HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

	February 20, 2024
Chair of Committee	Date

Committee on <u>Transportation</u>, <u>Housing & Local Government</u>.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB24-1175 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, after line 8 insert:
- 2 "(1) "AFFORDABLE HOUSING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE" MEANS
- 3 Loans, grants, equity, bonds, or tax credits provided to a
- 4 MULTIFAMILY RENTAL PROPERTY FROM ANY SOURCE TO SUPPORT THE
- 5 CREATION, PRESERVATION, OR REHABILITATION OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING
- 6 THAT, AS A CONDITION OF FUNDING, ENCUMBERS THE PROPERTY WITH A
- 7 RESTRICTED USE COVENANT OR SIMILAR RECORDED AGREEMENT TO
- 8 ENSURE AFFORDABILITY. "AFFORDABLE HOUSING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE"
- 9 DOES NOT INCLUDE PROPERTIES FOR WHICH ALL RESTRICTED USE
- 10 COVENANTS OR AFFORDABILITY REQUIREMENTS HAVE EXPIRED AS OF JUNE
- 11 1, 2024.".
- 12 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- Page 3, line 17, strike "PUBLISHED" and substitute "ESTABLISHED".
- 14 Page 3, lines 18 and 19, strike "DEVELOPMENT, THE COLORADO HOUSING
- 15 AND FINANCE AUTHORITY, OR THE DIVISION." and substitute
- 16 "DEVELOPMENT.".
- 17 Page 4, strike lines 4 through 7.
- 18 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- 19 Page 4, strike lines 9 and 10 and substitute "IS SUBJECT TO ONE OR MORE
- 20 RESTRICTED USE COVENANTS OR SIMILAR RECORDED AGREEMENTS TO
- 21 ENSURE AFFORDABILITY AND THAT IS CONSISTENT WITH AFFORDABLE

- 1 HOUSING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE REQUIREMENTS.".
- 2 Page 4, strike lines 11 through 17.
- 3 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- 4 Page 4, strike lines 24 through 27.
- 5 Page 5, strike lines 1 through 20 and substitute:
- 6 "(8) "Local or regional housing authority" means a 7 Housing authority created pursuant to section 29-4-204 (1), 8 29-4-306 (1), 29-4-402, or 29-4-503 (1).
- (9) (a) "LONG-TERM AFFORDABLE HOUSING" MEANS HOUSING FOR 9 10 WHICH THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENSURES THAT AFFORDABILITY LEVELS 11 AT AN APPLICABLE QUALIFYING PROPERTY ARE ON AVERAGE EQUAL TO OR 12 GREATER THAN PREEXISTING LEVELS AT THE APPLICABLE QUALIFYING 13 PROPERTY AND THAT THE AVERAGE ANNUAL RENTS AT THE APPLICABLE 14 QUALIFYING PROPERTY DO NOT EXCEED THE RENT FOR HOUSEHOLDS OF A 15 GIVEN SIZE AT A GIVEN AREA MEDIAN INCOME, AS ESTABLISHED 16 ANNUALLY BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN 17 DEVELOPMENT, FOR A MINIMUM OF FORTY YEARS, AND FOR WHICH THE 18 LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGREES NOT TO RAISE RENT FOR ANY UNIT IN THE 19 APPLICABLE QUALIFYING PROPERTY BY MORE THAN THE RENT INCREASE
- 20 CAP; EXCEPT THAT THE RENT INCREASE CAP DOES NOT APPLY TO UNITS OF
 21 HOUSING THAT ARE SUBJECT TO RENT OR INCOME LIMITS ESTABLISHED
 22 PURSUANT TO LOCAL, STATE, FEDERAL, OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION
 23 AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM GUIDELINES.
 - (b) Nothing in this subsection (9) prevents a local government from providing affordability requirements beyond forty years or for units to be affordable to renters with incomes below existing affordability levels, in which case the local government's requirements apply for purposes of the definition of "long-term affordable housing" as set forth in subsection (9)(a) of this section.".
- Page 6, line 11, strike "AN" and substitute "THE FEE SIMPLE".
- Page 6, line 12, after "PROPERTY." add "IF THERE IS MORE THAN ONE FEE
- 33 SIMPLE OWNER OF AN APPLICABLE QUALIFYING PROPERTY, EACH FEE
- 34 SIMPLE OWNER IS REFERRED TO IN THIS PART 12 JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY
- 35 AS THE "RESIDENTIAL SELLER".".

