

proposal, and requested that comments be received on or before March 24, 2008.

*Extension of Comment Period*

In response to the proposed interpretation, CBP has received correspondence requesting an extension of the comment period. A decision has been made to grant an extension of 30 days. Comments are now due on or before April 23, 2008.

Dated: February 1, 2008.

**Myles B. Harmon,**

*Acting Executive Director, Regulations & Rulings, Office of International Trade.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-5184-N-01]

**Annual Indexing of Basic Statutory Mortgage Limits for Multifamily Housing Programs**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 206A of the National Housing Act, HUD has adjusted the basic statutory mortgage limits for multifamily housing programs for calendar year 2008.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2008.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Joseph A. Sealey, Director, Technical Support Division, Office of Multifamily Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410-8000, telephone (202) 402-2559 (this is not a toll-free number). Hearing- or speech-impaired individuals may access this number through TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The FHA Downpayment Simplification Act of 2002 (Pub. L. 107-326, approved December 4, 2002) amended the National Housing Act by adding a new section 206A (12 U.S.C. 1712a). Under section 206A, the following are affected:

- (1) Section 207(c)(3)(A) (12 U.S.C. 1713(c)(3)(A));
- (2) Section 213(b)(2)(A) (12 U.S.C. 1715e(b)(2)(A));
- (3) Section 220(d)(3)(B)(iii)(I) (12 U.S.C. 1715k(d)(3)(B)(iii)(I));
- (4) Section 221(d)(3)(ii)(I) (12 U.S.C. 1715l(d)(3)(ii)(I));
- (5) Section 221(d)(4)(ii)(I) (12 U.S.C. 1715l(d)(4)(ii)(I));

(6) Section 231(c)(2)(A) (12 U.S.C. 1715v(c)(2)(A)); and

(7) Section 234(e)(3)(A) (12 U.S.C. 1715y(e)(3)(A)).

The dollar amounts in these sections, which are collectively referred to as the “Dollar Amounts,” shall be adjusted annually (commencing in 2004) on the effective date of the Federal Reserve Board’s adjustment of the \$400 figure in the Home Ownership and Equity Protection Act of 1994 (HOEPA) (Pub. L. 103-325, approved September 23, 1994). The adjustment of the Dollar Amounts shall be calculated using the percentage change in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U) as applied by the Federal Reserve Board for purposes of the above-described HOEPA adjustment.

HUD has been notified of the percentage change in the CPI-U used for the HOEPA adjustment and the effective date of the HOEPA adjustment. The percentage change in the CPI-U is 2.56 percent and the effective date of the HOEPA adjustment is January 1, 2008. The Dollar Amounts have been adjusted correspondingly and have an effective date of January 1, 2008.

The adjusted Dollar Amounts for calendar year 2008 are shown below:

**Basic Statutory Mortgage Limits for Calendar Year 2008**

*Multifamily Loan Program*

- Section 207—Multifamily Housing
- Section 207 Pursuant to Section 223(f)—Purchase or Refinance Housing
- Section 220—Housing in Urban Renewal Areas

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
0 .....	\$43,704	50,429
1 .....	48,411	56,480
2 .....	57,824	69,256
3 .....	71,273	86,739
4+ .....	80,688	98,075

- Section 213—Cooperatives

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
0 .....	\$47,362	50,429
1 .....	54,608	57,135
2 .....	65,859	69,475
3 .....	84,299	89,878
4+ .....	93,914	98,659

- Section 221(d)(3)—Moderate Income Housing
- Section 234—Condominium Housing

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
0 .....	\$48,328	50,859
1 .....	55,722	58,300
2 .....	67,202	70,893

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
3 .....	86,020	91,712
4+ .....	95,830	100,672

- Section 221(d)(4)—Moderate Income Housing

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
0 .....	\$43,493	46,981
1 .....	49,370	53,858
2 .....	59,675	65,490
3 .....	74,903	84,722
4+ .....	84,878	93,000

- Section 231—Housing for the Elderly

Bedrooms	Non-Elevator	Elevator
0 .....	\$41,352	46,981
1 .....	46,227	53,858
2 .....	55,202	65,490
3 .....	66,431	84,722
4+ .....	78,100	93,000

- Section 207—Manufactured Home Parks

Per Space—\$20,065

Dated: January 30, 2008.

**Brian D. Montgomery,**

*Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

**Temporary Road Closure of BLM-Administered Road; Rio Blanco County, CO**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Temporary Road Closure of BLM-Administered Road; Rio Blanco County, Colorado.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that a certain access road in Rio Blanco County, Colorado, is closed to all entry or use by all members of the public. The closure is made under the authority of 43 CFR 8364.1. The public road affected by this closure is specifically identified as follows:

**Sixth Principal Meridian, Colorado**

T. 95 W., R. 3 S.  
Section 18 NW ¼,

BLM Road 1005, Piceance Creek Crossing at Sprague Gulch.

The following persons, operating within the scope of their official duties, are exempt from the provisions of this closure order: Dan and Cheryl Johnson/Piceance Creek Ranch, Bureau of Land