



New buildings constructed after January 1, 2019, are required to demonstrate energy compliance to *The National Energy Code for Buildings* (NECB) or *The National Building Code* (NBC), Section 9.36, as applicable (see flowchart). These buildings must continue to meet energy requirements on a go-forward basis including alterations and additions to those buildings.

As amended January 1, 2024 in *The Building Code Regulations* and *The Energy Code Regulations*, alterations and additions to buildings constructed prior to January 1, 2019 are exempt from meeting energy efficiency requirements.

Notes:

1. See amendments within *The Building Code Regulations* and *The Energy Code Regulations*.
2. Airtightness testing (blower door) required when Tiered Prescriptive achieves points through Table 9.36.8.8.
3. Airtightness testing (blower door) required when Tiered Performance has an air-leakage rate of less than 3.2 ACH@50 Pa.