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- 1 Page 6, strike lines 13 through 22.
- 2 Page 7, line 25, strike "FINANCED." and substitute "FINANCED IF THE
- 3 LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS SECURED THE FINANCING OR DEMONSTRATES
- 4 APPROVAL OF THE FINANCING IN CONNECTION WITH MAKING THE OFFER.".
- 5 Page 8, line 10, after "METHOD;" insert "EXCEPT THAT, THE LOCAL
- 6 GOVERNMENT MUST BE ABLE TO DEMONSTRATE THAT ITS FINANCING OR
- 7 PAYMENT METHOD HAS BEEN APPROVED;".
- 8 Page 9, line 4, after "PRIVATE ENTITY," insert "A QUASI-GOVERNMENTAL
- 9 ENTITY,".
- 10 Page 9, line 9, strike "PROPERTY." and substitute "PROPERTY EITHER
- 11 DIRECTLY OR THROUGH A SPECIAL PURPOSE ENTITY OR AFFILIATE.".
- Page 9, line 18, strike "UPON" and substitute "IF THE PROPOSED ASSIGNEE
- 13 ACCEPTS THE ASSIGNMENT OF THE RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL IN WRITING,
- 14 UPON".
- Page 9, strike lines 26 and 27.
- Page 10, strike lines 1 through 11 and substitute:
- 17 "(g) (I) THE GOVERNING BODY OF A LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS THE
- 18 RIGHT TO WAIVE THE RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION.
- 19 (II) (A) IF THE GOVERNING BODY OF A LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS
- 20 WAIVED ITS RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL, IT SHALL POST A NOTICE IN A
- 21 CONSPICUOUS LOCATION ON ITS WEBSITE INDICATING THAT THERE IS A
- WAIVER AND THAT RESIDENTIAL SELLERS WITH QUALIFYING PROPERTIES
- 23 WITHIN ITS JURISDICTION DO NOT HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO COMPLY WITH
- 24 THIS SECTION.
- 25 (B) THE NOTICE POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION
- 26 (2)(g)(II)(A) OF THIS SECTION MUST BE EFFECTIVE FOR AT LEAST THREE
- 27 MONTHS AFTER IT IS POSTED AND MUST EXPLICITLY STATE THE DATE IT
- 28 EXPIRES, IF ANY.
- 29 (C) FAILURE TO POST NOTICE PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION
- 30 (2)(g)(II) DOES NOT OTHERWISE AFFECT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT
- 31 OF FIRST REFUSAL.".
- Page 10, line 12, strike "(I)" and substitute "(I) (A)".
- Page 10, line 13, strike "AN" and substitute "THE LAST REMAINING".

- Page 10, line 15, after "THE" add "COLORADO HOUSING AND FINANCE
- 2 AUTHORITY AND THE".
- Page 10, strike lines 18 through 25 and substitute: "NOTICE MUST INCLUDE
- 4 THE DATE OF EXPIRATION OF THE LAST REMAINING AFFORDABILITY
- 5 RESTRICTION AND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER.
- 6 (B) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION (3)(a)(I)(A) OF THIS SECTION,
- 7 WHETHER NOTICE IS PROVIDED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (3)(a)(I)(A) of
- $8 \qquad \text{THIS SECTION IS NOT RELEVANT TO DETERMINING A RESIDENTIAL SELLER'S} \\$
- 9 OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S COMPLIANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS
- 10 PART 12 AND IS NOT SUBJECT TO ANY PROVISIONS SET FORTH IN SECTION
- 11 29-4-1206. Provision of the notice required by subsection
- 12 (3)(a)(I)(A) OF THIS SECTION IS NOT A TRIGGERING EVENT PURSUANT TO
- 13 SUBSECTION (3)(b)(I) OF THIS SECTION.".
- Page 10, line 27, strike "AN" and substitute "THE LAST REMAINING".
- Page 11, strike lines 2 through 5 and substitute "PROVIDE NOTICE TO THE
- 16 COLORADO HOUSING AND FINANCE AUTHORITY AND THE GOVERNING
- 17 BODY OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN WHICH THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY
- 18 IS LOCATED OF THE EXPIRATION OF SUCH RESTRICTIONS. THE NOTICE MUST
- 19 INDICATE WHETHER THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER ANTICIPATES THAT IT WILL
- 20 EITHER RECAPITALIZE AND CONTINUE TO OPERATE THE QUALIFYING
- 21 PROPERTY AT AFFORDABILITY LEVELS AT LEAST ON AVERAGE EQUAL TO
- WHAT HAS BEEN PROVIDED AT THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY, RETAIN
- 23 OWNERSHIP OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY AND LET AFFORDABILITY
- 24 REQUIREMENTS EXPIRE, OR SELL THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY UPON
- 25 EXPIRATION OF THE RESTRICTIONS.
- 26 (III) THE NOTICES PROVIDED TO THE COLORADO HOUSING AND
- 27 FINANCE AUTHORITY PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (3)(a) DO NOT
- $28 \qquad \text{Create an obligation or requirement for the Colorado housing} \\$
- 29 AND FINANCE AUTHORITY TO TAKE ACTION WITH RESPECT TO THE
- 30 QUALIFYING PROPERTY OR TO PROVIDE ANY ENFORCEMENT OR
- 31 COMPLIANCE MONITORING OF ANY REQUIREMENTS OF THIS PART 12.".
- Page 11, line 10, strike "LOCATED." and substitute "LOCATED AND SHALL
- 33 MAKE A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO ENSURE THE NOTICE IS RECEIVED BY THE
- 34 LOCAL GOVERNMENT.".
- Page 12, line 7, after "PROPERTY;" add "EXCEPT THAT, ANY ACTION TAKEN
- 36 TO ENGAGE WITH A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR A HOUSING AUTHORITY IN
- 37 THE STATE TO FACILITATE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE RESIDENTIAL
- 38 SELLER AND A THIRD-PARTY TO CREATE OR PRESERVE AFFORDABLE

