Dear Power Supply Manufacturer or Other Interested Party:

During APEC 2004, EPA announced completion of a new external power supply test procedure and presented a first Draft of the ENERGY STAR single voltage external ac-dc power supply specification. These documents are attached for your review and can be found at <u>www.energystar.gov/powersupplies</u> along with EPA's press release, the APEC plenary presentation, and other important power supply information.

Please take a moment to read the attached memo from EPA, which outlines the next steps in the external power supply specification development process. All stakeholders are encouraged to provide comments on the ENERGY STAR Draft specification **by April 15**, **2004**. Please send comments to Brooke Taylor, ICF Consulting, at <u>btaylor@icfconsulting.com</u>.

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Thank you