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Dear ENERGY STAR[®] for Windows, Doors, and Skylights Stakeholder:

The Department of Energy (DOE) has completed its initial energy savings analysis for the 2009, 2012, and 2015 criteria. The analysis has pointed out a clear path for the 2009 criteria, but also the need for additional cost and feasibility research before establishing the 2012 and 2015 criteria. DOE must therefore reluctantly postpone the Stakeholder Meeting, originally scheduled for Thursday, May 22, until early August.

The exact date of the stakeholder meeting will be released at a later time; the revised timeline is as follows:

Tentative Timeline	
Additional Analysis	July 2007 – July 2008
Analysis and Proposed Criteria Published and Distributed	July 2008
Stakeholder Meeting	August 2008
Announce Finalized Criteria	September 2008
Earliest Effective Date of New Criteria	June 2009

DOE will issue preliminary criteria for doors and skylights shortly.

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Sincerely,

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