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- Elimination of Climate Zone Based Criteria
 - Easy Identification for Consumers and Inspectors
- Lower Opaque Phase 1 U-Factor from 0.21 to 0.18
 - Differentiate Common Energy Efficient Core Materials
- Increase ½-Lite Values from 0.25 to 0.27 (Phase 1) and from 0.20 to 0.23 (Phase 2)
 - Parallel Full-Lite Values for Like Construction and Materials
- No Maximum SHGC
 - No benefit to Limitation
- Phase 2 Relief for Decorative Glazing
 - Lower Performance Return for Increased Cost on Triple Glazed Products
- 4 Year Interval Between Phase 1 and Phase 2
 - Consistent with Certifications