

## Public Comment RE60-16 WILLIAMS-C :

**Proponent : Jeremiah Williams, representing U. S. Department of Energy (jeremiah.williams@ee.doe.gov) requests Approve as Modified by this Public Comment.**

**Modify as Follows:**

### **2015 International Energy Conservation Code**

**R402.4.1.4 Envelope air leakage (Mandatory)** Envelope air leakage, when tested in accordance with Section R402.4.1.2, and used in Section R405 or R406, shall not exceed 6.0 air changes per hour in Climate Zones 1 and 2, and 5.0 air changes per hour in Climate Zones 3 through 8.

**Commenter's Reason:** RE60-16 was disapproved in deference to another similar proposal (RE58-16). This public comment modifies RE60-16 to include mandatory trade-off limits on envelope air leakage when using the Simulated Performance Alternative (R405) or Energy Rating Index Compliance Alternative (R406). These mandatory limits are consistent with those approved by the Committee in RE58-16.