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**GEORGIA WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM NOTICE 15-03**  
**EFFECTIVE DATE: June 11, 2015**

**SUBJECT:** GEORGIA WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM STANDARD WORK SPECIFICATION SINGLE FAMILY FIELD GUIDE UPDATE

**PURPOSE:** To provide the Georgia WAP network an update for Standard Work Specification 7.8103.1c.

**SCOPE:** The provisions of this guidance apply to all sub-grantees awarded a weatherization assistance grant by GEFA under the Department of Energy (DOE) Weatherization Assistance Program.

**PROCEDURES:**

1. The Georgia Weatherization Assistance Program Standard Work Specifications Field Guide for Single-Family Homes has the following change(s):

**Current:**

Standard Work Specification 7.8103.1c - Thermal efficiency (Page 516 of 519, Baseload > Water Heating > Maintenance/Inspection), **Specification(s): Water heater storage tanks shall have a minimum R-value of R-24, unless the SIR to add insulation is less than 1.0**

**Changed to:**

Georgia Weatherization Assistance Program Standard Work Specifications Field Guide for Single-Family Homes: Standard Work Specification 7.8103.1c - Thermal efficiency (Page 516 of 519, Baseload > Water Heating > Maintenance/Inspection), **Specification(s): Water heater storage tanks must be insulated to R-5 or better unless Manufacturer prohibits adding external insulation**

2. The change in the aforementioned SWS dictates a change to the Priority Lists.

**From:**

The Georgia Weatherization Assistance Program Standard Work Specifications Field Guide for Single-Family Homes (Page 5 of 519, Required Measures, General Waste Heat, A. Water Heater, 1. **Water heater storage tanks must be insulated to R-24 or better**

**Changed to:**

The Georgia Weatherization Assistance Program Standard Work Specifications Field Guide for Single-Family Homes (Page 5 of 519, Required Measures, General Waste Heat, A. Water Heater, 1. **Water**

**heater storage tanks must be insulated to R-5 or better unless Manufacturer prohibits adding external insulation**

**\*This change is effective immediately. A copy of this Georgia WX Program Notice 15-03 must be maintained in the Single-Family Field Guide until a replacement pages become available.**

**Sign for acknowledgement of receipt & understanding**

\_\_\_\_\_ (Weatherization Sub-grantee), certify that we have read and understand the Guidance contained in this notice.

Signature below indicates receipt of this guidance and immediate implementation.

Executive Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Return to Jeffrey Frye by June 24, 2015*