- 1 HOUSING FOR A QUALIFYING PROPERTY IS NOT A TRIGGERING EVENT UNTIL
- 2 ANOTHER ACTION SET FORTH IN THIS SUBSECTION (3)(b)(I) OCCURS.".
- 3 Page 13, line 24, after "DELIVERED" add "TO THE APPLICABLE
- 4 REPRESENTATIVE OF THE COLORADO HOUSING AND FINANCE AUTHORITY
- 5 AND".
- 6 Page 13, line 25, strike "GOVERNMENT" and substitute "GOVERNMENT, AS
- 7 APPLICABLE,".
- 8 Page 13, line 26, after "FOR" insert "THE APPLICABLE REPRESENTATIVE
- 9 OR".
- Page 14, line 19, after "SHALL" add "MAKE A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO".
- Page 14, line 20, strike "WITHIN" and substitute "AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
- 12 BUT NOT LATER THAN".
- 13 Page 14, line 22, strike "INTENT TO" and substitute "INTENT, WITH
- 14 RESPECT TO THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF THE
- 15 NOTICE, TO EITHER".
- Page 14, strike lines 23 through 26 and substitute "REFUSAL PROVIDED IN
- 17 THIS SECTION OR WAIVE ITS RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL. THE NOTICE MUST
- 18 BE DELIVERED BY".
- 19 Page 15, after line 12 add:
- 20 "(IV) IF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO ASSIGN ITS RIGHT
- 21 OF FIRST REFUSAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (2)(f) OF THIS
- 22 SECTION, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT MUST DISCLOSE THE POTENTIAL
- 23 ASSIGNEE IN THE NOTICE REQUIRED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (4)(a)(I) OF
- 24 THIS SECTION AND PROVIDE A COPY OF THE NOTICE TO THE PROPOSED
- 25 ASSIGNEE, FOR THE PROPOSED ASSIGNEE'S CONSIDERATION IN
- 26 DETERMINING WHETHER TO ACCEPT THE ASSIGNMENT.".
- 27 Page 17, line 24, strike "SELLER." and substitute "SELLER OR THE LOCAL
- 28 GOVERNMENT'S ASSIGNEE AND THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER.".
- 29 Page 18, line 2, strike "OBTAINING FINANCING" and substitute "CLOSING"
- 30 ON FINANCING THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE HAS
- 31 ALREADY BEEN APPROVED FOR".

- 1 Page 18, line 4, strike "DELAY;" and substitute "DELAY SUBJECT TO THE
- 2 REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION (6)(c) OF THIS SECTION;".
- 3 Page 18, lines 5 through 6, strike "THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, OR A
- 4 MISSION-DRIVEN ORGANIZATION" and substitute "OR THE ATTORNEY
- 5 GENERAL".

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- 6 Page 18, after line 10 add:
- 7 "(c) (I) FOR THE TOLLING PERIOD SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION 8 (6)(b)(I) OF THIS SECTION TO EXTEND TO THE FULL PERIOD OF A 9 REASONABLE DELAY, A LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE SHALL 10 DELIVER WITHIN FIVE BUSINESS DAYS OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE TOLLING 11 PERIOD EARNEST MONEY IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED 12 THOUSAND DOLLARS THAT IS PAYABLE TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER AND 13 HELD BY A TITLE COMPANY, UNLESS THE PARTIES MUTUALLY AGREE TO AN 14 ALTERNATIVE DEADLINE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE EARNEST MONEY. THE 15 LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE AND THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER ARE 16 NOT REQUIRED TO HAVE ENTERED INTO A CONTRACT TO BUY AND SELL 17 REAL ESTATE FOR EARNEST MONEY TO BE DELIVERED. FAILURE TO TIMELY 18 DELIVER THE EARNEST MONEY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBSECTION 19 (6)(c)(I) CONSTITUTES WAIVER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF 20 FIRST REFUSAL TO PURCHASE THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY.
 - (II) IF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE WAIVES ITS RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (6)(c)(I) OF THIS SECTION OR TERMINATES THE PURCHASE OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY DURING THE TOLLING PERIOD, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE FORFEITS THE EARNEST MONEY IN FULL AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE SHALL EXECUTE AND RETURN TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER AN EARNEST MONEY RELEASE FORM WITHIN FIVE BUSINESS DAYS OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE PROVIDING NOTICE OF THE WAIVER OR TERMINATION TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER. THE TITLE COMPANY THAT IS HOLDING THE EARNEST MONEY IN ESCROW SHALL RELEASE THE EARNEST MONEY TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER UPON RECEIPT OF A FULLY EXECUTED EARNEST MONEY RELEASE FORM.
 - (III) If the tolling period set forth in subsection (6)(b)(I) of this section ends and the periods set forth in subsection (5)(a) of this section resume, then the local government or its assignee and the residential seller shall authorize the earnest money to be delivered for deposit to the entity that is conducting the transaction for closing on the qualifying property at or before the date of the closing.
 - (IV) THE TITLE COMPANY THAT HOLDS THE EARNEST MONEY IN

