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SENT VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL ONLY

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Dear Mr. Paternoster:

In response to the emergent public health concerns surrounding the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), the Department of Housing & Community Development (HCD) has developed the attached temporary policies for emergency telework and flexible work hours.

While these temporary policies have been tailored to the operational needs of HCD and public health concerns, the Department recognizes the rapidly evolving nature of this emergency may necessitate swift future changes to how HCD employees work.

It is the Department's intent to ensure the mission critical functions and services we provide are maintained, consistent with public health needs arising from this emergency, while taking into consideration stay-at-home directives from state and local public health departments, and protecting the health of our employees during this crisis.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact April Partington, Personnel Operations Manager, at <u>April.Partington@hcd.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

/S/ Tracy Bueghly

Tracy Bueghly, Chief Human Resources Branch

Enclosures

cc: CalHR Labor Relations