The acquisition of NTA into the ICC Family of Solutions in 2019 greatly expanded the services the Code Council provides by adding testing and inspection capabilities. This important addition streamlines the technical evaluation process provided by ICC Evaluation Service (ICC-ES).

To solidify ICC-ES as your one-stop-shop for testing, inspection, and certification, NTA labs are now branded and recognized as ICC-ES labs, and the team will work together to ensure your project is transitioned seamlessly, without any changes needed on your part.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- **Why is this change happening?**
  - Offering a united, cohesive brand image will solidify ICC-ES as the preferred provider for all testing, inspection and certification services under one roof. Both teams working together streamlines the process for clients and resources can readily be shared across companies.

- **Does this change who I am working with? Are my points of contact still the same?**
  - This does not affect your points of contact, please continue working with the same person(s) currently assigned to your project.

- **Does this invalidate any of my past test reports?**
  - This will not invalidate any of your past test reports, and they will still be accessible in our system.

- **Do I have to use ICC-ES for testing?**
  - A test report from any ISO 17025 accredited laboratory will be accepted.

- **Is it faster or easier if I use ICC-ES for testing?**
  - Yes! Because resources are quickly shared within our companies, transferring your test data to your Staff Engineer is a fast and seamless process.

- **Do I have to use ICC-ES for inspection?**
  - ICC-ES as the certification agency must be responsible for the inspections, but we may use either our internal inspection resources or subcontracted inspection resources.