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WASHINGTON, DC 20410-2000

ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR
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Dear Recipients of HUD Financial Assistance Covered by Section 3 of the HUD Act of 1968:

Re: Status of the Section 3 60002 Summary Reporting System—Third Notice

Due to unanticipated technical problems, HUD's Section 3 Summary Reporting System continues to be unavailable for the submission of 2013 and 2014 reports. The Department is aware of the challenges that this inconvenience may cause and is making every effort to have the system back up and running as soon as possible.

Please be assured that no recipients will be held in noncompliance for failing to timely submit 2013 or 2014 Section 3 reports, and the unavailability of the system should not result in negative findings during annual audits such as those conducted pursuant to the Single Audit Act (i.e., OMB Circular: A-133). The Department requests recipients not to submit hard copies of Form HUD 60002 to the Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity. However, you should continue to maintain applicable records and supporting materials to facilitate reporting once the system becomes available.

HUD will notify recipients by email when the Section 3 Summary Reporting System is re-launched and will communicate new due dates at that time. If you have not already done so, I also encourage you to sign-up for the Section 3 listserv at: www.hud.gov/section3 to receive updates about the status of the system and other relevant information.

Thank you for your continued patience.

Sincerely,

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