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RESNET Standards Revision Process

Proponent: RESNET Standards Committee

Proposed Changes:

501.4.3 Standards Revision Process.

501.4.3.1 Revision to these standards shall occur only after the relevant proposals to change have been subjected to public scrutiny and comment using the following review process:

501.4.3.1.1 RESNET shall appoint a standing Standards Committee, ~~three (3) representatives of the home energy rating industry and three (3) representatives of state energy offices to serve staggered, three-year terms on the Standards Procedure Revision Evaluation Committee.~~ The RESNET Standards Revision Evaluation Committee shall be responsible for conducting the periodic evaluation and the annual evaluation of proposals to change through a consensus process, whereby both consenting and the non-consenting opinions are documented and incorporated as comments into each report or proposal to change.

501.4.3.1.2 Following initial evaluation by the RESNET Standards ~~Revision Evaluation~~ Committee, proposals to change shall be posted on the RESNET website Web Page for a period of not less than 30 days during which public comment shall be accepted.

501.4.3.1.3 Following the public comment period, the appropriate RESNET Revision Evaluation Committee shall meet to reconcile public comments with the initial proposed amendment comments of the RESNET Standards Revision Evaluation Committee and, if changes are determined necessary, a final set of recommended changes with consensus comments that considers public comments shall be prepared on each proposal for change. The proposed changes to the amendment shall then be forwarded to the RESNET Standards Committee for approval.

501.4.3.1.4 Proposals for change receiving a simple two-thirds majority support from the RESNET Standards Revision Evaluation Committee after public

comment shall be incorporated into a set of proposed revised amendments that will be submitted to the RESNET Board of Directors for final approval.

501.4.3.1.5 Proposed revisions from the RESNET Standards ~~Revision Evaluation~~ Committee shall be approved by a simple majority of the RESNET Board of Directors. Rejection of proposals from the RESNET Standards ~~Revision Evaluation~~ Committee shall require a two-thirds majority of the RESNET Board of Directors. Upon approval by the RESNET Board of Directors, the changes shall be incorporated into a set of revised Sstandards. If a proposed revision fails to receive either a simple majority vote for approval or a two-thirds majority vote for rejection, it will be referred back to the RESNET Standards ~~Revision Evaluation~~ Committee for further consideration.

Justification

The RESNET Board of Directors has established a standing RESNET Standards Committee. The RESNET Standards Committee is responsible for the process of amending the RESNET standards and the maintenance of the standards. With the establishment of the Standards Committee there is no longer need for the Revision Evaluation Committee