

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health & Human Development; Notice of Closed Meeting**

Pursuant to section 1009 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Initial Review Group; Obstetrics and Maternal-Fetal Biology Study Section.

*Date:* October 18, 2024.

*Time:* 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, 6710B Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Virtual Meeting).

*Contact Person:* Luis E. Dettin, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, NIH 6710B, Rockledge Drive, Room 2131B, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 827-8231, [luis.dettin@nih.gov](mailto:luis.dettin@nih.gov). (Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.864, Population Research; 93.865, Research for Mothers and Children; 93.929, Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research; 93.209, Contraception and Infertility Loan Repayment Program, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: July 31, 2024.

**Lauren A. Fleck,**

*Program Analyst, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration**

**Notice of Meeting of the Advisory Committee for Women's Services (ACWS)**

Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health

Services Administration's (SAMHSA) Advisory Committee for Women's Services (ACWS) on August 27, 2024.

The meeting will include discussions on assessing SAMHSA's current strategies, including the mental health and substance use needs of the women and girls population. Additionally, the ACWS will be addressing strategic initiatives and policy recommendations regarding Maternal Behavioral Health, pregnant and parenting women, eating disorders, and gender-based violence.

The meeting is open to the public and will be held in-person and virtually (virtually is best option since physical space is very restricted). Interested persons may present data, information, or views, orally or in writing, on issues pending before the committee. Written submissions and oral presentations from the public should be coordinated with the contact person by August 20, 2024. Oral presentations from the public will be scheduled at the conclusion of the meeting during the Public Comment section. Up to approximately three minutes will be allotted for each oral presentation and as time permits, as these are presented in the order received. All oral and written comments will become part of the meeting's official records.

The meeting may be accessed via telephone or web conference. To obtain the call-in number and access code, submit written or brief oral comments, or request special accommodations for persons with disabilities, please register on-line at: <https://snacregister.samhsa.gov/>, or communicate with SAMHSA's Designated Federal Officer, Ms. Valerie Kolick.

Substantive meeting information and a roster of ACWS members may be obtained either by accessing the SAMHSA Committees' Web, <https://www.samhsa.gov/about-us/advisory-councils/acws>, or by contacting Ms. Kolick.

*Committee Name:* Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Advisory Committee for Women's Services (ACWS).

*Date/Time/Type:* Tuesday, August 27, 2024, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., EDT (OPEN).

*Place:* Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Ave. SW, Washington, DC 20201 (Room 305A).

*Contact:* Valerie Kolick, Designated Federal Officer, SAMHSA's Advisory Committee for Women's Services, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, Telephone: (240) 276-1738, Email: [Valerie.kolick@samhsa.hhs.gov](mailto:Valerie.kolick@samhsa.hhs.gov).

*Authority:* Public Law 92-463.

Dated: July 31, 2024.

**Carlos Castillo,**

*Committee Management Officer, SAMHSA.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-7086-N-19]

**60-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Single Family Mortgage Insurance on Hawaiian Home Lands; OMB Control No.: 2502-0358**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** HUD is seeking approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the information collection described below. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, HUD is requesting comment from all interested parties on the proposed collection of information. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date:* October 7, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection can be sent within 60 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 60-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function. Interested persons are also invited to submit comments regarding this proposal by name and/or OMB Control Number and should be sent to: Colette Pollard, Reports Management Officer, REE, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Room 8210, Washington, DC 20410-5000; telephone (202) 402-3400 (this is not a toll-free number) or email: [PaperworkReductionActOffice@hud.gov](mailto:PaperworkReductionActOffice@hud.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Colette Pollard, Reports Management Officer, REE, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Washington, DC 20410; email: [Colette.Pollard@hud.gov](mailto:Colette.Pollard@hud.gov), telephone (202) 402-3400. This is not a toll-free number. HUD welcomes and is prepared to receive calls from individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, as well as

individuals with speech or communication disabilities. To learn more about how to make an accessible telephone call, please visit <https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/telecommunications-relay-service-trs>. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Pollard.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice informs the public that HUD is seeking approval from OMB for the information collection described in Section A.

