DETAILED MODEL PLAN (LIHEAP)

Program Name: Low Income Home Energy Assistance

Grantee Name: ENTERPRISE RANCHERIA

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* b. Employer 680338086	/Taxpayer Identificati	ion Number (EIN/TIN)):	* c. Organizat	tional DU	NS: 949716	5617	
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* City:	OROVILLE			County:				
* State:	CA			Province:				
* Country:	United States			* Zip / Post Code:	tal	95966 -		
e. Organizatio	nal Unit:			<u> </u>				
Department N	lame:			Division Name	e:			
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	e Title of Applicant's l ME HOME ENERGY A	Project SSISTANCE PROGR <i>A</i>	AM(LIHEAP) M	Model Plan				
12. Areas Affe	ected by Funding:		<u> </u>					
13. CONGRES	SSIONAL DISTRICT	S OF:						

* a. Applicant		b. Program	/Project:			
Attach an additional list of	Program/Project Congressional Districts if n	eeded.				
14. FUNDING PERIOD:		15. ESTIMATED FUNDING:				
a. Start Date: 10/01/2018	b. End Date: 09/30/2019		* a. Federal (\$): \$0	b. Match (\$):		
* 16. IS SUBMISSION SUB	JECT TO REVIEW BY STATE UNDER EX	ECUTIVE (ORDER 12372 PROCESS?			
a. This submission was n	nade available to the State under the Executiv	ve Order 123'	72			
Process for Review of	n:					
b. Program is subject to	E.O. 12372 but has not been selected by State	for review.				
c. Program is not covere	d by E.O. 12372.					
* 17. Is The Applicant Delir C YES NO	quent On Any Federal Debt?					
Explanation:						
complete and accurate to th	on, I certify (1) to the statements contained in e best of my knowledge. I also provide the re- te that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent state 218, Section 1001)	quired assura	ances** and agree to comply with an	y resulting terms if I		
** The list of certifications a instructions.	and assurances, or an internet site where you	may obtain t	his list, is contained in the announce	ment or agency specific		
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18b. Signature of Authorize	d Certifying Official		18e. Date Report Submitted (Mont) 10/16/2018	h, Day, Year)		
Attach supportin	g documents as specified in	agency i	nstructions.			

Section 1 - Program Components

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LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM(LIHEAP) MODEL PLAN

MODEL PLAN SF - 424 - MANDATORY

Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families Office of Community Services Washington, DC 20201

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THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT OF 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13)Use of this model plan is optional. However, the information requested is required in order to receive a Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) grant in years in which the grantee is not permitted to file an abbreviated plan. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 1 hour per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and reviewing the collection of information. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Section 1 Program Components						
Program Components, 2605(a), 2605(b)(1) - Assurance 1, 2605(c)(1)(C)						
1.1 Check which components you will operate under the LIHEAP program. (Note: You must provide information for each component designated here as requested elsewhere in this plan.)						
	Start Date	End Date				
Heating assistance	10/01/2018	09/30/2019				
Cooling assistance	10/01/2018	09/30/2019				
Crisis assistance	10/01/2018	09/30/2019				
Weatherization assistance						
Provide further explanation for the dates of operation, if necessary						
Estimated Funding Allocation, 2604(C), 2605(k)(1), 2605(b)(9), 2605(b)(16) - Assurances 9 and 16						
1.2 Estimate what amount of available LIHEAP funds will be used for each component that you will operate: The must add up to 100%.	total of all percentages	Percentage (%)				
Heating assistance		40.00%				
Cooling assistance		30.00%				
Crisis assistance		20.00%				
Weatherization assistance	Weatherization assistance					
Carryover to the following federal fiscal year		0.00%				
Administrative and planning costs		10.00%				
Services to reduce home energy needs including needs assessment (Assurance 16)		0.00%				
Used to develop and implement leveraging activities		0.00%				
TOTAL 100.00%						

