

continue its good faith efforts to correct affected homes at no cost to affected homeowners.

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Housing Programs.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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Notice of Extension of Time for Completion of Manufacturer Corrections Approved Under a Waiver of a Plan for Notification

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing
Commissioner, Department of Housing
and Urban Development (HUD).

ACTION: Notice of extension of time.

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that HUD received a request from Champion Home Builders, Incorporated (Champion) for an extension of time to fully implement its plan to correct affected homes without implementation of a Plan of Notification. Certain manufactured homes built and sold by Champion contained certain Nortek furnace models with the potential for incorrect wiring of circuit breakers used for over-current protection of the furnace. After reviewing Champion's request, HUD determined that Champion has shown good cause and granted its request for an extension. The requested extension is granted until May 4, 2016.

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708-6423 (this is not a toll-free
number). Persons who have difficulty
hearing or speaking may access this
number via TTY by calling the toll-free
Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339.

DATES: *Effective Date:* April 8, 2016.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The
National Manufactured Housing
Construction and Safety Standards Act
of 1974 (42 U.S.C. 5401-5426) (the Act)
authorizes HUD to establish the Federal
Manufactured Home Construction and
Safety Standards (Construction and
Safety Standards), codified in 24 CFR
part 3280. Section 615 of the Act (42
U.S.C. 5414) requires that manufacturers
of manufactured homes notify

purchasers if the manufacturer
determines, in good faith, that a defect
exists or is likely to exist in more than
one home manufactured by the
manufacturer and the defect relates to
the Construction and Safety Standards
or constitutes an imminent safety
hazard to the purchaser of the
manufactured home. The notification
shall also inform purchasers whether
the defect is one that the manufacturer
will have corrected at no cost or is one
that must be corrected at the expense of
the purchaser/owner. The manufacturer
is responsible for notifying purchasers
of the defect within a reasonable time
after discovering the defect.

HUD's procedural and enforcement
provisions at 24 CFR part 3282, subpart
I (Subpart I) implement these
notification and correction
requirements. If a manufacturer
determines that it is responsible for
providing notification under § 3282.405
and correction under § 3282.406, the
manufacturer must prepare a plan for
notifying purchasers of the homes
containing the defect pursuant to
§§ 3282.408 and 3282.409. Notification
of purchasers must be accomplished by
certified mail or other more expeditious
means that provides a receipt.
Notification must be provided to each
retailer or distributor to whom any
manufactured home in the class of
homes containing the defect was
delivered, to the first purchaser of each
manufactured home in the class of
manufactured homes containing the
defect, and to other persons who are a
registered owners of a manufactured
home in the class of homes containing
the defect. The manufacturer must
complete the implementation of the
plan for notification and correction on
or before the deadline approved by the
State Administrative Agency or HUD.
Pursuant to § 3282.407(c),
manufacturers may request a waiver of
the notification requirements if, among
other things, all affected homes have
been identified and the manufacturer
agrees to correct all affected homes
within a specific time from the approval
date.

Under § 3282.410(c), the manufacturer
may request an extension of a
previously established deadline if it
shows good cause for the extension and
HUD decides that the extension is
justified and not contrary to the public
interest. If the request for extension is
approved, § 3282.410(c) requires that
HUD publish notice of the extension in
the **Federal Register**.

On December 25, 2015, Champion¹
notified HUD and requested a waiver of
notification for certain manufactured
homes that contained furnaces with
circuit breaker wiring labels that if
followed, would result in incorrect
electrical circuit completion.
Specifically, the homes were installed
with certain Nortek furnaces, which
were subsequently voluntarily
identified by Nortek as being affected by
its labeling problem. HUD approved
Champion's waiver request on January
4, 2016, and subsequently approved an
additional 30 days on March 4, 2016.
On April 8, 2016, Champion submitted
a request for an additional extension
regarding the completion of corrections
required, originally to be completed
within HUD's waiver approval deadline
(by April 4, 2016). Pursuant to its
waiver request, Champion stated that it
was working with the furnace
manufacturer (Nortek) to correct
affected homes in the hands of
consumers.

Champion by letter dated April 8,
2016, requested an extension of 30 days
to complete the correction process. This
notice advises that HUD, on April 8,
2016, concluded that Champion has
shown good cause and that the
extension is justified and not contrary to
the public interest, and granted the
requested extension until May 4, 2016.
This extension permits Champion to
continue its good faith efforts to correct
affected homes at no cost to affected
homeowners.

Dated: April 25, 2016.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection Comment Request Fair Housing Initiatives Program Grant Application and Monitoring Reports

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Fair Housing and Equal
Opportunity (FHEO), Department of
Housing and Urban Development
(HUD).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HUD is seeking approval from
the Office of Management and Budget
(OMB) for the information collection

¹ Information about Champion Homes can be
found at <http://www.championhomes.com>.