DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5550-D-01]

Delegation of Authority for the Office of Field Policy and Management

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HUD. **ACTION:** Notice of Delegation of Authority.

SUMMARY: Through this notice, the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development delegates to the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management authority for the management and oversight of the Department's field operations.

DATES: Effective Date: October 9, 2012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lawrence D. Reynolds, Assistant General Counsel, Administrative Law Division, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW., Room 9262, Washington, DC 20410– 0500, telephone number 202–402–3502 (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Relay Service at 1–800–877–8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Section A. Authority

The Secretary of HUD hereby delegates to the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management authority for the management and oversight of the Department's field operations. In carrying out this authority, the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management shall, among other duties:

- 1. Coordinate the implementation of the Department's policies and programs in the field in consultation with field program directors. Program coordination does not mean program decisionmaking but, rather, collecting local information, measuring community impact, initiating crossprogram communication and coordination, and facilitating the resolution of potential program differences through the appropriate channels, if necessary.
- 2. Manage and assess field resources to ensure that operations are efficient and effective.
- 3. Coordinate and convey the Strategic Plan and Management Action Plan with the field.
- 4. Advise the Secretary on policy and management of the field.

Section B. Authority To Redelegate

The Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management is

authorized to redelegate to employees of HUD any of the authority delegated under section A above.

Section C. Authority Superseded

This Delegation supersedes all previous delegations from the Secretary of HUD to the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management.

Authority: Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act (42 U.S.C. 3535(d)).

Dated: October 9, 2012.

Shaun Donovan,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5550-D-02]

Order of Succession for the Office of Field Policy and Management

AGENCY: Office of Field Policy and Management, HUD.

ACTION: Notice of Order Succession.

SUMMARY: In this notice, the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development, designates the Order of Succession for the Office of Field Policy and Management. This Order of Succession supersedes all prior Orders of Succession for the Office of Field Policy and Management.

 $\textbf{DATES:} \ \textit{Effective Date:} \ \textbf{October 9, 2012.}$

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management, Department of Housing and Urban Development, is issuing this Order of Succession of officials authorized to perform the functions and duties of the Office of Field Policy and Management when, by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office, the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the office. This Order of Succession is subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies

Reform Act of 1998 (5 U.S.C. 3345–3349d). This publication supersedes any previous Order of Succession for the Office of Field Policy and Management.

Accordingly, the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management designates the following Order of Succession:

Section A. Order of Succession

Subject to the provisions of the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998, during any period when, by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office, the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management is not available to exercise the powers or perform the duties of the Assistant Deputy Secretary, the following officials within the Office of Field Policy and Management are hereby designated to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Office. An individual who is serving in an acting capacity in a position listed below shall not act as the Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management:

- (1) Associate Assistant Deputy Secretary for Field Policy and Management;
- (2) Deputy Director for Field Policy and Management;
- (3) Director of Field Operations and Support; and
- (4) Regional Administrator, HUD Region IV.

These officials shall perform the functions and duties of the office in the order specified herein, and no official shall serve unless all the other officials whose position titles precede his/hers in this order are unable to act by reason of absence, disability, or vacancy in office.

Section B. Authority Superseded

This Order of Succession supersedes all prior Orders of Succession for the Office of Field Policy and Management.

Authority: Section 7(d), Department of Housing and Urban Development Act, 42 U.S.C. 3535(d).

Dated: October 9, 2012.

Patricia A. Hoban-Moore,

Assistant Deputy Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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Redelegation of Authority for Office of Field Policy and Management

AGENCY: Office of Field Policy and Management, HUD.