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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: April 5, 2000.

Time: 2 p.m. to 4:40 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Richard Marcus, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5168, MSC 7844, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-435-1245, richard.marcus@nih.gov

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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 HEM-2 (03)M.

Date: April 5, 2000.

Time: 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Jerrold Fried, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4126, MSC 7802, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1777.

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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: April 6, 2000.

Time: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Ramada Inn, 1775 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

Contact Person: Gopa Rakhit, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4154, MSC 7806, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1721.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: April 6, 2000.

Time: 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: N. Krish Krishnan, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for

Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6164, MSC 7892, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1041.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: April 6, 2000.

Time: 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Kathryn Meadow-Orlans, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center of Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 3182, MSC 7848, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-0902.

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Dated: March 17, 2000.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Center for Scientific Review; Amended Notice of Meeting

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, March 23, 2000, 2:00 PM to March 23, 2000, 3:00 PM, NIH, Rockledge 2, Bethesda, MD, 20892 which was published in the **Federal Register** on March 9, 2000, 65 FR 12565.

The meeting will be held on April 5, 2000 from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM. The location remains the same. The meeting is closed to the public.

Dated: March 16, 2000.

LaVerne Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4579-FA-01]

Announcement of Funding Awards—Fiscal Year 1999; Office of Troubled Agency Recovery; Cooperative Agreements

AGENCY: Office of Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Announcement of funding awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102 (a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department from funds distributed to the Office of Troubled Agency Recovery during Fiscal Year 1999. This announcement contains the name and address of all awardees and the amount of each award.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathryn Edgar, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708-1141 (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access that number via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service 1-800-877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Cooperative Agreement with each of the following recipients was issued pursuant to Section 6(j) of the United States Housing Act of 1937. The awards will be used to provide technical assistance to support troubled agency recovery efforts and funding assistance as necessary to remedy the substantial deterioration of living conditions in public housing or other related emergencies that endanger the health, safety, and welfare of the residents.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 14.859.

In accordance with section 102 (a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (103 Stat. 1987, 42 U.S.C. 3545), the Department is publishing the name, address, and amount of each award as follows:

FISCAL YEAR 1999 TROUBLED AGENCY RECOVERY RECIPIENTS OF FUNDING DECISIONS

Awardee	Amount
Mobile County Housing Authority, P.O. Box 303, Citronelle, AL 36522-0309	\$20,000
New Haven Housing Authority, 360 Orange Street, New Haven, CT 06501	\$577,500
New London Housing Authority, 78 Walden Avenue, New London, CT 06320	\$259,220
Sarasota Housing Authority, 1300 Sixth Street, Sarasota, FL 34236	\$50,000 & \$45,000
Venice Housing Authority, 201 North Strove Street, Venice, FL 34292	\$8,010

