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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the name and telephone number of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

This Notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Multifamily Tenant Characteristics Family Report.

OMB Approval Number: 2577-0083.

Form Numbers: 50058, 50058-MTW.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) intends to revise Form HUD-50058 in a manner that will require changes to the Form HUD-50058 Module in the Public and Indian Housing Information Center (PIC), but will not require changes in software systems of public housing agencies or vendors supporting public housing agencies. HUD will maintain the current information collection burden until the changes in HUD's PIC system have been completed. Therefore, HUD seeks comments on the proposed revisions to the Form HUD-50058 and on the proposal to extend the existing Form HUD-50058 (6/2001) until the revisions are fully implemented.

The Form HUD-50058 collects demographic and income data on residents participating in PIH's Public Housing, Section 8 Housing Choice

Voucher, Section 8 Project Based Certificates, and Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation programs. Public housing agencies will transmit the form electronically to HUD at least annually for each household.

The Department updated the currently approved Form HUD-50058 by removing obsolete and unnecessary data fields. These deletions will not require vendors to modify their software for reporting family data to the Public and Indian Housing Information Center (PIC)—the information system that collects electronic Form HUD-50058 data. Public housing agencies should not modify their software to reflect the deletions, but they are no longer required to send data in the fields that HUD has deleted. If public housing agencies submit data for the deleted fields using the file structure of the current form (Form HUD-50058 (6/2001)), the PIC system will ignore the data.

HUD seeks comments on the proposal to extend the existing Form HUD-50058 MTW (6/2001). The Form HUD-50058 MTW collects demographic and income data on residents participating in PIH's Public Housing, Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher, Section 8 Project Based Certificates, and Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation programs and whose public housing agencies participate in the Moving-to-Work (MTW) program. MTW-PHA (*i.e.*, public housing agencies participating in the Moving-to-Work demonstration program) will transmit the form electronically to HUD at least annually for each household.

Form HUD-50058 MTW addresses the particular reporting requirements and constraints for public housing agencies that participate in the Moving-to-Work (MTW) demonstration program mandated by Section 206 of the 1996 HUD Appropriations Act. This information collection effort supports MTW program monitoring and evaluation, as required by Congress.

MTW-PHA will use the Form HUD-50058 MTW to collect data on MTW-families only. MTW-families include families who participate in any component of the MTW program. This includes families who receive self-sufficiency support services but pay rent under conventional program rules. Non-MTW-families include families who reside in a MTW-PHA but do not participate in any component of the MTW program. MTW-PHA will continue to use the regular Form HUD-50058 for Non-MTW families.

Respondents: Public housing agencies, State and local governments, individuals and households.

Frequency of Submission: Quarterly, monthly, annually.

Reporting Burden: Number of Respondents 4,526; Average responses per respondent 1,077; Total annual responses 4,874,180.

Total Estimated Burden Hours: 1,624,727.

Status: Extension of a currently approved collection; HUD is seeking renewal of the approval for this information collection requirement.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: September 30, 2003.

Wayne Eddins,

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4815-N-80]

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB: Mortgagees Annual Notification to Mortgagees

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

Mortgagees are required to inform mortgagees of interest paid and taxes disbursed from escrow accounts for income tax purposes. Servicing lenders must maintain a toll free number, and servicing personnel for mortgagees' enquiries. Mortgagees must provide interest accounting in such a way as to allow the homeowner to easily identify the amount of any subsidy HUD paid on behalf of the homeowner. HUD is seeking renewal of the approval for this information collection requirement.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* November 6, 2003.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval number (2502-0235) and should be sent to: Lauren Wittenberg, OMB Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, New Executive Office Building,

Washington, DC 20503; Fax number (202) 395-6974; E-mail Lauren_Wittenberg@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Wayne Eddins, Reports Management Officer, AYO, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, Southwest, Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Wayne_Eddins@HUD.gov; telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of the proposed forms and other available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Mr. Eddins or on HUD's Web site at <http://mf.hud.gov:63001/po/i/icbts/collectionsearch.cfm>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department has submitted the proposal for the collection of information, as described below, to OMB for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). The Notice lists the following information: (1) The title of the information collection proposal; (2) the office of the agency to collect the information; (3) the OMB approval number, if applicable; (4) the description of the need for the information and its proposed use; (5) the agency form number, if applicable; (6) what members of the public will be affected by the proposal; (7) how frequently information submissions will be required; (8) an estimate of the total number of hours needed to prepare the information submission including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response; (9) whether the proposal is new, an extension, reinstatement, or revision of an information collection requirement; and (10) the name and telephone number of an agency official familiar with the proposal and of the OMB Desk Officer for the Department.

