23, 2023. Labels to Version 7.0 must be in use by this date.
- No Version 6 products are to be shipped, produced, or labeled after October 23, 2023.
- All new products certified by NFRC after April 23, 2023, must use Version 7 labels and follow Version 7 criteria requirements.

New Requirement - 2023 Unit Shipment Data Submissions - ([See the EPA Cover Letter](#))

- Starting in January 2024, the EPA will start collecting 2023-unit shipment data (number and location of product shipments) for all ENERGY STAR and non-ENERGY STAR window, door, and skylight products of ENERGY STAR partners.
- The reporting process begins in January 2024, and the submittal deadline is March 1, 2024, and each year after.
- In January 2024, all ENERGY STAR partner contacts registered in MESA ([My ENERGY STAR Account](#)) will receive a data collection letter from EPA and access to product submittal forms. This letter will outline the data submittal requirements and process.
- A draft of the submittal form can be downloaded [here](#).
- Failure to submit unit shipment data by the March 1, 2024, deadline will result in the removal of an ENERGY STAR partner's name and certified products from the certified products list on the ENERGY STAR website.
- Partners that still have not submitted their unit shipment data by May 1, 2024, may no longer certify additional models/products as ENERGY STAR.
- ENERGY STAR partners are encouraged to set up their company data collection systems as soon as possible and designate a contact person within their company to be responsible for their data submission.
- Data is to be submitted to EPA contractor ICF who will submit the collected shipment data to EPA in aggregate form.

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