

STATE BUILDING CODE OPINION 25-May01

CODE: 2021 WSEC-R

SECTION: R406.3, High Efficiency HVAC System Options

QUESTION: When selecting energy credit option 4.1 in Table R406.3, does ventilation equipment such as an HRV or ERV need to be within the conditioned space?

ANSWER: **Yes. The option states that HVAC equipment and associated ducts must comply with Section R403.3.2. Item 2 of Section R403.3.2 requires that all heating, cooling and ventilation system components be installed within the conditioned space.**

SUPERSEDES: None

REQUESTED BY: City of West Richland