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ATTACHMENT 3 -- GOVERNOR'S ASSURANCE

By signing below, the State Governor is providing written notification that they will comply with and obtain the following assurances in accordance with Section 410 of the Recovery Act.

(1) The applicable State regulatory authority will seek to implement, in appropriate proceedings for each electric and gas utility, under its rate-making authority a general policy that ensures that utility financial incentives are aligned with helping their customers use energy more efficiently and that provide timely cost recovery and a timely earnings opportunity for utilities associated with cost-effective measurable and verifiable efficiency savings, in a way that sustains or enhances utility customers' incentives to use energy more efficiently.

(2) The State, or the applicable units of local government that have authority to adopt building codes, will implement the following:

(A) A residential building energy code (or codes) that meets or exceeds the most recent International Energy Conservation Code, or achieves equivalent or greater energy savings.

(B) A commercial building energy code (or codes) throughout the State that meets or exceeds the ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA Standard 90.1-2007, or achieves equivalent or greater energy savings.

(C) A plan to achieve 90 percent compliance with the above energy codes within eight years. This plan will include active training and enforcement programs and annual measurement of the rate of compliance.

(3) The State will to the extent practicable prioritize the grants toward funding energy efficiency and renewable energy programs, including—

(A) the expansion of existing energy efficiency programs approved by the State or the appropriate regulatory authority, including energy efficiency retrofits of buildings and industrial facilities, that are funded by the State or through rates under the oversight of the applicable regulatory authority, to the extent applicable;

(B) the expansion of existing programs, approved by the State or the appropriate regulatory authority, to support renewable energy projects and deployment activities, including programs operated by entities which have the authority and capability to manage and distribute grants, loans, performance incentives, and other forms of financial assistance; and

(C) cooperation and joint activities between States to advance more efficient and effective use of this funding to support the priorities described in this section.



State Governor Signature

3/20/09

Date



ESTADO LIBRE ASOCIADO DE PUERTO RICO
ADMINISTRACIÓN DE ASUNTOS ENERGÉTICOS

March 18, 2009

Mr. Gilbert P. Sperling
Program Manager
Office of Weatherization
And Intergovernmental Programs
Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy
Dear Mr. Sperling:

The Energy Affairs Administration of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico is issuing this communication to establish the estimated production units for the Weatherization Assistance Program under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA), funding opportunity number DE-FOA-0000051.

The Energy Affairs Administration estimated production for the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico is 3,800 for the 3 year period of the ARRA – Weatherization Assistance Program award.

Cordially,

Luis M. Bernal Jimenez
Executive Director