



# NFRC PCP Bulletin 2012-02

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**PROCEDURES:** NFRC 700, Product Certification Program; NFRC 714, Challenge and Appeals Procedure  
**DATE:** May 2, 2012  
**SUBJECT:** Publication of NFRC 700-2012 E1A1 and 714-2012 E0A0

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This bulletin relates to the publication and implementation of the NFRC 700-2012 E1A1 with modifications from the approved Spring 2012 Ballots and publication and implementation of the NFRC 714-2012 E0A0.

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## **Item 1: Publication and Implementation of NFRC 700-2012 E1A1**

The NFRC Board has approved NFRC 700-2012 E1A1, NFRC's Product Certification Program document from the Spring 2012 Ballots, which is published and implemented and is available on the NFRC Website.

- Summary of the NFRC 700 Board approved changes:
  - FMC Requestor
    - Changes were made to Section 6.6.5. The requestor of an FMC may be any entity with or without an NFRC License Agreement.
  - Company Name on Temporary Label
    - Changes were made to Section A.5.A. New language allows the name of a reseller, distributor, etc., in the description Product Informational section on a temporary label.
  - Reference to new NFRC Challenge and Appeals Procedure
    - New Section 9.6. Language was added to reference the new NFRC 714 Challenge Procedure Document. The NFRC 714 document allows any entity to challenge a thermophysical component property, or spectral data component used for certification ratings of NFRC rated products.
  - References to NFRC Certificates
    - Multiple sections were modified to include references to all NFRC label certificates where applicable. Appendix E, flow-chart was modified to accurately reflect required documents to be sent to an IA.

The program document can be obtained via the NFRC website here:

[NFRC Program Documents Page](#)

Download the program document here:

[NFRC 700-2012 E1A1.pdf](#)

An addendum log of the tracked changes can be downloaded here:

[NFRC 700-2012 Addendum Log E1A1.pdf](#)

## **Item 2: Approved NFRC 700 Ballots Held in Abeyance**

The NFRC Board has approved NFRC 700 Translucent Panel Sample Ballot and NFRC 700 TDD/HTDD: Test Only & VT Rating Ballot for implementation from the Spring 2012 Committee week; however, the publication and implementation has been postponed. The documents are held in abeyance until such time that the Board has reviewed and approved NFRC staff's cost analysis to implement the program and the technical documents (NFRC 202 and NFRC 203 ballots).

- Summary of the NFRC 700 ballots held in abeyance:
  - NFRC 700 Translucent Panel Sample Ballot
    - NFRC 700 language was revised to reflect that a TDD/HTDD may only achieve NFRC approved ratings with test only procedures.
    - Upon the NFRC 203 implementation and publication, manufacturers will be able to label and market TDD/HTDDs with a NFRC VT rating. NFRC 700 language and temporary label examples were modified to reflect the new requirements when implemented.
  - NFRC 700 TDD/HTDD: Test Only & VT Rating Ballot
    - NFRC 700 language was added to set the requirements of samples submitted for translucent panel ratings.

## **Item 3: Publication and Implementation of NFRC 714-2012 E0A0**

The NFRC Board has approved NFRC 714-2012 E0A0, NFRC's Challenge and Appeals Procedure document, which is published and implemented and is available on the NFRC Website. The NFRC 714 document allows any entity to challenge a thermophysical component property, or spectral data component used for certification ratings of NFRC rated products.

The program document can be obtained via the NFRC website here:

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