- ESCROW PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (6)(c) SHALL TRANSMIT ANY 1
- 2 INTEREST THAT ACCRUES IN CONNECTION WITH THE ESCROW MONEY TO
- THE STATE TREASURER, WHO SHALL CREDIT THE INTEREST TO THE
- 4 HOUSING DEVELOPMENT GRANT FUND THAT IS CREATED IN SECTION
- 24-32-721 (1), AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE AND THE
- 6 RESIDENTIAL SELLER HAVE NO RIGHT TO THE INTEREST THAT ACCRUES IN
- 7 CONNECTION WITH THE MONEY THAT IS HELD IN ESCROW.
- 8 (7) **Certificate of compliance.** WITHIN FOURTEEN CALENDAR
- 9 DAYS OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE REQUIRED BY EITHER SUBSECTION (3)(b) OR 10
- (3)(c) OF THIS SECTION OR, IF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT INTENDS TO
- 11 EXERCISE ITS RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL, WITHIN FOURTEEN CALENDAR
- 12 DAYS OF EITHER ACCEPTANCE BY A RESIDENTIAL SELLER OF THE LOCAL
- 13 GOVERNMENT'S OFFER OR REJECTION BY A RESIDENTIAL SELLER OF THE
- 14 LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S OFFER IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (5)(b) OF
- 15 THIS SECTION, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE SHALL EXECUTE
- 16 AND RECORD A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE IN THE REAL PROPERTY
- 17 RECORDS OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY IS
- 18 SITUATED. THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE MUST INCLUDE THE NAME OF
- 19 THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER, A LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE QUALIFYING
- 20 PROPERTY, AND A STATEMENT THAT THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER HAS
- 21 COMPLIED WITH ALL APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. THE
- 22 RECORDED CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE IS PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE OF THE
- 23 RESIDENTIAL SELLER'S COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION AND MAY BE
- 24 RELIED UPON BY A RESIDENTIAL SELLER, ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN
- INTEREST IN THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY THROUGH A RESIDENTIAL SELLER, 26 AND A TITLE INSURANCE ENTITY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 10-11-102(11).".
- 27 Renumber succeeding subsection accordingly.
- 28 Page 18, lines 12 and 13, strike "EQUAL OR GREATER AFFORDABILITY
- 29 LEVELS TO" and substitute "AFFORDABILITY LEVELS THAT ARE ON
- 30 AVERAGE EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN".

- 31 Page 18, lines 15 and 16, strike "TENANT QUALIFICATIONS FOR A GIVEN
- AREA MEDIAN INCOME." and substitute "THE AREA MEDIAN INCOMES USED 32
- 33 TO DETERMINE RENT AND INCOME LIMITS.".
- 34 Page 19, strike lines 21 through 25.
- 35 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.
- 36 Page 20, line 11, after "PRIVATE ENTITY," insert "A
- 37 QUASI-GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY,".