This Notice also lists the following information: *Title of Proposal:* Mortgagees Annual Notification to Mortgagors.

OMB Approval Number: 2502-0235.
Form Numbers: None.

Description of the Need for the Information and its Proposed Use: Mortgagees are required to inform mortgagors of interest paid and taxes disbursed from escrow accounts for income tax purposes. Servicing lenders must maintain a toll free number, and servicing personnel for mortgagors' enquiries. Mortgagees must provide interest accounting in such a way as to allow the homeowner to easily identify the amount of any subsidy HUD paid on behalf of the homeowner.

Respondents: For-profit institutions.
Frequency of Submission: Annually.
Reporting Burden: Number of Respondents 1,622; Average responses

per respondent 3,391; Total annual responses 5,499,507.

Total Estimated Burden Hours: 1,689.
Status: Extension of a currently approved collection; HUD is seeking renewal of the approval for this information collection requirement.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: September 30, 2003.
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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4679-N-07]

Changes in Certain Multifamily Mortgage Insurance Premiums

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice reissues as final the notice published on July 1, 2003, for public comment. That notice lowered the mortgage insurance premiums (MIP) for certain Federal Housing Administration (FHA) insurance programs whose commitments will be issued in Fiscal Year (FY) 2004. HUD received no comments from the public on that notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael McCullough, Director, Office of Multifamily Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410-8000, (202) 708-1142 (this is not a toll-free number). Hearing- or speech-impaired individuals may access these numbers through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On March 17, 2003 (68 FR 12792), HUD published a final rule on "Mortgage Insurance Premiums in Multifamily Housing Programs," which revised the regulatory system for establishing the MIP. Instead of setting the MIP at a specific rate, the Secretary is permitted to charge an MIP within the full range of HUD's statutory authority of one fourth of one percent to one percent through a notice, as provided in section 203(c)(1) of the National Housing Act (the Act) (12 U.S.C. 1709(c)(1)). The March 17, 2003, final

rule stated that HUD would provide a 30-day period for public comment on future notices changing mortgage insurance premiums in multifamily insured housing programs.

Pursuant to that procedure, this notice lowers mortgage insurance premiums in FY 2004 to 50 basis points for multifamily programs authorized under Sections 207, 220, and 221(d)(4) of the Act without low-income housing tax credits, Section 231 of the Act, and insured programs with HOPE VI with or without low-income housing tax credits. The effective date of these changes is October 1, 2003. Multifamily programs under the following sections of the Act will remain at 80 basis points and will continue to require a credit subsidy obligation: Section 221(d)(3) for nonprofit and cooperatives for new construction or rehabilitation, Section 223(d) for operating loss loans for both apartments and health care facilities, and Section 241(a) for supplemental loans for additions or improvements to existing apartments. The MIP for sections 223(a)(7), and 207 pursuant to 223(f), 232, 232 pursuant to 223(f), 242, and 241(a) of the Act for health care facilities, Title XI, and low-income housing tax credit projects remain unchanged at 50 basis points.

The mortgage insurance premiums in effect for FHA firm commitments issued, amended, or reissued in FY 2004, are shown in the table below:

Fiscal Year 2004	
Multifamily loan program	Basis points
Section 207—Multifamily Housing—New Constr/Sub. Rehab	50
Section 207—Manufactured Home Parks	50
Section 220—Housing In Urban Renewal Areas	50
Section 221(d)(3)—Moderate Income Housing	80
Section 221(d)(4)—Moderate Income Housing	50
Section 223(a)(7)—Refinancing of Insured Multifamily Project	50
Section 223(d)—Operating Loss Loans	80
Section 207 pursuant to 223(f)—Purchase or Refinance Housing	*50
Section 213—Cooperatives	50
Section 231—Housing for the Elderly	50
Section 232—Health Care Facilities	50
Section 232 pursuant to Section 223(f)—Purchase or Refinance Health Care	*50
Section 234(d)—Condominium Housing	50
Section 241(a)—Additions & Improvements for Apartments	80