Procurement standards





| PRODUCT | MINIMUM REQUIREMENT |
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| Tap fittings (internal and external) | 4 star Water Efficiency Labeling Scheme (WELS) rating. |
| Toilets | 4 star WELS rating. |
| Urinals (trough and wall hung) | 5 star WELS rating (preferably waterless – with maintenance flush if required). |
| Washing machines (clothes) | 4 star WELS rating. 4.5 star energy rating. |
| Clothes dryers | 3.5 star energy rating. |
| Washing machines (dishes) | 4 star WELS rating. 3.5 star energy rating. |
| Fridges and Freezers | 3.5 star energy rating. |
| Showerheads | 3 star WELS rating. |
| Printers, copiers, faxes, scanners, computers, monitors, televisions, DVD players, etc. | ENERGY STAR® compliant – where a rating exists, appliances must be a minimum of 3.5 star energy rated. |
| Hot water urns | Timer switch to be included in the install. |
| Hot water systems | Minimum 4 star energy rating and incorporating solar or heat pump technology wherever possible. |
| Split system air conditioners | Minimum 5 star energy rating. Consider the use of solar or heat pump assisted units. |
| Packaged unit air conditioners | Minimum 5 star energy rating. Consider the use of solar or heat pump assisted units. |
| Other energy/water consuming equipment | For all other energy and/or water consuming products ensure the product is in the top 5 for efficiency. |
| Office paper | Minimum 50% recycled content and Forestry Stewardship Council certified. |
| Toilet paper/hand-towels | Not to be sourced from native forests. Preferably with post-consumer recycled paper content. |

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Refer to <u>Council's Environmental Design Guidelines</u> for information on glazing, insulation, rainwater tanks, etc.