- Page 20, line 16, strike "PROPERTY." and substitute "PROPERTY EITHER
- 2 DIRECTLY OR THROUGH A SPECIAL PURPOSE ENTITY OR AFFILIATE.".
- 3 Page 20, line 18, before "HOUSING" insert "LOCAL OR REGIONAL".
- 4 Page 20, strike lines 19 and 20.
- 5 Page 20, line 21, strike "JURISDICTION," and substitute "AUTHORITY".
- 6 Page 20, line 25, strike "UPON" and substitute "THE ASSIGNEE MUST
- 7 IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER OF ANY ASSIGNMENT
- 8 PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (2)(d), AND THE NOTICE MUST INCLUDE
- 9 THE ASSIGNEE'S ADDRESS TO RECEIVE ANY NOTICES THAT THE
- 10 RESIDENTIAL SELLER IS REQUIRED TO SEND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS
- 11 SECTION. THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT REMAINS LIABLE FOR OBLIGATIONS
- 12 PURSUANT TO THIS PART 12 ACCRUING PRIOR TO THE ASSIGNMENT AND
- 13 UPON".
- Page 21, line 1, strike "12" and substitute "12, IN EACH CASE ACCRUING
- 15 FROM AND AFTER THE ASSIGNMENT,".
- Page 21, after line 3 add:
- 17 "(e) (I) THE GOVERNING BODY OF A LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS THE 18 RIGHT TO WAIVE THE RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION.
- (II) (A) IF THE GOVERNING BODY OF A LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS
 WAIVED ITS RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER, IT SHALL POST A NOTICE IN A
 CONSPICUOUS LOCATION ON ITS WEBSITE INDICATING THAT THERE IS A
 WAIVER AND THAT RESIDENTIAL SELLERS WITH QUALIFYING PROPERTIES
 WITHIN ITS JURISDICTION DO NOT HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO COMPLY WITH
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- 25 (B) THE NOTICE POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (2)(e)(II)(A) OF THIS SECTION MUST BE EFFECTIVE FOR AT LEAST THREE MONTHS AFTER IT IS POSTED AND MUST EXPLICITLY STATE THE DATE IT EXPIRES, IF ANY.
 - (C) FAILURE TO POST NOTICE PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (2)(e)(II) DOES NOT OTHERWISE AFFECT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER.
- 32 (f) NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING IN THIS SECTION TO THE 33 CONTRARY, AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER AND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT, THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER MAY REJECT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S OFFER AND

OTHERWISE TERMINATE NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

- (g) IF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT WAIVES OR IS DEEMED TO HAVE WAIVED ITS RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (2)(e) OF THIS SECTION OR IF A RESIDENTIAL SELLER REJECTS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S OFFER IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (2)(f) OF THIS SECTION, THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER HAS NO OBLIGATION TO PROVIDE INITIAL OR ADDITIONAL NOTICE, AS APPLICABLE, TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR OTHERWISE OFFER OR RE-OFFER, AS APPLICABLE, THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PURSUANT TO ANY PROVISION OF THIS SECTION UNLESS A TRANSACTION FOR THE SALE OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY DOES NOT CLOSE WITHIN TWELVE MONTHS OF EITHER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S WAIVER OR DEEMED WAIVER OR REJECTION BY THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S OFFER, WHICHEVER IS EARLIER; EXCEPT THAT, IF THE CONTRACT FOR SALE TO A THIRD PARTY HAS A DURATION LONGER THAN TWELVE MONTHS, THEN THE TWELVE MONTH PERIOD IS EXTENDED TO MATCH THE TERM OF THE CONTRACT.
- (3) Notice requirements generally. (a) (I) ANY NOTICES REQUIRED TO BE PROVIDED TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE CLERK OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BY ELECTRONIC MAIL; EXCEPT THAT IF THERE IS NOT AN ELECTRONIC MAILING ADDRESS AVAILABLE FOR THE CLERK, THEN BY HAND DELIVERY, UNITED STATES FIRST CLASS MAIL, OR OVERNIGHT DELIVERY.
- (II) NOTWITHSTANDING SUBSECTION (3)(a)(I) OF THIS SECTION, IF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ASSIGNS ITS RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER AND THE ASSIGNEE PROVIDES NOTICE OF THE ASSIGNMENT TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (2)(d) OF THIS SECTION, THEN UPON AND AFTER RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF THE ASSIGNMENT, THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER SHALL SEND BY ELECTRONIC MAIL ANY REQUIRED NOTICES PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION TO THE ADDRESSES SPECIFIED BY THE ASSIGNEE; EXCEPT THAT, IF THERE IS NOT AN ELECTRONIC MAILING ADDRESS PROVIDED BY THE ASSIGNEE, THEN BY HAND DELIVERY, UNITED STATES FIRST CLASS MAIL, OR OVERNIGHT DELIVERY.
- (b) ANY NOTICES PROVIDED TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE PHYSICAL ADDRESS PROVIDED BY THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (4)(a)(II) OF THIS SECTION OR, UPON ELECTION BY THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER, BY ELECTRONIC MAIL TO THE ELECTRONIC MAILING ADDRESS PROVIDED BY THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
- (c) ANY NOTICE PROVIDED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION IS DEEMED DELIVERED ON THE DATE IT IS SENT BY ELECTRONIC MAIL, THE DATE IT IS

- 1 HAND DELIVERED, THE DATE AFTER THE DAY IT IS DEPOSITED FOR
- 2 DELIVERY BY OVERNIGHT DELIVERY, OR THE DATE THAT IS TWO BUSINESS
- 3 DAYS AFTER THE DAY IT IS DEPOSITED IN THE UNITED STATES MAIL, AS
- 4 APPLICABLE.".

