

We received one comment on our update to the State-Funded Lodging specification. It raised general concerns about the Audubon International Green Lodging program but did not include any specifics about the proposed new standard. We considered the comments and decided to retain Audubon as a standard, as it meets the criteria we have set for a robust lodging certification program, including strong entry criteria, third party verification of commitments, requirements for continuous improvement, and a commitment to communicate sustainable practices to employees and the public.