

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

LABOR RELATIONS

Special Attention of: Transmittal Handbook No.: 1344.1  
REV-1

HUD Regional Labor Relations Officers Issued: December, 1986  
HUD Field Office Labor Relations Staffs  
Community Development Block Grant Recipients  
Public Housing Authorities  
States - CDBG Small Cities Program

1 This Transmits HUD Handbook 1344.1 REV.1 Entitled: Federal Labor Standards Compliance in Housing and Community Development Programs.

2. Explanation of Materials Transmitted:

This Handbook describes procedures and policies for the administration and enforcement of Labor Standards in Federally assisted or insured construction.

3. Cancellations:

HUD Handbook 1344.1 issued December 12, 1983.

4. Significant Changes:

In addition to several minor changes of a technical or mechanical nature to reflect field operations, the following significant changes are contained in the revised handbook:

- a. Incorporates the changes in the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (CWHSSA) to reflect the 1985 amendments to the statute.
- b. Clarifies Copeland Act coverage of HUD assisted construction.
- c. Incorporates changes which emphasize the proper support function of the Office of Labor Relations to the major program areas of the Department.
- d. Simplifies Additional Classification procedures.
- e. Revises procedures for HUD restitution payment to workers from funds on deposit.
- f. Clarifies the application of Labor Standards provisions to Force Account Construction work.
- g. Clarifies Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) applicability to Labor Standards files.

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h. Incorporates changes necessary to conform HUD procedures to new Department of Labor (DOL) practices under its General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts.



