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January 12, 2016

Ms. Brenda Edwards  
U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)  
Building Technologies Program, MS EE-5B  
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20585-0121

Re: NOPR for Import Data Collection  
Docket No. EERE-2015-BT-CE-0019 and RIN number 1990-AA44

Dear Ms. Edwards,

On behalf of the North American Association of Food Equipment Manufacturers (NAFEM), we respectfully request that the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) conduct a public meeting for the Notice of Proposed Rule (NOPR) regarding data collections for imported covered products. We also request that the comment period be extended 30 days after the public meeting. (As you know, the comment period is currently scheduled to close Friday, Feb. 12, 2016.)

The public meeting will provide an opportunity for the DOE and stakeholders to discuss the NOPR and identify how to achieve its objectives within the existing infrastructure. We also request a 30-day extension of the comments deadline to incorporate the public meeting information in our association's position and will encourage our member companies to do the same.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you have questions or comments, please be sure to let me know.

Respectfully submitted,

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