

Dear Mr Kemna

On behalf of manufactures of the "Indoor Climate associations" in Nordic countries, we write you, as to highlight the technical values in having SFP values, as a significant part, in all regulations concerning Ventilation and Air condition.

We realised in the latest LOT 6 Stakeholder meeting in Bruxelles spt. 30. a significant lack of understanding, and knowledge, in how useful and simple SFP values are. Especially compared to other energy calculation methods.

We –the National associations of the Nordic countries, have encountered the ease, the applicability and the value in the use of SFP calculation methodology. We have realised the industries have adapted very quickly, in the use of SFP, and we have rapidly learned the market has adapted it as well.

We have seen the understanding of SFP being spread into continental Europe, to the south in steps of 200 km southward p.a.

We are anxious, if SFP should be suppressed in the final wording of LOT 6, and we are able to furnish you and your partners, in case you need further details, figures or else.

In our recent joint Nordic meeting amongst Norway, Sweden, Finland and Denmark, we jointly agreed to recommend/demand having SFP highlighted, and we have made the following statement, to be taken into account in the proceedings concerning LOT 6.

The National associations of the Nordic countries strongly recommend having the following section con. SFP values as integrated part of LOT 6.

Energy used to move the air in a system for air condition and ventilation installations can only be calculated correctly and inspected correctly, when SFP methodology is used.

The SFP methodology is well specified in EN13779, where different SFP-classes are defined, as a direct expression of the energy that the fan uses for air transportation.

SFP-values given for defined external pressures make it possible to clearly define the responsibility of the product manufacturers.

Since SFP-values are directly adaptable in EPBD approach for energy savings for the entire systems governed by EPBD regulations, the use of SFP-values also for Eco-design will give an excellent link between EPBD approach and Eco-design.

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We are at your service in all aspects as to support and clarify whenever needed.

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