Subject: Revised Payment Schedule for "Moving Expense and Dislocation Allowance"

On December 12, 1996, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) published in the Federal Register (61 FR 65425), a new payment schedule (copy attached) for the residential "moving expense and dislocation allowance." (Persons displaced from a dwelling and eligible for assistance under the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended (URA) may choose to receive the moving expense and dislocation allowance as an alternative to a payment for actual moving and related expenses.)

The new payment schedule contains revisions for the following States:

Alabama               Michigan               No. Mariana Islands
Alaska                Mississippi            Oklahoma
Arizona               Missouri               Oregon
California            Montana                South Carolina
Florida               Nebraska               South Dakota
Hawaii                Nevada                 Virginia
Iowa                   New York               Washington
Kansas                North Carolina         Wisconsin
Kentucky               North Dakota

The allowances for all other States are unchanged. For HUD-assisted programs, the revised allowances are effective on January 13, 1997.

Additional information regarding the moving expense and dislocation allowance, including information about exceptions, may be found at paragraph 3-2b, HUD Handbook 1378, Tenant Assistance, Relocation and Real Property Acquisition. Questions regarding this Notice may be addressed to the HUD Field Office administering URA requirements for HUD-assisted programs in your community.

Attachment

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