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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

On December 20, 2013, HUD launched an enhanced Section 3 Summary Reporting System to replace the previous online system for submitting 60002 reports. After the release of the new system, some recipients encountered unanticipated technical problems that resulted in a fatal error which prevented report submissions.

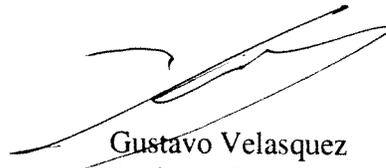
On January 9, 2014, HUD issued a letter to recipients of covered HUD assistance regarding the temporary shutdown of the Section 3 60002 Summary Reporting System to address the unanticipated technical problems.

At this time, the Section 3 Summary Reporting System remains unavailable for the submission of Form HUD 60002 by covered agencies. The Department is aware of the challenges that this inconvenience presents. Please be assured that no recipients will be held in noncompliance for failing to submit 2013 or 2014 Section 3 reports on time, 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 expects to resolve the technical problems soon. 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. I also encourage you to sign-up for the Section 3 listserv at [www.hud.gov/section3](http://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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