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NOTICE OF EMERGENCY ACTION

**SUBJECT: MANUFACTURED HOME, MOBILEHOME, MULTIFAMILY
MANUFACTURED HOME AND COMMERCIAL MODULAR IGNITION RESISTANT
CONSTRUCTION SYSTEM REGULATIONS**

The Department of Housing and Community Development's (HCD) proposed emergency regulations that affect the exterior design, construction, installation and alteration of any new or used manufactured home, multifamily manufactured home or commercial modular or used mobilehome designated for installation in Wildland Urban Interface Fire Areas in California has been approved by the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) and is **effective beginning September 1, 2008**. The emergency regulations are adopted into California Code of Regulations, Title 25, Chapter 3, Subchapter 2, and adopt by reference portions of the California Code of Regulations, Title 24, California Building Code, Part 2, Chapter 7A.

The emergency regulations have been filed with the Secretary of State, making the emergency regulations effective for one hundred and eighty (180) days. Within this 180-day effective period of September 1, 2008 through February 27, 2009, HCD is proceeding with a regular rulemaking action, including a public comment period. The emergency regulations will remain in effect during this rulemaking action.

You may review the new regulatory language on HCD's website at the following address: <http://www.hcd.ca.gov/codes/mhp/> under the heading **Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) Emergency Regulations**.

If you have any questions regarding this proposed emergency action please contact Richard Weinert at (916) 445-3338.