July 18, 2005

MEMORANDUM FOR: Norman Mesewicz, Deputy Director, Labor and Employee Relations Division, ARHRL

FROM: Carolyn Federoff, President, AFGE Council 222

SUBJECT: Notice of Submission for Arbitration Grievance of the Parties regarding Fair Labor Standards Act

We have never received any decision in the above captioned matter, denying or granting or otherwise responding to the subject Grievance of the Parties. Please be advised that we are submitting the matter for arbitration pursuant to Section 23.02 of the HUD/AFGE Agreement.

I suggest that we confer via conference call to select an arbitrator on Monday, August 1, 2005 at 1:00pm EST. If you do not agree to confer to select an arbitrator by August 1, 2005, in accordance with Section 23.15 we will designate the next Arbitrator in line on the standing panel, as added to by the ad hoc designations we agreed to recently.

Please call me at 617/994-8264 and/or Mike Snider at 410/653-9060.