



Order No.: **1999-OR-07**
Date: **October 8, 1999**

CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE BOARD

Delegation of Authority: Disposition of Freedom of Information Act and Privacy Act Appeals

Pursuant to authority granted to me by resolution of the Board of Directors of the Federal Housing Finance Board (Finance Board) numbered 93-92 and dated November 17, 1993, I hereby order the following:

The General Counsel is delegated the authority to:

1. Decide appeals from denials of requests for information made to the Finance Board under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) and the Finance Board's implementing regulation.
2. Decide appeals from denials of requests for access to a system of records or denials of requests to amend a system of records made to the Finance Board under the Privacy Act. The General Counsel is authorized to act on behalf of, and in lieu of, the Board of Directors under sections 909.3(g) and 909.60 of the agency's regulations when deciding appeals under the Privacy Act.

Chairman's Order Number 93-08, dated November 22, 1993 is hereby superceded.

/s/ Bruce A. Morrison

Bruce A. Morrison
Chairman