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- 5 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- 6 Page 21, line 4, strike "seller." and substitute "seller, local government's
- 7 intent, and nondisclosure agreement.".
- 8 Page 21, line 5, after "SELLER" insert "ENTERS INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH
- 9 A LICENSED BROKER TO SOLICIT AND PROCURE PURCHASERS FOR A
- 10 QUALIFYING PROPERTY OR OTHERWISE" and strike "SALE," and substitute
- "SALE ON THE MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE,".
- Page 21, strike lines 9 through 15 and substitute:
- "(b) THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS SEVEN CALENDAR DAYS FROM
 THE DATE OF RECEIVING THE NOTICE REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (4)(a) OF
 THIS SECTION TO PROVIDE A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE RESIDENTIAL
 SELLER INDICATING THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT EITHER:
 - (I) IS INTERESTED IN RECEIVING DUE DILIGENCE INFORMATION ON THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY SO THAT IT CAN EVALUATE WHETHER IT WANTS TO MAKE AN OFFER TO PURCHASE THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY, WHICH RESPONSE MUST CONTAIN A NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT IN A FORM ACCEPTABLE TO THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER THAT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT HAS EXECUTED; OR
 - (II) WAIVES ANY RIGHT OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO PURCHASE THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY.
 - (c) If the local government does not respond within the seven-day period required by subsection (4)(b) of this section, it is deemed to have waived its right of first offer with respect to the qualifying property.
 - (5) **Residential seller's notice of terms.** (a) If the local government provides notice in accordance with subsection (4)(b) of this section, the residential seller has five calendar days from receipt of the notice to provide a notice to the local government that includes:
- 34 (I) THE ADDRESS AND NAME OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY, IF ANY, AND THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY;".
- 36 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.

- 1 Page 21, strike lines 19 through 27.
- 2 Page 22, strike lines 1 through 10 and substitute:
- 3 "(III) A RENT ROLL FOR THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY SHOWING THE
- 4 AMOUNT OF RENT CHARGED TO TENANTS AT THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY;
- 5 (IV) THE VACANCY RATE, OPERATING EXPENSES AND INCOME, AND
- 6 COMMON AREA AMENITIES AT THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY;
- 7 (V) ANY MARKETING MATERIALS THAT THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER
- 8 HAS PREPARED ON OR BEFORE THE DATE OF SUCH NOTICE AND
- 9 ANTICIPATES USING IN CONNECTION WITH LISTING THE QUALIFYING
- 10 PROPERTY FOR SALE;
- 11 (VI) A CURRENT TITLE COMMITMENT; AND
- 12 (VII) THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER'S EXECUTED VERSION OF THE
- 13 NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT.".
- 14 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.
- 15 Page 22, line 11, strike "THE" and substitute "SUBJECT TO AND PURSUANT
- 16 TO THE NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT EXECUTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 17 SUBSECTION (4)(b) OF THIS SECTION, THE".
- Page 22, line 12, strike "(3)" and substitute "(5)".
- 19 Page 22, strike lines 18 through 27 and substitute "MUST BE KEPT
- 20 CONFIDENTIAL AND IS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION NOT SUBJECT TO
- 21 PUBLIC DISCLOSURE.".
- Page 23, strike lines 1 through 7.
- 23 Page 23, line 10, strike "(3)(a)" and substitute "(5)(a)".
- Page 23, strike lines 13 through 18 and substitute "SETTING FORTH THE
- 25 PRICE, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS OF THE OFFER; OR".
- Page 23, strike lines 21 through 26 and substitute:
- 27 "(b) If the local government does not provide a response
- 28 WITHIN THE FOURTEEN-DAY PERIOD SET FORTH IN SUBSECTION (6)(a) OF
- 29 THIS SECTION, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER IS
- 30 DEEMED WAIVED.".
- Page 24, strike lines 1 though 3 and substitute "FOURTEEN CALENDAR

