

or she is exiting an institution where they resided for 120 days or less and resided in an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation immediately before entering that institution. The waiver is in effect until June 30, 2021 and is made available with respect to all ESG grants, whether funded under the CARES Act or annual ESG appropriations.

Nature of Requirement: The definition of homeless in 24 CFR 576.2 includes under paragraph (1)(iii) an individual who is exiting an institution where he or she resided for 90 days or less and has resided in an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation immediately before entering that institution, which is an interpretation of § 103(a)(4) of the McKinney-Vento Act which includes an individual who resided in a shelter or place not meant for human habitation and who is exiting an institution where he or she temporarily resided (*emphasis added*).

Granted By: James A. Jemison, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

Date Granted: March 31, 2021.

Reason Waived: HUD originally waived this requirement on September 30, 2020 to keep housing options open for individuals who otherwise would have been homeless but were reporting longer stays in institutions as a result of COVID-19 (e.g., longer time in jail due to a postponed court dates due to court closings or courts operating at reduced capacity and longer hospital stays when infected with COVID-19). Allowing someone who was residing in an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation prior to entering the institution to maintain their homeless status while residing in an institution for longer than 90 days is necessary to prevent the spread of and respond to COVID-19 by expanding housing options for people who were experiencing homelessness and institutionalized for longer than traditionally required due to COVID-19. Recipients continue to report potential program participants are staying in institutions for longer periods of time due to COVID-19; therefore, HUD extended this waiver to allow someone who was residing in an emergency shelter or place not meant for human habitation prior to entering the institution to maintain their homeless status while residing in an institution for longer than 90 days.

Contact: Norm Suchar, Director, Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street SW, Room 7262,

Washington, DC 20410, telephone number (202) 708-4300.

• **Regulation:** 24 CFR 576.203(a)(1).

Project/Activity: HUD granted a waiver of 24 CFR 576.203(a)(1) to Oregon Housing and Community Services (OHCS), to extend its obligation date to March 31, 2021 to provide time to evaluate new applications, award funds, and account for unforeseen delays due to the implementation of a new funding approach to meet the unprecedented need during the COVID-19 pandemic and identify new subrecipients with the capacity to administer ESG-CV funds.

Nature of Requirement: Section 24 CFR 576.203(a)(1) requires states to obligate funds within 60 days from the date that it signs the grant agreement with HUD. HUD further waived this requirement in CPD-20-08 Notice: Waivers and Alternative Requirements for the Emergency Solutions Grants (ESG) Program Under the CARES Act (ESG-CV Notice) so long as states obligated funds within 180 days for activities it will carry out itself and 240 days for activities it will obligate to subrecipients.

Granted By: John Gibbs, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

Date Granted: January 7, 2021.

Reason Waived: HUD granted the waiver to extend OHCS's obligation deadline from February 18, 2021 to March 31, 2021 to provide additional time to implement a new competitive process for allocating funds and identifying new subrecipients with the capacity to administer ESG CARES Act funds. The waiver provides OHCS with time needed to complete their funding process.

Contact: Norm Suchar, Director, Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street SW, Room 7262, Washington, DC 20410, telephone number (202) 708-4300.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Indian Affairs

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Indian Gaming; Approval of Tribal-State Class III Gaming Compact in the State of Minnesota

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice publishes the approval of the class III gaming compact between the Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community of Minnesota (Tribe) and the State of Minnesota (State).

DATES: The compact takes effect on July 2, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Paula L. Hart, Director, Office of Indian Gaming, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary—Policy and Economic Development, Washington, DC 20240, paula.hart@bia.gov, (202) 219-4066.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under section 11 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act (IGRA), Public Law 100-497, 25 U.S.C. 2701 *et seq.*, the Secretary of the Interior shall publish in the **Federal Register** notice of approved Tribal-State compacts for the purpose of engaging in Class III gaming activities on Indian lands. As required by 25 CFR 293.4, all compacts and amendments are subject to review and approval by the Secretary. The Compact allows for the express and limited purpose of permitting the use of partitioned hard drives by the Community. The Compact is approved.

Bryan Newland,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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Cayuga Nation of New York; Alcoholic Beverage Control Ordinance

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs, Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice publishes the liquor control ordinance of the Cayuga Nation of New York. The liquor control statute regulates and controls the possession, sale, manufacture, and distribution of alcohol in conformity with the laws of the State of New York.

DATES: This Ordinance is effective on August 2, 2021.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Rebecca J. Smith, Tribal Relations Specialist, Eastern Regional Office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 545 Marriott Drive, Suite 700, Nashville, Tennessee 37214, Telephone: (615) 564-6711, Fax: (615) 564-6701; or Ms. Laurel Iron Cloud, Chief, Division of Tribal