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NEWS AND UPDATES

TO: All FHA-Approved Mortgagees, 203(k) Consultants, Direct Endorsement Underwriters, and Nonprofits

Update

Industry Briefing Call on the *Other Participants in FHA Transactions* Sections of the SF Handbook Slated for Monday, February 2, 2015 is Being Rescheduled

Today, the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) announced that it has rescheduled its Industry Briefing Call to review the *Other Participants in FHA Transactions* sections of the *Single Family Housing Policy Handbook* (SF Handbook) that was originally planned for Monday, February 2, 2015.

FHA is rescheduling this call in order to provide more time for stakeholders and other interested parties to review the *Doing Business with FHA—Other Participants in FHA Transactions* and *Quality Control, Oversight, and Compliance—Other Participants in FHA Transaction* sections, which include content on 203(k) Consultants, Direct Endorsement (DE) Underwriters, and Nonprofits. These two sections were posted on the [SF Drafting Table](#) on January 21, 2015; **stakeholder feedback is due February 22, 2015.**

The rescheduled Industry Briefing Call will now take place:

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

Time: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM (Eastern)

Title: *FHA SF Handbook Doing Business* and *QC/Oversight for Other Participants in FHA Transactions*

Dial-in: 866-233-3841; Access Code: 351662

To best maximize the time and value of all participants, FHA requests that you prepare in advance by reviewing the draft content for each section on its respective web page: [Doing Business with FHA—Other Participants in FHA Transactions](#) and [Quality Control, Oversight, and Compliance—Other Participants in FHA Transactions](#).

If your organization plans to have multiple attendees on the call, please consider hosting a group conference call as the number of individual phone lines may be limited.

Quick Links and Resources

- Go to FHA’s Drafting Table main page at:
http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/housing/sfh/SFH_policy_drafts
- Doing Business with FHA—Other Participants in FHA Transactions page at:
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- Quality Control, Oversight, and Compliance—Other Participants in FHA Transactions page at:
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- Contact the FHA Resource Center:
 - Visit our online knowledge base to obtain answers to frequently asked questions 24/7 at www.hud.gov/answers.
 - E-mail the FHA Resource Center at answers@hud.gov. Emails and phone messages will be responded to during normal hours of operation, 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM, (Eastern) Monday through Friday on all non-Federal holidays.
 - Call 1-800-CALLFHA (1-800-225-5342). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may reach this number by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

About the FHA Single Family Housing Policy Handbook Effort:

FHA’s *Single Family Housing Policy Handbook* effort, which began in Fall 2013, is a multi-phased initiative to develop and publish a single, authoritative source for FHA Single Family housing policy using clear and direct language and an improved organizational structure. The posting of the *Other Participants* sections are a continuation of FHA’s overall Handbook effort.

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FHA Homeownership Centers	Presidentially Declared Disaster Areas
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