Alternate Use of Crisis Assistance Funds, 2605(c)(1)(C)										
1.3 The funds reserved for winter crisis assistance that have not been expended by March 15 will be reprogrammed to:										
~	Heat	Heating assistance					Coc	oling assistance		
	Wear	Weatherization assistance				Otl	ner (specify:)			
Coto	gawigal Eligibilit	r. 2605(b)(2)(A) Accumance 2, 2	605 (a))(1)(A) 2605(b)(9	PA)	A common oo P	<u> </u>			
1.4 D	o you consider h	y, 2605(b)(2)(A) - Assurance 2, 2 nous <u>e</u> holds categorically eligible i					follov	wing categories of	ben '	efits in the left
	nn below? O Ye									
If you	u answered "Yes	s" to question 1.4, you must com	plete		nd an		.5 and		1	
TANE	3		0	Heating Yes No	0	Cooling Yes No		Yes No		Weatherization Yes No
SSI	· 		<u> </u>	Yes No		res No	<u> </u>	Yes O No	_	Yes No
_			_	Yes No	_	res No	!	Yes No	_	Yes No
SNAP		<u> </u>	_		_		<u> </u>	Yes No Yes No	_	Yes No
Mean	s-tested Veterans	_	lo.	Yes 💽 No	lo.	Yes 💽 No	<u> </u>		U	1
0.7	(0 10) 4	Program Name		Heating	_	Cooling		Crisis		Weatherization
	(Specify) 1			O Yes O No		C Yes C No		O Yes O No		O Yes O No
		ally enroll households without a	direc	t annual applicat	tion?	Yes No				
If Ye	s, explain:									
		re there is no difference in the tro gibility and benefit amounts?	eatme	ent of categorical	ly elig	ible households f	rom	those not receivin	g otl	her public assistance
CNIA	D. V 1 D									
	P Nominal Payme	LIHEAP funds toward a nomina	l navi	ment for SNAP h	ouseh	olds? O Yes •	No			
		s" to question 1.7a, you must pro								
1.7b	Amount of Nomi	inal Assistance: \$0.00								
1.7c l	Frequency of As	sistance								
	Once Per Year									
/	Once every five	e years								
	Other - Describ	oe:								
1.7d	How do you con	firm that the household receiving	g a no	minal payment h	nas an	energy cost or n	eed?			
Deter	mination of Eligi	bility - Countable Income								
1.8. I	n determining a	household's income eligibility fo	r LIF	IEAP, do you use	gross	income or net in	ıcom	e ?		
	Gross Income									
Net Income										
1.9. S	Select all the app	licable forms of countable incom	e use	d to determine a	house	hold's income eli	gibili	ity for LIHEAP		
>	Wages									
>	Self - Employm	nent Income								
>	Contract Incon	ne								
	Payments from	mortgage or Sales Contracts								
	Unemployment insurance									

	Strike Pay
>	Social Security Administration (SSA) benefits
	✓ Including MediCare deduction
>	Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
>	Retirement / pension benefits
>	General Assistance benefits
>	Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits
	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits
	Women, Infants, and Children Supplemental Nutrition Program (WIC) benefits
	Loans that need to be repaid
	Cash gifts
	Savings account balance
	One-time lump-sum payments, such as rebates/credits, winnings from lotteries, refund deposits, etc.
	Jury duty compensation
	Rental income
>	Income from employment through Workforce Investment Act (WIA)
>	Income from work study programs
>	Alimony
>	Child support
	Interest, dividends, or royalties
	Commissions
	Legal settlements
	Insurance payments made directly to the insured
	Insurance payments made specifically for the repayment of a bill, debt, or estimate
	Veterans Administration (VA) benefits
	Earned income of a child under the age of 18
	Balance of retirement, pension, or annuity accounts where funds cannot be withdrawn without a penalty.
	Income tax refunds
	Stipends from senior companion programs, such as VISTA

Funds received by household for the care of a foster child
Ameri-Corp Program payments for living allowances, earnings, and in-kind aid
Reimbursements (for mileage, gas, lodging, meals, etc.)
Other
ny of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the ds provided, attach a document with said explanation here.

