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Dear ENERGY STAR® Televisions Stakeholders:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) would like to remind stakeholders that after August 15, 2018, EPA-recognized certification bodies (CBs) are required to cease certification of new televisions to the Version 7.0 specification and may only certify televisions to the Version 8.0 specification. Certification bodies may continue submitting administrative modifications to existing television certifications to the Version 7.0 specification until February 28, 2019. After this date, only televisions certified to the Version 8.0 specification will appear on the ENERGY STAR website and certified products list.

CBs must notify EPA by August 16, 2018 of models certified to Version 7.0, but not yet submitted to EPA, along with information on when data will be submitted. Failure to do so will result in QPX blocking submissions of these products to EPA.

Please contact EPA at <u>Televisions@energystar.gov</u> with any questions regarding the specification. CBs should direct questions concerning the submittal of certified televisions to <u>Certification@energystar.gov</u>.

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