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## **RESIDENTIAL CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONERS AND HEAT PUMPS**

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**Q: Once I have filed a notice of discontinuance for a split system residential air conditioning system that consists of indoor and outdoor components, can the component parts still be offered for sale as individual components?**

**A: The** certification is for an air conditioning system, so the system can be reported to DOE as discontinued if the following requirements are met:

- The outdoor/indoor unit combination must not be offered for sale and must not be identified as a combination to the public (e.g., on AHRI's web site).
- The individual components may continue to be offered for sale as replacement components only.
- No new systems can be sold.