NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 9 February 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** Energy Conservation Program for Consumer Products and Certain Commercial and Industrial Equipment: Proposed Determination of Commercial and Industrial Fans, Blowers, and Fume Hoods as Covered Equipment

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**Description:** TITLE: Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Fans and Blowers

AGENCY: Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy

ACTION: Request for information

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE" or "the Department") is evaluating potential energy conservation standards for fans and blowers, including air circulating fans. Through this request for information ("RFI"), DOE seeks data and information to help determine whether potential energy conservation standards for fans and blowers, including air circulating fans, would result in standards that are technologically feasible and economically justified while producing significant conservation of energy. DOE welcomes written comments from the public on any subject within the scope of this document (including those topics not specifically raised in this RFI), as well as the submission of data and other relevant information.

DATES: Written comments and information are requested and will be accepted on or before 10 March 2022.

This request for information is identified by Docket Number EERE-2022-BT-STD-0002. The Docket Folder is available from Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2022-BT-STD-0002/document> and provides access to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov/) by searching the Docket Number. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov) by or before [4pm](https://time.is/EST) [Eastern Time](https://www.timeanddate.com/worldclock/) on 10 March 2022. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with the regulator and will also be submitted to the [Docket](https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2022-BT-STD-0002/document) on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.

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Energy Efficiency Program for Commercial and Industrial Equipment: Public Meeting and Availability of the Framework Document for Commercial and Industrial Pumps; [Notice of public meeting and availability of the Framework Document](https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2013-02-01/html/2013-02171.htm) published 1 February 2013 identified by Docket Number [EERE-2011-BT-STD-0031](https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2011-BT-STD-0031/document)

Energy Conservation Standards for Commercial and Industrial Fans and Blowers: Availability of Provisional Analysis Tools; [Notice of data availability](https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2014-12-10/html/2014-28918.htm) published 10 December 2014 identified by Docket Number [EERE-2013-BT-STD-0006](https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2013-BT-STD-0006/document)

Appliance Standards and Rulemaking Federal Advisory Committee: Notice of Intent To Establish the Fans and Blowers Working Group To Negotiate a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NOPR) for Energy Conservation Standards; [Notice of intent and announcement of public meetings](https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2015-04-01/html/2015-07470.htm) published 1 April 2015 identified by Docket Number [EERE-2013-BT-STD-0006](https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2013-BT-STD-0006/document)

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