



Setting the Standards for Home Energy Efficiency

Results of RESNET Board Executive Committee Electronic Ballot on Sending Communication to the Rating Providers Belonging to the Leading Raters of America

December 19, 2018

Shall the RESNET Board Executive Committee direct the RESNET staff to send the below communication to the Rating Providers belonging to the Leading Raters of America:

To: Energy Inspectors, TopBuild, PEG and US EcoLogic

Re: Questions Regarding Application for Renewal as Accredited Rating Provider

The Leading Raters of America has announced that it has endorsed the Home Innovations Research Labs as an Energy Rating Oversight Organization. This leads to a question as to whether your company intends to conduct home energy ratings under the auspices of the Home Innovations Research Labs or under the auspices of RESNET in 2019. RESNET is concerned that ratings produced by multiple accreditation authorities would cause significant confusion in the marketplace.

As part of your application for accreditation as a Rating Provider the RESNET Board Executive Committee (Dave Bell, Philip Fairey, Matt Gingrich, Roy Honican and Nancy St. Hilaire) unanimously voted to include the following question as part of your company’s application for accreditation in 2019:

Will your company be using any rating oversight organization other than RESNET to produce home energy ratings during 2019?

If yes, please provide the name, contact information and operating standards for the oversight organization your company intends to use during 2019?

RESNET will not be able to process your company’s renewal application until we receive your answer(s).

Please bear in mind that your current accreditation lapses on January 1, 2019.

Yes - 4	No – 0	Abstain - 1
Philip Fairey		Dave Bell
Matt Gingrich		
Roy Honican		
Nancy St. Hilaire		

RESNET staff was directed to send out the communication.