- 1 DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S OFFER MADE
- 2 PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (6)(a)(I) OF THIS SECTION TO NOTIFY THE
- 3 LOCAL GOVERNMENT THAT IT EITHER ACCEPTS OR REJECTS THE OFFER.
- 4 During this".
- 5 Page 24, line 7, after the period add "IF THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER DOES
- 6 NOT PROVIDE NOTICE OF ITS ACCEPTANCE OR REJECTION OF THE LOCAL
- 7 GOVERNMENT'S OFFER IN THE FOURTEEN DAY PERIOD PURSUANT TO THIS
- 8 SUBSECTION (7)(a), THE OFFER IS DEEMED REJECTED.".
- 9 Page 24, strike lines 10 through 27.
- 10 Page 25, strike lines 1 through 18 and substitute "LOCAL GOVERNMENT,
- 11 THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER HAVE THIRTY
- 12 CALENDAR DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER'S RECEIPT
- 13 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S NOTICE PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
- 14 SUBSECTION (6)(a)(I) OF THIS SECTION TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A
- 15 CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY BY THE
- 16 LOCAL GOVERNMENT. THE CONTRACT MUST REQUIRE THE TRANSACTION
- 17 TO CLOSE NO LATER THAN SIXTY DAYS AFTER ITS EXECUTION, UNLESS
- 18 BOTH PARTIES AGREE TO OTHER TERMS.
- 19 (8) **Certificate of compliance.** WITHIN FOURTEEN CALENDAR
- 20 Days of receipt of notice required by subsection (4)(a) of this
- 21 SECTION UNLESS THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROVIDES NOTICE PURSUANT
- TO SUBSECTION (4)(b) OF THIS SECTION AND THEN WITHIN FOURTEEN CALENDAR DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE NOTICE REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION
- 24 (5)(a) OF THIS SECTION, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR ITS ASSIGNEE SHALL
- 25 EXECUTE AND RECORD A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE IN THE REAL
- 26 PROPERTY RECORDS OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY
- 27 IS SITUATED. THE CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE MUST INCLUDE THE NAME
- 28 OF THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER, A LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE QUALIFYING
- 29 PROPERTY, AND A STATEMENT THAT THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER HAS
- 30 COMPLIED WITH ALL THE APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. THE
- 31 RECORDED CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE IS PRIMA FACIE EVIDENCE OF THE
- 32 RESIDENTIAL SELLER'S COMPLIANCE WITH THIS SECTION AND MAY BE
- 33 RELIED UPON BY A RESIDENTIAL SELLER, ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN
- 34 INTEREST IN THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY THROUGH A RESIDENTIAL SELLER,
- 35 AND A TITLE INSURANCE ENTITY, AS DEFINED IN SECTION 10-11-102(11).".
- 36 Renumber succeeding subsection accordingly.
- Page 26, line 13, strike "LONG-TERM".

- Page 26, line 24, after the period insert "NOTHING IN THIS PART 12
- 2 OVERRIDES ANY LOCAL AFFORDABLE HOUSING LAWS.".
- 3 Page 27, strike lines 1 through 5 and substitute:
- 4 "(a) MADE TO, IF WHOLLY OR MAJORITY OWNED BY, BENEFICIALLY
- 5 HELD, ALL OR IN PART, IN COMMON WITH, OR UNDER COMMON OWNERSHIP
- 6 OR CONTROL WITH THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER, ONE OR MORE PARTNERSHIPS,
- 7 LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES, CORPORATIONS, OR OTHER ENTITIES, OR
- 8 MADE FOR TAX OR ESTATE PURPOSES BETWEEN CLOSELY HELD PARTNERS,
- 9 MEMBERS OF ONE OR MORE LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES, MEMBERS OF
- 10 ONE OR MORE CORPORATIONS, OR MEMBERS, TRUSTEES, MANAGERS, OR
- 11 PARTNERS OF ONE OR MORE OTHER ENTITIES;".
- 12 Page 27, line 9, strike "A NOT-FOR-PROFIT, MISSION-DRIVEN" and
- 13 substitute "AN".
- 14 Page 27, strike lines 11 through 14 and substitute "THE APPLICABLE
- 15 QUALIFYING PROPERTY AND COMMITS TO PROVIDING LONG-TERM
- 16 AFFORDABLE HOUSING;".
- 17 Page 27, strike lines 20 through 25 and substitute "DEED IN LIEU OF
- 18 FORECLOSURE; OR
- 19 (e) IF, AT THE TIME OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS PART 12, THE".
- Page 27, line 27, strike "REFUSAL" and substitute "REFUSAL, RIGHT OF
- 21 FIRST OFFER,".
- Page 28, strike lines 4 through 12 and substitute "PROPERTY BY THE
- 23 RESIDENTIAL SELLER; OR
- 24 (f) If the residential seller has applied for, is in the
- 25 PROCESS OF, OR HAS SUCCESSFULLY RESYNDICATED OR RECAPITALIZED
- 26 THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY IN CONNECTION WITH AN AFFORDABLE
- 27 HOUSING PROGRAM OFFERED BY THE FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL
- 28 GOVERNMENT OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR ANY PUBLIC ENTITY, AND
- 29 THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER PROVIDES NOTICE AND DEMONSTRABLE
- 30 EVIDENCE OF THIS TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT; EXCEPT THAT, IF THE
- 31 RESIDENTIAL SELLER IS NOT SUCCESSFUL IN RESYNDICATING OR
- 32 RECAPITALIZING A QUALIFYING PROPERTY IN CONNECTION WITH AN
- 33 AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM OFFERED BY THE FEDERAL, STATE, OR
- 34 LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR ANY PUBLIC ENTITY
- 35 THEN THE RIGHT OF FIRST REFUSAL OR THE RIGHT OF FIRST OFFER, AS
- 36 APPLICABLE, AND THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN THIS PART 12 APPLY.".

