

FenStarSM Certification Program

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Introductions and Scope

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What is the FenStarSM Certification Program?

- NFRC's ENERGY STAR certification program for fenestration products
- PCP certification still a requirement
- New program document series

So why is NFRC doing this?

- Encouragement from EPA, DOE, and NRCAn
- Certification Scheme requirements
- Working towards becoming Certification Body (CB) for ENERGY STAR fenestration products

Any Benefits?

- Products are meeting ENERGY STAR requirements
- Increases public's confidence
- Partnering with EPA, DOE, and NRCAn
- Increases NFRC's brand
- Reduces organizational risk

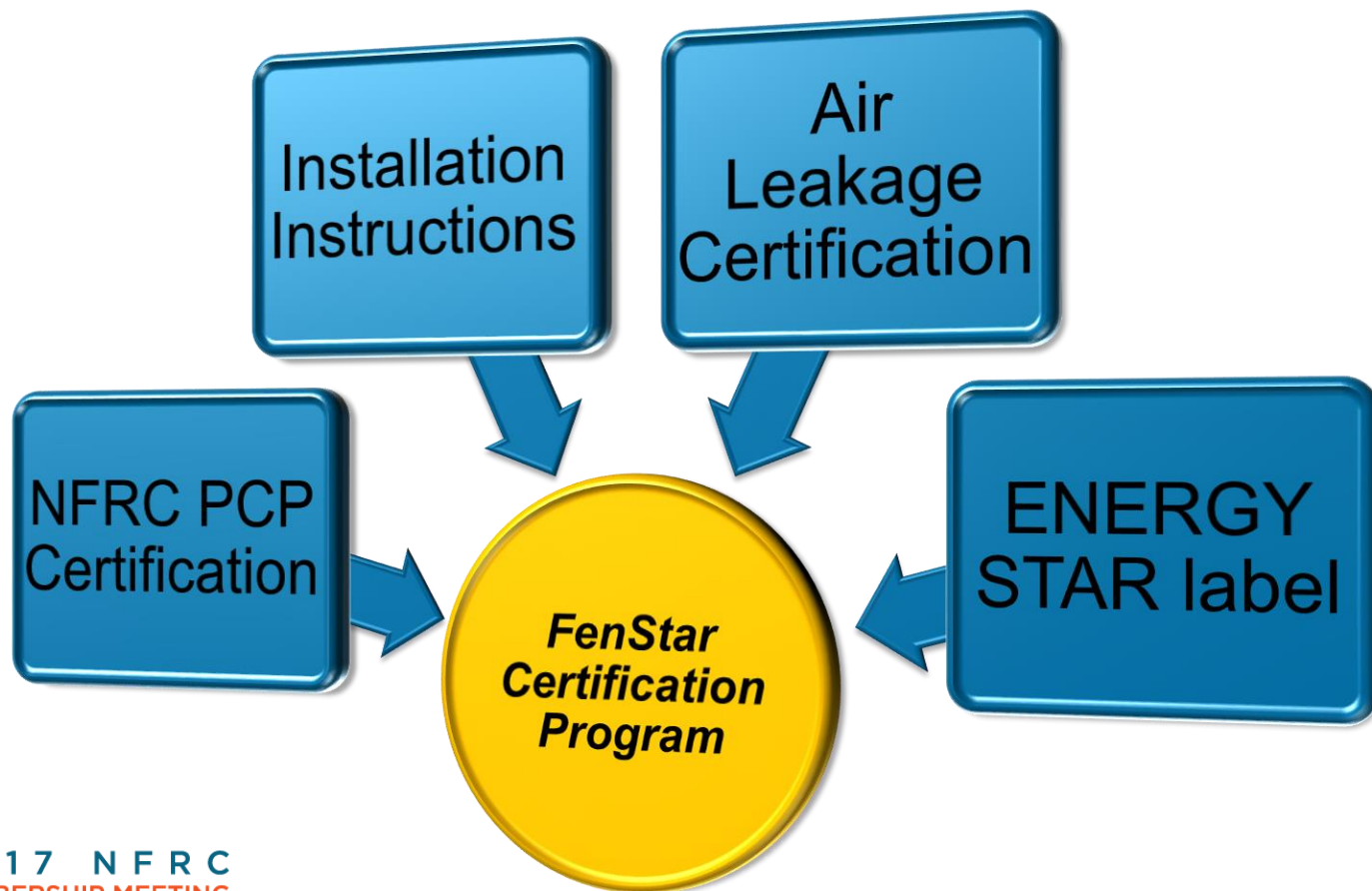
What can Licensees Expect?

