

## **U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Office of Public and Indian Housing**

Special Attention of: NOTICE: PIH-2009- 23 (HA)

Directors, Public Housing Hub Offices;

Directors, Public Housing Program Centers; Issued: July 21, 2009

Director, Office of Field Operations;

Public Housing Agencies; Expires: July 31, 2010

Regional Directors;

State/Area Coordinators Cross Reference:

Notices PIH 08-10 (HA), 07-01 (HA), PIH 06-01 (HA), PIH 05-

02 (HA)

Subject: Extension of Notice PIH 2008-10 (HA) - Requirement for Designation of Public Housing Projects

**Purpose**: This Notice extends Notice PIH 2008-10 (HA), which expired on January 31, 2008. The Notice reiterates the streamlined requirements for designating public housing projects for occupancy by elderly families only, disabled families only, or elderly and disabled families only.

**Changes:** No substantive changes were made to the Notice. An editorial change is made as follows:

Notice 2005-2 at **X**. E. stated "Where no renewal request is submitted, the designated project or portion of a project will convert to a <u>mixed population</u> development on the date of the expiration of the original approved plan."

Reissuance of Notice 2008-10 (HA) changes the wording at **X**.E. of the original Notice 2005-2 to "When the approved Plan expires and no renewal request has been submitted, the designated project or portion a project will convert to its <u>original status</u> and become available for occupancy by the population group that was served prior the designation."

Where to Submit Plans: New and amended designated housing plan (Plan) proposals must be accompanied by a signed request from the Executive Director, and may be submitted electronically to <a href="PIH.DesignatedHousing@hud.gov">PIH.DesignatedHousing@hud.gov</a>. Electronic submissions exceeding 15 megabytes must be sent as two separate emails. Plans may also be sent by registered mail to:

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Renewal Plan requests must be sent to the local Public Housing Field Office Directors that are listed at: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/about/field\_office.cfm.

Questions: For further information about this Notice, contact the nearest HUD Office of Public Housing within each State. Locations of these offices are available on HUD's website at www.hud.gov.

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