

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT WASHINGTON, D.C. 20410-0500

Office of General Counsel

Departmental Enforcement Center

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VIA FEDEX

Mr. Rodney Cook

Re: Final Determination-Five Year Debarment

Dear Mr. Cook:

By notice dated April 22, 2024 (Notice), you were notified by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) of your proposed debarment for a five-year period. You were informed of your right to submit, within 30 days of your receipt of the Notice, a request for a hearing in opposition to the proposed debarment action. You requested a hearing, and your appeal was docketed before HUD's Office of Hearing and Appeals. Subsequently, you have filed a request to withdraw your appeal and dismiss the matter. On August 20, 2024, HUD Chief Administrative Law Judge J. Jeremiah Mahoney issued an *Order Referring Back to the Debarring Official*, in which he held that since there are no material facts being disputed, the matter was referred back to me as HUD's Debarring Official for a final decision.

ACCORDINGLY, you are hereby debarred for a period of five years from the date of this Final Determination. During your debarment, you are excluded from procurement and nonprocurement transactions, as either a principal or participant, with HUD and throughout the Executive Branch of the Federal Government.

Sincerely,

9/6/2024

X Mark G. Borum

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Signed by: MARK BORUM
Mark G. Borum
Director
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