U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY | Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy

ENERGY STAR® STATE APPLIANCE REBATE PROGRAM

As part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the U.S. Department of Energy is providing funding to states and territories to support consumer rebate programs for ENERGY STAR qualified appliances. Under these programs, consumers can receive rebates to purchase energy-efficient appliances when they replace used appliances. Eligibility guidelines, covered products, and rebate amounts differ by state, so consumers should review program requirements carefully.

CONNECTICUT

State of Connecticut, Office of Policy and Management

REBATES AVAILABLE - PROGRAM CLOSED

Connecticut had two phases of rebates. Phase I rebates for eligible products began January 25, 2010. Phase II began April 1 for all existing eligible products plus water heaters. Products must have been purchased by July 15, 2010. Purchases after this date are not eligible and purchases made before are subject to rebate fund availability. Applications must have been postmarked no later than August 16, 2010. Before making a purchase, confirm funding and requirements with the program sponsor listed in the HOW TO APPLY section.

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PRODUCT		REQUIREMENTS	AMOUNT
AIR CONDITIONERS	Central	For split systems, has a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) of at least 15, and an Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) of at least 12.5. For packaged systems, has a SEER of at least 14, and an EER of at least 12.*	$500
	Room	ENERGY STAR qualified.	$50
Clothes Washers		Has a Modified Energy Factor (MEF) of at least 2.0. Has a Water Factor (WF) of not more than 6.0.*	$100
Freezers		ENERGY STAR qualified.	$50
Heat Pumps (Air-Source)		Must have a heating seasonal performance factor of at least 8.5, an Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) of at least 12.5, and a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) of at least 15.*	$500
Refrigerators		ENERGY STAR qualified.	$50

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WATER HEATERS	Electric Heat Pump	ENERGY STAR qualified. Has an Energy Factor (EF) of at least 2.0.	$400
	Gas Storage**	ENERGY STAR qualified. Has an Energy Factor (EF) of at least 0.62 to 0.66.	$100
		Has an Energy Factor (EF) of at least 0.67.*	$200
	Gas Tankless**	ENERGY STAR qualified. Has an Energy Factor (EF) of at least 0.82.	$250
	Solar, Electric Backup	ENERGY STAR qualified. Has a Solar Fraction (SF) of at least 0.5.	$400
	Solar, Gas Backup**	ENERGY STAR qualified. Has a Solar Fraction (SF) of at least 0.5.	$400

*Exceeds current ENERGY STAR criteria. **Includes natural gas and propane water heaters.

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HOW TO APPLY

Consumers can obtain a rebate application at retail locations and through installation contractors. Rebate applications will also be available on the utility partner Web sites, on the state's energy information Web site, or by calling the local utility company. Consumers must apply for rebates within 30 days of purchase. Rebates will be paid on a first-come, first-served basis. Rebates will be issued to consumers within 60 days of receipt of a complete application packet, based on availability of funds.

Consumers may contact their local utility company for additional information.

For more information: www.ct.gov/opm/ApplianceRebates

ELIGIBILITY

Consumers must be a residential electric customer of either Connecticut Light & Power, United Illuminating Co., or Connecticut Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative. Appliances must be installed in the State of Connecticut, must replace existing appliances, and must be installed by a licensed contractor, when applicable. Purchase, replacement, and installation must take place during the program effective dates (January 25, 2010, to September 30, 2010, for Phase I, and April 1, 2010, to September 30, 2010, for Phase II). Rebate amount cannot exceed 50 percent of the cost of the product. Limit three room air conditioner rebates per household; limit one rebate per other appliance per household.

RESOURCES

DOE Energy Savers
www.energysavers.gov

ENERGY STAR Rebate Finder
www.energystar.gov/rebatefinder

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DOE Recovery Act Hotline
1-888-DOE-RCVY (1-888-363-7289)
www.energysavers.gov/rebates