## Draft PDS-03 BSR/RESNET/ICC 301-2014 Addendum E-201x HouseSizeIAF

## Proposed IAF Addendum to ANSI/RESNET/ICC 301-2014

Add the following new Section:

- x.x Index Adjustment Factor (IAF). The IAF for each Rated Home shall be determined in accordance with Sections x.x.1 through x.x.5.
- x.x.1 Index Adjustment Design (IAD). An IAD shall be configured in accordance with Table x.x.1(1). Renewable Energy Systems that offset the energy consumption requirements of the Rated Home shall not be included in the IAD.

Table x.x.1(1) Configuration of Index Adjustment Design

<u>Table x.x.1(1) Configuration of Index Adjustment Design</u>	
<b>Building Component</b>	Index Adjustment Design (IAD)
General Characteristics:	Number of Stories (NS): Two (2)
	Number of Bedrooms (Nbr): Three (3)
	Conditioned Floor Area (CFA): 2400 ft <sup>2</sup>
	Number of conditioned zones: One (1)
	No attached garage
	Wall height: 17 feet (including band joist)
	Wall width: 34.64 feet facing N, S, E and W
	All heating, cooling, and hot water equipment shall be located in
	conditioned space.
Foundation:	Type: Vented crawlspace
	Venting: net free vent aperture = $1 \text{ft}^2$ per 150 $\text{ft}^2$ of crawlspace
	floor area.
	Gross floor area: 1200 ft <sup>2</sup>
	Floor U-Factor: Same as Energy Rating Reference Home
	Foundation wall: 2 feet tall, 2 feet above grade
	Wall width: 34.64 feet facing N, S, E and W
	Wall U-Factor: Same as Energy Rating Reference Home
Above-grade walls:	Type: Same as Rated Home. If more than one type, maintain same
_	proportional coverage for each type, excluding any garage wall
	and adiabatic wall areas.
	Gross Area: 2360ft <sup>2</sup> total, 590ft <sup>2</sup> facing N, S, E and W
	<u>OR</u>
	295 ft <sup>2</sup> facing N, S, E and W if Rated Home on conditioned
	basement foundation
	<u>U-Factor: Same as Rated</u>
	Solar absorptance: Same as Rated Home
	Emittance: Same as Rated Home
Conditioned basement	Type: Same as Rated Home
walls:	Gross area: 295 ft <sup>2</sup> facing N, S, E and W
	<u>U-Factor: Same as Rated Home</u>

<b>Building Component</b>	Index Adjustment Design (IAD)
	0.03 * CFA + 7.5 * (Nbr+1) cfm and with energy loads
	calculated in quadrature
	<u>Infiltration flow rate shall be determined using the following</u>
	envelope leakage rates:
	5 ACH <sub>50</sub> in IECC <sup>1</sup> Climate Zones 1-2
	3 ACH <sub>50</sub> in IECC Climate Zones 3-8
Whole-House	Balanced Whole-House Ventilation System with fan power =
Mechanical ventilation:	0.70 * fanCFM * 8.76 kWh/y
Internal gains:	As specified by Table 4.2.2(3) except that lighting shall be 75%
	high efficiency
<u>Internal mass:</u>	An internal mass for furniture and contents of 8 pounds per square
	<u>foot of floor area</u>
Structural mass:	Same as Rated Home Energy Rating Reference Home
Heating systems	Fuel type: Same as Rated Home
	Efficiencies:
	Electric: air source heat pump in accordance with Table
	<u>4.2.2(1a)</u>
	Non-electric furnaces: natural gas furnace in accordance with
	<u>Table 4.2.2(1a)</u>
	Non-electric boilers: natural gas boiler in accordance with Table
	4.2.2(1a)
	Capacity: sized in accordance with Section 4.3.3.1
<u>Cooling systems</u>	Fuel type: Electric
	Efficiency: in accordance with Table 4.2.2(1a)
	Capacity: sized in accordance with Section 4.3.3.1
Service water heating	Fuel type: same as Rated Home
<u>systems</u>	Efficiency:
	Electric: EF = $0.97 - (0.00132 * store gal)$
	Fossil fuel: $EF = 0.67 - (0.0019 * store gal)$
	Use: Same as Energy Rating Reference Home (see Addendum A)
TCI 1 1: 4 :1 4:	Tank temperature: 125 F
Thermal distribution	Thermal distribution system efficiency (DSE) of 1.00 shall be
systems:	applied to both the heating and cooling system efficiencies and
	air distribution systems shall be located within the conditioned
Thermestat	space Type: manual
<u>Thermostat</u>	Type: manual Temperature set points: cooling temperature set point = 78 F:
	Temperature set points: cooling temperature set point = 78 F; heating temperature set point = 68 F
Lighting, Appliances	Same as the Energy Rating Reference Home, except that lighting
and Miscellaneous	shall be 75% high efficiency
Electric Loads (MELs)	shan oc 7570 high efficiency
Electric Loads (MELS)	

\_

 $<sup>\</sup>underline{^{1}}$  Climate zones shall be as specified by the 2012 IECC

x.x.2 A RESNET accredited An approved Energy Rating Software Tool shall be used to determine the Energy Rating Index for the IAD (ERI<sub>IAD</sub>).

**x.x.3** The saving represented by the IAD shall be calculated using equation x.x.3-1.

$$IAD_{SAVE} = (100 - ERI_{IAD}) / 100$$
 (Eq. x.x.3-1)

**x.x.4** The IAF for the Rated Home (IAF<sub>PD</sub>) shall be calculated in accordance with equation x.x.4-1.

$$IAF_{RH} = IAF_{CFA} * IAF_{Nbr} * IAF_{NS}$$
 (Eq. x.x.4-1) where:
$$IAF_{RH} = \text{combined Index Adjustment Factor for Rated Home}$$

$$IAF_{CFA} = (2400/CFA) ^ [0.304 * (IAD_{SAVE})]$$

$$IAF_{Nbr} = 1 + [0.0730.069 * (IAD_{SAVE}) * (Nbr-3)]$$

$$IAF_{NS} = (2/NS) ^ [0.12 * (IAD_{SAVE})]$$
where:
$$CFA = \text{Conditioned Floor Area}$$

$$Nbr = \text{Number of bedrooms}$$

$$NS = \text{Number of stories}$$

## Modify equation 4.1-2 as follows:

$$ERI = PEfrac * (TnML / (TRL * IAF_{RH})) * 100$$
 (Eq 4.1-2)

where:

 $IAF_{RH}$  = Index Adjustment Factor of Rated Home

## Add the following new definitions:

<u>Index Adjustment Design</u> – a home design comprising 2-stories and 3 bedrooms with conditioned floor area of 2,400 ft2 used to determine the percentage improvement over the Energy Rating Reference Home for the purposes of determining the Index Adjustment Factor that is applied to the Rated Home.

<u>Index Adjustment Factor</u> – a value calculated using the percentage improvement of the Index Adjustment Design to determine the impact of home size, number of bedrooms and number of stories on the Energy Rating Index of the Rated Home.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Informative Note: The Residential Energy Services Network (RESNET) accredits Energy Rating Software Tools in accordance with RESNET Publication 002.