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TO: All Tribal Government Leaders and Tribally Designated Housing Entities (TDHE)

FROM: Jacqueline Johnson, Deputy Assistant Secretary, PN

TOPIC: Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program Fiscal Year 2000 Funding

SUBJECT: Amendment to the Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program

On May 11, 2000, HUD published its Fiscal Year (FY) 2000 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program (IHDEP) announcing the availability of \$22 million (\$11 million of FY 1999 funding and \$11 million of FY 2000 funding) for the Program. The FY 2000 Amendment addresses a concern regarding minimum grant amounts for the IHDEP.

This document amends the IHDEP NOFA by providing a minimum grant award which would ensure that all eligible tribes or tribally designated housing entities who submit successful applications receive a minimum funding amount of \$25,000 to initiate substance abuse prevention/intervention programs in their community.

The application due date of July 10, 2000, is not changed by this document.

If you have further questions regarding the IHDEP NOFA or Amendment, please contact your Area Office of Native American Programs, HUD's Public and Indian Housing Resource Center at 1-800-955-2232 or Tracy Outlaw, National Office of Native American Programs (ONAP) at (303) 675-1600. Please also see ONAP's website at http://www.codetalk.fed.us where you can download a copy of the IHDEP NOFA, the Amendment and Application kit from the Internet.

We thank you for your patience and cooperation during this process.

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