FISCAL YEAR 1999 TROUBLED AGENCY RECOVERY RECIPIENTS OF FUNDING DECISIONS—Continued

Awardee	Amount
Housing Authority of the City of Alma, 401 East Twelfth Street, P.O. Box 190, Alma, GA 31510-0190	\$30,000
Housing Authority of the City of Greenville, P.O. Box 83, Greenville, GA 30222-0083	\$5,000
City Of Topeka Housing Authority, 2101 Southeast California, Topeka, KS 66607	\$40,000
Tulane University (Campus Affiliates Program), Tulane-Xavier National Center for the Urban Community, 31 McAlister, New Orleans, LA 70118-5698.	\$2,000,000
Dracut Housing Authority, 971 Mammoth Road, Dracut, MA 01826	\$15,000
Muskegon Housing Commission, 1823 Commerce Street, Muskegon, MI 49440	\$5,000
Muskegon Heights Housing Commission, 615 East Hovey Avenue, Muskegon Heights, MI 49444	\$495,000
Hayti Heights Housing Authority, 100 North Martin Luther King Drive, Hayti Heights, MO 63851	\$106,800
Housing Authority of Kansas City, 299 Paseo, Kansas City, MO 64106	\$425,000
Marionville Housing Authority, 105 East O'Dell, Marionville, MO 65705	\$15,000 & \$5,000
St. Louis Housing Authority, 4100 Lindell Boulevard, Saint Louis, MO 63108	\$200,000
Sainte Genevieve Housing Authority, 225 St. Joseph Street, St. Genevieve, MO 63670	\$9,000
Wellston Housing Authority, 1584 Ogdon Avenue, Wellston, MO 63112	\$6,500
Bellevue Housing Authority, 8214 Armstrong Circle, Bellevue, NE 68147	\$9,500
Greeley Housing Authority, P.O. Box 219, Greeley, NE 68842	\$4,675
North Platte Housing Authority, 900 Autumn Park Drive, North Platte, NE 69101	\$8,500
Rensselaer Housing Authority, 85 Aiken Avenue, Rensselaer, NY 12144	\$40,000
Clinton Metropolitan Housing Authority, 478 Thorne Avenue, Wilmington, OH 45177	\$40,000
Springfield Metropolitan Housing Authority, 437 East John, Springfield, OH 45505	\$200,000 & \$165,000
Waynoka Housing Authority, P.O. Box 183, Waynoka, OK 73860	\$4,900
Bellville Housing Authority, P.O. Box 247, Bellville, TX 77418	\$12,000
Orange County Housing Authority, 205 Vidor, Vidor, TX 77662	\$40,000

Dated: March 20, 2000.

Harold Lucas,

Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-4513-N-03]

Credit Watch Termination Initiative

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

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice advises of the cause and effect of termination of Origination Approval Agreements taken by HUD's Federal Housing Administration against HUD-approved mortgagees through its Credit Watch Termination Initiative. This notice includes a list of mortgagees which have had their Origination Approval Agreements (Agreements) terminated.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Quality Assurance Division, Office of Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh St. SW, Room B133-P3214, Washington, DC 20410; telephone (202) 708-2830 (This is not a toll free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access that number via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: HUD has the authority to address deficiencies in the performance of lenders' loans as provided in the HUD mortgagee approval regulations at 24 CFR 202.3. On May 17, 1999 (64 FR 26769), HUD published a notice on its procedures for terminating origination approval agreements with FHA lenders and placement of FHA lenders on Credit Watch status (an evaluation period). In the May 17, 1999 notice, HUD advised that it would publish in the **Federal Register** a list of mortgagees which have had their Origination Approval Agreements terminated.

Termination of Origination Approval Agreement

Approval of a mortgagee by HUD/FHA to participate in FHA mortgage insurance programs includes an Agreement between HUD and the mortgagee. Under the Agreement, the mortgagee is authorized to originate single family mortgage loans and submit them to FHA for insurance endorsement. The Agreement may be terminated on the basis of poor performance of FHA-insured mortgage loans originated by the mortgagee. The Termination of a mortgagee's Agreement is separate and apart from any action taken by HUD's Mortgagee Review Board under HUD's regulations at 24 CFR part 25.

Cause

HUD's regulations permit HUD to terminate the Agreement with any mortgagee having a default and claim rate for loans endorsed within the

preceding 24 months that exceeds 200 percent of the default and claim rate within the geographic area served by a HUD field office, and also exceeds the national default and claim rate. For the second review period, HUD is only terminating the Agreement of mortgagees whose default and claim rate exceeds both the national rate and 300 percent of the field office rate.

Effect

Termination of the Agreement precludes that branch(s) of the mortgagee from originating FHA-insured single family mortgages within the area of the HUD field office(s) listed in this notice. Mortgagees authorized to purchase, hold, or service FHA insured mortgages may continue to do so.

Loans that closed or were approved before the Termination became effective may be submitted for insurance endorsement. Approved loans are (1) those already underwritten and approved by a Direct Endorsement (DE) underwriter employed by an unconditionally approved DE lender and (2) cases covered by a firm commitment issued by HUD. Cases at earlier stages of processing cannot be submitted for insurance by the terminated branch; however, they may be transferred for completion of processing and underwriting to another mortgagee or branch authorized to originate FHA insured mortgages in that area. Mortgagees are obligated to continue to pay existing insurance premiums and meet all other obligations associated with insured mortgages.