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Subject: RE: Department of Community and Economic Development Final Regulation #4-96 (IRRC #3014):

"Manufactured Housing Improvement"

Ms. Elliott:

Thank you for advising us that the Final Regulation #4-96 (IRRC # 3014) specifically addressing the installation and habitability of relocated manufactured homes will come before the IRRC on December 12, 2013.

On behalf of the members of the Pennsylvania Manufactured Housing Association, we would like to go on record in support of the Manufactured Housing Improvement Program as proposed in the June 8, 2013 Pennsylvania Bulletin. This proposal would expand the manufactured housing installation program to include relocated manufactured homes, by establishing a uniform standard for the installation of relocated manufactured homes and guidelines to measure the fire safety, exterior coverings, structural integrity and other elements or design specifications. These guidelines are important to both the manufactured housing and code enforcement industries.

Establishing uniformity when installing a relocated manufactured home is very important in maintaining the affordability of this housing choice. We appreciate your support in approving the regulatory package as presented.

Thank you.

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