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Rain Bird Receives ICC-ES PMG Product Certification to the WaterSense Specification for Weather-based Irrigation Controllers

The ICC Evaluation Service ([ICC-ES](http://www.icc-es.org)) Plumbing, Mechanical and Fuel Gas ([PMG](#)) Listing Program announced today that it has certified [Rain Bird](#) products to the requirements of the U.S. [EPA's](#) WaterSense[®] Specification for Weather-based Irrigation Controllers.

“We are delighted that Rain Bird chose ICC-ES PMG as their certification agency of choice to deliver the certification service for them. ICC-ES PMG will continue to serve the irrigation controller industry with the aim of exceeding the certification needs of that growing industry,” said Maribel Campos, ICC-ES PMG Director of Standards.

[WaterSense](#) labeled irrigation controllers use local weather and landscape conditions to tailor watering schedules to actual conditions on the site. WaterSense labeled controllers allow watering schedules to better match plants' water needs. The WaterSense [specification](#) for weather-based irrigation controllers is available on the WaterSense [website](#).

“ICC-ES' speed, attention to detail, and high quality service were critical to our success in getting early certification under the EPA WaterSense program,” said Randy Hall, Rain Bird Controller Product Manager.

The ICC-ES PMG program offers a full range of certification activities for both the U.S. and Canadian regions. ICC-ES PMG can certify your products to AB1953, NSF/ANSI Standard 372, S.3874 (Federal Law for Reduction of Lead in Drinking Water) and the requirements of WaterSense. For more information, please contact ICC-ES at 1-800-423-6587 ext. 7643, or by e-mail at espmg@icc-es.org.

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