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Mr. James B. Waskom
Governor's Authorized Representative
Governor's Office of Homeland Security and
Emergency Preparedness
7667 Independence Boulevard
Baton Rouge, LA 70806

SUBJECT: GOHSEP Request to Clarify FEMA's Identification of Single-Family Owner
Occupied Residences in the Shelter at Home Program in FEMA-4277-DR-LA

Dear Mr. Waskom:

I am providing clarification pertaining to qualifications of particular residences in the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA's) Shelter and Temporary Essential Power (STEP) program implemented in Louisiana as the Shelter at Home (SAH) program for FEMA-4277-DR-LA you requested in your letter of September 16, 2016.

Otherwise eligible Manufactured Housing Units (whether or not attached to the ground, with or without wheels) and Manufactured Modular Homes could potentially qualify for assistance under the SAH program. Travel Trailers, Campers, RVs, or other similar vehicles are recreational in nature and are not eligible residences for the SAH program.

Whether these types of manufactured homes would be technically feasible or cost prohibitive for such assistance is a case-by-case determination under the auspices of the SAH program guidance, and is still limited to the established cap of \$15,000 per unit.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Willie Nunn, Housing Assistance Task Force Lead for FEMA-4277-DR-LA at (206) 437-4403.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Gerard M. Stolar".

Gerard M. Stolar
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FEMA-4277-DR-LA