### A. Overview of Information Collection

*Title of Information Collection:* Single Family Mortgage Insurance on Hawaiian Home Lands.

*OMB Approval Number:* 2502–0358.

*Type of Request:* Extension.

*Form Number:* None.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:*

FHA insures mortgages on single-family dwellings under provisions of the National Housing Act (12 U.S.C. 1709). The Housing and Urban Rural Recovery Act (HURRA), Public Law 98–181, amended the National Housing Act to add section 247 (12 U.S.C. 1715z–12) to permit FHA to insure mortgages for properties located on Hawaiian Home Lands.

Section 247 requires that the Department of Hawaiian Homelands (DHHL) of the State of Hawaii (a) be a co-mortgagor; (b) guarantees, or reimburses the Secretary for any mortgage insurance claim paid in connection with a property located on Hawaiian Home Lands; or (c) offers other security acceptable to the Secretary. There are no changes to the program for this submission. Under the State of Hawaii, the DHHL is responsible for management of Hawaiian Home Lands for the benefit of native Hawaiians. The DHHL determines that the mortgagor meets its eligibility requirement as a native Hawaiian.

*Respondents:* Business of other for-profit (FHA-approved lenders).

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 23.

*Estimated Number of Responses:* 233.

*Frequency of Response:* As needed.

*Average Hours per Response:* 0.583.

*Total Estimated Burdens:* \$2,682.75.

### B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

(1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the

proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;

(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

### C. Authority

Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35.

**Jeffrey D. Little,**

*General Deputy Assistant Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR–6461–N–01]

### Waiver of Regulations Issued by HUD: Restatement of Policy

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

**ACTION:** Notice of statement of policy.

**SUMMARY:** This notice reiterates HUD's statement of policy concerning the procedures that govern the waiver of regulations and directives issued by HUD. This policy was first announced by notice published in 1991, following enactment of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989. In 2001, HUD published a notice that clarified how these procedures are implemented during a period of Administration transition. In 2008, HUD published a notice consolidating and updating the 1991 and 2001 notices. This notice updates information to reflect current HUD operations and procedures.

**DATES:** Applicable date July 29, 2024.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Aaron Santa Anna, Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW, Room 10282, Washington, DC 20410, telephone number 202–708–1793 (this is not a toll-

free number). HUD welcomes and is prepared to receive calls from individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, as well as individuals with speech or communication disabilities. To learn more about how to make an accessible telephone call, please visit: <https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/telecommunications-relay-service-trs>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### I. Background

Section 106 of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (Pub. L. 101–235, approved December 15, 1989) added a new section 7(q) to the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act. (See 42 U.S.C. 3535(q).) This provision specifies that all waivers of HUD regulations:

- Must be in writing and indicate the grounds for granting the waiver;
- May be delegated by the Secretary only to an individual of Assistant Secretary or equivalent rank, who is authorized to issue the regulation to be waived; and
- Must provide notification to the public through a notice published at least quarterly in the **Federal Register**.

(See 42 U.S.C. 3535(q)(1) through (3).) Section 7(q) also provides that any waiver of a provision of a HUD handbook (which is included in HUD's definition of "directive") must be in writing, specify the grounds for the waiver, and be indexed and made available for public inspection for a period of 3 years. (See 42 U.S.C. 3535(q)(4).) Section 7(q) contains only procedural requirements with respect to waivers of regulations and handbooks. These include requirements governing the form and content of a waiver, who may grant the waiver, and public notification of the waiver. Section 7(q) made no change in the substantive grounds upon which, or the circumstances in which, HUD may grant a waiver.

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### II. Statement of Policy on Waiver of Regulations and Directives

This statement sets forth HUD's policy and procedures governing the waivers of HUD regulations and directives. These procedures are consistent with the requirements of section 7(q) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act, as added by section 106 of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (42 U.S.C. 3535(q)). HUD's regulation at 24 CFR 5.110 also sets forth HUD's obligation to comply with the waiver requirements of 42 U.S.C. 3535(q). This policy was first announced by notice