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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Food and Nutrition Service

#### 7 CFR Parts 210 and 220

[FNS-2008-0033]

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#### School Food Safety Program Based on Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point Principles (HACCP); Approval of Information Collection Request

**AGENCY:** Food and Nutrition Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Final rule; approval of information collection request.

**SUMMARY:** The final rule entitled School Food Safety Program Based on Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point Principles (HACCP) was published on December 15, 2009, which implemented a legislative provision requiring school food authorities participating in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) or the School Breakfast Program (SBP) to develop a school food safety program for the preparation and service of school meals served to children. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) cleared the associated information collection requirements (ICR) on November 2, 2009. This document announces approval of the ICR.

**DATES:** The ICR associated with the final rule published in the **Federal Register** on December 15, 2009, at 74 FR 66213, was approved by OMB on December 30, 2009, under OMB Control Number 0584-0550.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The December 15, 2009 (74 FR 66213), final rule implemented a legislative provision which requires school food authorities participating in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) or the School Breakfast Program (SBP) to develop a school food safety program for the preparation and service of school meals served to children. The school food safety program must be based on the (HACCP) system established by the Secretary of Agriculture. The food safety program enables schools to take systematic action to prevent or minimize the risk of food-borne illness among children participating in the NSLP and SBP. The information collection requirements were approved by OMB on December 30, 2009.

Dated: February 4, 2010.

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## FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE BOARD

### 12 CFR Parts 926, 940 and 960

#### FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY

#### 12 CFR Parts 1264, 1265 and 1269

RIN 2590-AA33

#### Federal Home Loan Bank Housing Associates, Core Mission Activities and Standby Letters of Credit

**AGENCY:** Federal Housing Finance Agency, Federal Housing Finance Board.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Housing Finance Agency (FHFA) is transferring regulations of the former Federal Housing Finance Board (Finance Board) to the FHFA's regulations. These regulations address, respectively, Federal Home Loan Bank (Bank) housing associates, the Banks' core mission activities, and Bank issuance of standby letters of credits. FHFA is not making any substantive amendments to these regulations, and is making only those changes that are necessary to accomplish the transfer and to account for the fact that FHFA has succeeded the

Finance Board as the regulator for the Banks.

**DATES:** This rule is effective March 26, 2010.

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#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Background

On July 30, 2008, the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (HERA), Public Law 110-289, 122 Stat. 2654 (2008), became law and created FHFA as an independent agency of the Federal Government. Among other things, HERA transferred to FHFA the supervisory and oversight responsibilities over the Banks that formerly had been vested in the now abolished Finance Board. The Banks continue to operate under regulations promulgated by the Finance Board until such time as the existing regulations are supplanted by regulations promulgated by FHFA.

##### II. The Final Regulation

The final regulation relocates rules addressing Bank housing associates from part 926 of the Finance Board regulations to part 1263 of the FHFA regulations; the Banks' core mission activities from part 940 of the Finance Board regulations to part 1265 of the FHFA regulations and Bank issuance of standby letters of credit from part 960 of the Finance Board regulations to part 1269 of the FHFA regulations. This rulemaking is part of FHFA's efforts to transfer the regulations of the former Finance Board from 12 CFR chapter IX, to 12 CFR chapter XII, which contains the FHFA regulations. The rule also makes conforming changes to references to reflect the new part numbers and will add to the new parts definitions that are contained in part 900 of the Finance Board regulations and are applicable to all regulations contained in 12 CFR chapter IX (but would not be applicable to the regulations after they are transferred to 12 CFR chapter XII). The rule also changes references such as those to the Finance Board, to conform to statutory changes made by HERA.