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**Notice** PIH 2006-08 (HA)

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Notice PIH 2005-4 (HA)

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**SUBJECT:** Extension – Notice PIH 2005-4 (HA), Exigent Health and Safety Deficiency Correction Certification – New Reporting Procedures

This notice extends Notice PIH 2005-4 (HA), same subject, which will expire on January 31, 2006, for another year until January 31, 2007. Notice PIH 2005-4 describes the electronic exigent health and safety (EHS) system for public housing agencies (PHAs) and field office staff. It explains how PHAs are to certify to the correction of EHS deficiencies observed during Uniform Physical Condition Standards inspections. It also outlines the procedures for field office staff to enter and record any follow-up activities that they have completed to ensure that EHS deficiencies have been corrected or abated.

Appendix 1, EHS Deficiency Correction Certification PHA User Instructions, and Appendix 2, EHS Deficiency Correction Certification Field Office User Instructions, are posted on the “Exigent Health & Safety, EH&S” website at:

[www.hud.gov/offices/reac/products/pass/ehs.cfm](http://www.hud.gov/offices/reac/products/pass/ehs.cfm)

for your convenience.

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