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### EPEAT Manufacturer Update: May 5, 2014

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#### Television Criteria Training Today and Tomorrow

EPEAT Conformity Assurance Manager Erin Gately will be holding a training webinar about a number of specific criteria for the Television standard. Multiple sessions of the same content will be available to accommodate worldwide participation. The first session is Monday, May 5, followed by two sessions on Tuesday, May 6.

This training webinar is designed to help Participating Manufacturers improve their understanding of complex criteria and prepare for upcoming verification rounds.

Criteria with clarifications covered will include:

- 4.1.4.1
- 4.1.5.1
- 4.6.1.2
- 4.6.2.1
- 4.6.2.2
- 4.7.2.2
- 4.8.2.2
- 4.8.4.1
- Time-based criteria

The webinar during North American business hours takes place Monday, May 5 (today) at 2pm ET / 11am PT.

[Register for this training.](#)

The webinar during Asian business hours takes place Tuesday, May 6 at 8am CST. [Register for this training.](#)

The webinar during European business hours takes place Tuesday, May 6 at 5pm (17:00) CEST. [Register for this](#)

## **Changes to TV Declarations in EPEAT**

We have made a few functionality changes to the EPEAT registration software for Televisions:

- Added drop-down list for ENERGY STAR instead of a simple yes/no (Criterion 4.5.1.1)
- Added two ENERGY STAR options: 6.0 and 6.1. ENERGY STAR 6.1 went into effect at the end of April but is not a major change. Meeting either 6.0 or 6.1 at this time is acceptable.
- All Subscriber products set to ENERGY STAR 6.0
- Fix to allow N/A declaration for 4.2.1.1
- Fixed search results to show ENERGY STAR version
- Changed options in search results to show selected Energy STAR version for TVs

## **ENERGY STAR for Computers Version 6.0**

As a reminder, Version 6.0 of the ENERGY STAR specification for Computers will take effect on June 2, 2014. You can find this new specification [at this page](#).

As of this date, all computers in the EPEAT Registry must be qualified to or comply with the eligibility criteria of ENERGY STAR for Computers Version 6.0. We ask that you check your product declarations for computer products and ensure that they are accurate.

Between now and June 2, 2014, criterion 4.5.1.2 in 1680.1 (Optional - Early adoption of new ENERGY STAR specification) will be available for computer products that are included in the scope of the new ENERGY STAR Version 6.0.

Products meeting the new requirements may declare to the new specification. Products claiming the new version are subject to verification toward the new specification.

Remember that a single product can only receive one "early adopter point." If the product has earned this point in past, it is no longer eligible to receive it again.

### **Outcomes Report for IE-2014-01 Now Available**

Verification Round IE-2014-01 was completed in April 2014. This report provides the detailed results of the Verification Round. In this round two previously purchased imaging equipment products were sent to testing laboratories. The testing laboratories performed Level 2 and Level 3 testing on up to six criteria as applicable.

Take a minute to [review the Outcomes Report](#), especially the key lessons section, for important information.

### **Manufacturer Tip: Time-Based Criteria**

Keep in mind that the IEEE 1680.2 for Imaging Equipment and IEEE 1680.3 for Televisions contain a number of time-based criteria, as shown below.

	<b>Imaging Equipment - 1680.2</b>	<b>Televisions - 1680.3</b>
Criteria related to the date a product is registered	4.1.2.1 4.1.4.1 4.1.5.1 4.1.8.1	4.1.1.1 4.1.2.1 4.1.5.1 4.1.6.1 4.1.9.1 4.3.3.1
Criteria related to the date a product is put on the market	4.3.3.1 4.3.4.1	N/A
Criterion that must be met within 2 months of product registration	4.5.2.2	N/A

If you have questions, [contact Erin Gately](#).

### **Verification Updates**

- [Imaging Equipment Outcomes Report: IE-2014-01](#)

- [Televisions Outcomes Report: TV-2013-03](#)
- [First Imaging Equipment Verification Round of 2014 launched](#)
- [Imaging Equipment Outcomes Report: IE-2013-04](#)
- [Imaging Equipment Outcomes Report: IE-2013-03](#)