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Hi Adrian-

On behalf of Cree worldwide, we fully support the new T24 language which provides exemptions from Code compliance in the case of:

“One for one replacement of luminaires where the new luminaires have the same or lower power consumption compared to the original luminaires” AND “One for one replacement of luminaire components where the modified luminaires have the same or lower power consumption compared to the original luminaires”

Given that the focus of energy efficiency retrofit projects is the installation of new luminaires or modifications to luminaires resulting in lower power consumption, these proposed exemptions effectively allow energy efficiency providers to once again comprehensively address commercial projects of all sizes. The current requirements have stifled growth in many industry sectors, these changes would clearly boost energy efficiency with retrofit projects and bring us closer to our 2020 state goals.

Best regards,
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