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## INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

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February 25, 2010

Honorable George Cornelius, Secretary Department of Community and Economic Development Commonwealth Keystone Building 4th Floor Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Regulation #4-91 (IRRC #2776)

Department of Community and Economic Development
Industrialized Housing

**Dear Secretary Cornelius:** 

The Independent Regulatory Review Commission approved the subject regulation today. Our order is enclosed and will be available on our website at www.irrc.state.pa.us.

We appreciate the joint effort that went into producing a regulation that meets the criteria and intent of the Regulatory Review Act.

Sincerely,

George D. Bedwick

Vice Chairman

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Enclosure

cc: Honorable Jane M. Earll, Majority Chairman, Senate Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee

Honorable Wayne D. Fontana, Minority Chairman, Senate Community, Economic and Recreational Development Committee

Honorable Thomas Curtis, Majority Chairman, House Urban Affairs Committee Honorable Chris Ross, Minority Chairman, House Urban Affairs Committee

## INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION APPROVAL ORDER

Commissioners Voting:

Public Meeting Held February 25, 2010

Arthur Coccodrilli, Chairman, by Phone George D. Bedwick, Vice Chairman S. David Fineman, Esq. Silvan B. Lutkewitte, III John F. Mizner, Esq.

Regulation No. 4-91 (#2776)
Department of Community and Economic
Development
Industrialized Housing

On July 20, 2009, the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (Commission) received this proposed regulation from the Department of Community and Economic Development (Department). This rulemaking amends 12 Pa. Code Chapter 145. The proposed regulation was published in the August 1, 2009 *Pennsylvania Bulletin* with a 30-day public comment period. The final-form regulation was submitted to the Commission on January 14, 2010.

This rulemaking will bring Chapter 145 into greater consistency with current standards and practices. It also includes a new provision that will require a factory to seek approval from the Department before it changes from one evaluation or inspection agency to another. This will allow these agencies to perform evaluation and inspection services without the fear of losing a client as a result of enforcing regulatory requirements.

We have determined this regulation is consistent with the statutory authority of the Department (35 P.S. §1651.5) and the intention of the General Assembly. Having considered all of the other criteria of the Regulatory Review Act, we find promulgation of this regulation is in the public interest.

## BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

This regulation is approved.

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George D. Bedwick, Vice Chairman