- A fully accredited certification program for ENERGY STAR products
- Verification testing remains at 5%
- No immediate fee modifications
- Automatic evaluation of current ENERGY STAR products
- Some new program requirements

Role of Licensee

- New licensee agreement
- Provide product line information
- Participate in surveillance program
- Follow ENERGY STAR Partner agreement

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What happens to IVP?

- The Independent Verification Program (IVP) will no longer exist as a program
- Surveillance as part of FenStar Certification Program

FenStarSM Certification Program

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100% of ~3000 product lines
certified for ENERGY STAR

5%

Verification

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The Big Picture

PCP Certification

~7500 product lines

FenStar Certification Program

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5%

Verification



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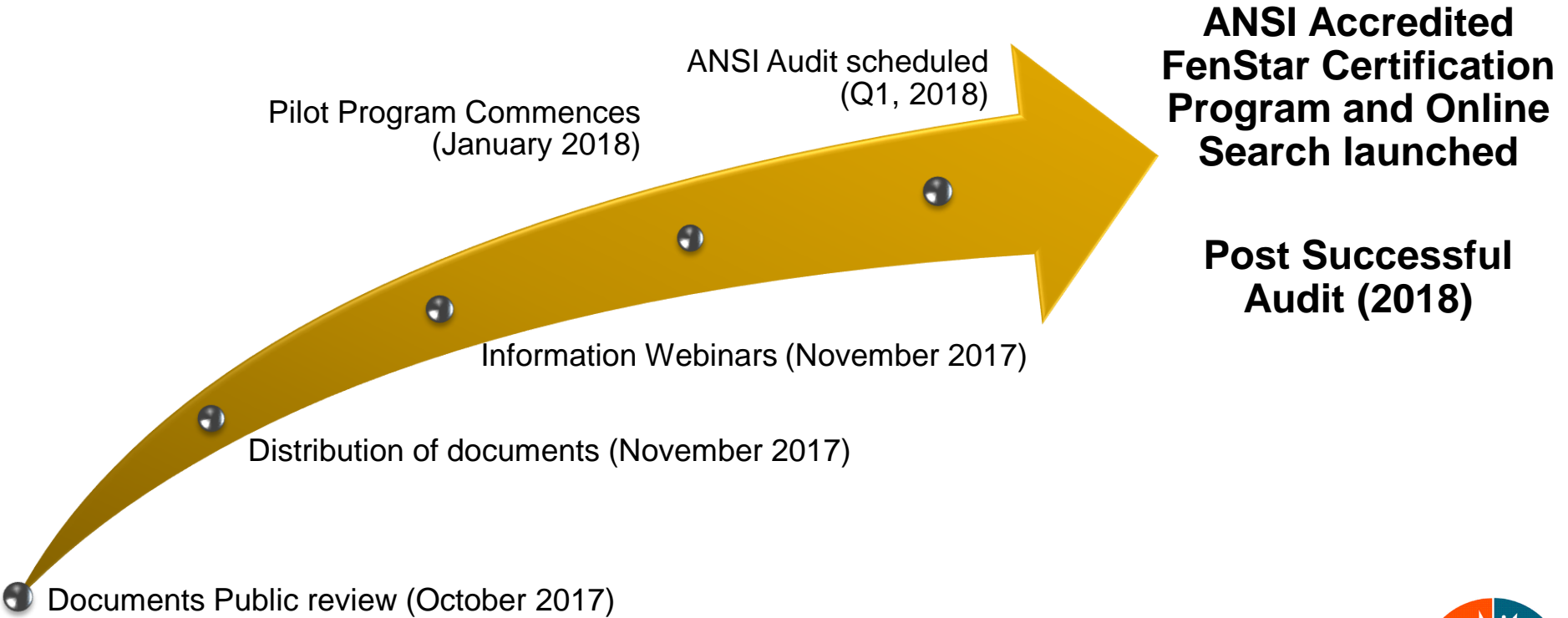
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Timeline



Sorry, as I might be repeating myself...

ADDITIONAL DETAILS



Will the program be extended to commercial?



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Is there a change regarding the NFRC and the EPA's relationship?



How will license agreements / documents be provided?

Will I have to sign a new license agreement with the EPA?



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Will I have to sign a new license agreement for the NFRC PCP?



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When is public review of the program documents to be expected?

Describe how the pilot program is going to work



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How can my company participate in the pilot program?

Email Subject Line: “Pilot Program”

Will there be new fees associated with the FenStarSM Certification Program?



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Will any training be provided?



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How can I be prepared for the FenStar Certification Program roll out?



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What is happening to the IVP?

Does this mean the ENERGY STAR testing percentage changes?



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Questions?



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