- 1 Renumber succeeding subsection accordingly.
- 2 Page 28, line 24, strike "DOMAIN;" and substitute "DOMAIN OR IN
- 3 RESPONSE TO A THREAT OF EMINENT DOMAIN;".

- 5 Page 28, line 26, strike "OR".
- 6 Page 29, line 1, strike "TWENTY" and substitute "THIRTY".
- 7 Page 29, line 3, strike "SALE." and substitute "SALE;".
- 8 Page 29, after line 3 add:
- 9 "(VIII) IF THE QUALIFYING PROPERTY IS BEING SOLD,
- 10 TRANSFERRED, OR CONVEYED AS PART OF A TRANSACTION INVOLVING
- 11 MULTIPLE PROPERTIES WHICH INCLUDES AT LEAST ONE PROPERTY
- 12 LOCATED IN A JURISDICTION THAT IS OUTSIDE OF THE JURISDICTION OF THE
- 13 LOCAL GOVERNMENT;
- 14 (IX) THAT DOES NOT INVOLVE THE SALE, TRANSFER, OR
- 15 CONVEYANCE OF ALL OR SUBSTANTIALLY ALL OF THE QUALIFYING
- 16 PROPERTY; OR
- 17 (X) THAT IS A SALE, TRANSFER, OR CONVEYANCE, DIRECTLY OR
- 18 INDIRECTLY, OF OWNERSHIP INTERESTS IN THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER.".
- 19 Page 29, line 4, strike "(3)" and substitute "(2)".
- 20 Page 29, strike lines 12 through 14.
- 21 Reletter succeeding paragraph accordingly.
- 22 Page 29, strike lines 16 and 17 and substitute "OR THE LOCAL
- 23 GOVERNMENT'S ASSIGNEE MAY BRING A CIVIL ACTION".
- Page 29, lines 18 and 19, strike "OR A PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN
- 25 AN APPLICABLE QUALIFYING PROPERTY THROUGH A RESIDENTIAL SELLER".
- 26 Page 29, after line 20 insert:
- 27 "(c) THE REMEDIES FOR ANY ACTION BROUGHT PURSUANT TO THIS
- 28 SUBSECTION (1) ARE LIMITED TO MONETARY DAMAGES AND STATUTORY
- 29 PENALTIES AGAINST THE RESIDENTIAL SELLER. ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN
- 30 INTEREST IN AN APPLICABLE QUALIFYING PROPERTY THROUGH A
- 31 RESIDENTIAL SELLER SHALL TAKE TITLE TO THE APPLICABLE QUALIFYING

- 1 PROPERTY FREE OF ANY RIGHTS OR CLAIMS SET FORTH IN THIS PART 12.".
- 2 Page 29, strike lines 21 through 27.
- 3 Page 30, strike line 1.
- 4 Renumber succeeding subsections accordingly.
- 5 Page 30, strike lines 3 through 5 and substitute "VIOLATION OF THIS PART
- 6 12, THE COURT SHALL AWARD A STATUTORY PENALTY THAT IS NOT LESS
- 7 THAN TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR A FIRST OFFENSE AND NOT LESS THAN
- 8 THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR ANY SUBSEQUENT OFFENSES; EXCEPT
- 9 THAT THE COURT SHALL NOT AWARD A STATUTORY PENALTY THAT IS
- 10 MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.".
- Page 30, lines 6 and 7, strike "DAMAGES, REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES,"
- 12 and substitute "REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES".
- Page 30, line 7, strike "PARTY; EXCEPT THAT," and substitute "PARTY.".
- 14 Page 30, strike lines 8 through 16.
- 15 Page 30, line 17, strike "INDEPENDENT".
- Page 30, strike lines 18 through 20 and substitute "THE SOLE AND
- 17 EXCLUSIVE REMEDIES PURSUANT TO A CIVIL ACTION BROUGHT PURSUANT
- 18 TO THIS SECTION FOR A VIOLATION OF THIS PART 12 BY A RESIDENTIAL
- 19 SELLER.".
- 20 Strike "(7)(a)" and substitute "(8)(a)" on: **Page 18**, line 21; and **Page 19**,
- 21 line 3.
- 22 Strike "(1)(c)" and substitute "(1)(b)" on: **Page 29**, lines 7 and 11.

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