Section 2 - HEATING ASSISTANCE

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	Section 2 - Heating Assistance					
Eligibility, 2605(b	b)(2) - Assurance 2					
2.1 Designate the	e income eligibility threshold used for the	heating co	mponent:			
Add	Household size		Eligibility Guideline	Eligibility Threshold		
1	All Household Sizes		State Median Income	60.00%		
2.2 Do you have a HEATING ASSIT	additional eligibility requirements for FANCE?	C Yes	€ No			
2.3 Check the ap	propriate boxes below and describe the p	olicies for	each.			
Do you require a	n Assets test ?	C Yes	⊙ No			
Do you have add	litional/differing eligibility policies for:					
Renters?		O Yes	⊙ No			
Renters Liv	ving in subsidized housing ?	C Yes	⊙ No			
Renters wi	th utilities included in the rent ?	O Yes	⊙ No			
Do you give prior	rity in eligibility to:					
Elderly?		C Yes	⊙ No			
Disabled? C Yes O No						
Young chil	dren?	C Yes	⊙ No			
Households	s with high energy burdens ?	O Yes	⊙ No			
Other? Fu	el Type	C Yes	⊙ No			
Explanations of p	policies for each "yes" checked above:					
	Benefits 2605(b)(5) - Assurance 5, 2605(c)(
2.4 Describe how	you prioritize the provision of heating as	sistance to	ovulnerable populations, e.g., benefit amounts,	early application periods, etc.		
			fits go to the households with the lowest incomes pecial conditions; i.e. 48 hour and shut off notices			
	or less left in propane tank.	iden and sp	ecial conditions; i.e. 48 nour and shut our nonces	s, Elderry, infant of disabled		
2.5 Check the var	riables you use to determine your benefit	levels. (Ch	neck all that apply):			
Income						
Family (hou	usehold) size					
✓ Home energ	gy cost or need:					
✓ Fuel	l type					
	nate/region					
Indi	vidual bill					
Dwe	elling type					
✓ Ener	rgy burden (% of income spent on home e	energy)				
Energy need						

Other - Describe:							
Benefit Levels, 2605(b)(5) - Assurance 5, 2605(c)(1)(B)							
2.6 Describe estimated benefit levels for FY 2018:							
Minimum Benefit \$100 Maximum Benefit \$340							
2.7 Do you provide in-kind (e.g., blankets, space heat	ers) and/or other fo	rms of benefits? O Yes O No					
If yes, describe.							
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.							

Section 3 - COOLING ASSISTANCE

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	Section 3 - Cooling Assistance						
Eligibility, 2605(c	e)(1)(A), 2605 (b)(2) - Assurance 2						
3.1 Designate Th	e income eligibility threshold used for the	Cooling c	omponent:				
Add	Household size		Eligibility Guideline	Eligibility Threshold			
1	All Household Sizes		State Median Income	60.00%			
3.2 Do you have a	additional eligibility requirements for FANCE?	C Yes	€ No				
3.3 Check the ap	propriate boxes below and describe the p	olicies for	each.				
Do you require a	n Assets test ?	C Yes	⊙ No				
Do you have add	itional/differing eligibility policies for:						
Renters?		C Yes	⊙ No				
Renters Li	ving in subsidized housing ?	C Yes	⊙ No				
Renters with utilities included in the rent?							
Do you give prior	rity in eligibility to:						
Elderly?	Elderly? C Yes O No						
Disabled?							
Young chil	dren?	C Yes	⊙ No				
Household	s with high energy burdens ?	C Yes ⊙ No					
Other?		Oyes	⊙ No				
Explanations of 1	policies for each "yes" checked above:	-					
3.4 Describe how	you prioritize the provision of cooling as	sistance to	vulnerable populations,e.g., benefit amounts,	early application periods, etc.			
relation to income			its go to the households with the lowest income becial conditions; i.e. 48 hour and shut off notice				
Determination of	Benefits 2605(b)(5) - Assurance 5, 2605(c)(1)(B)					
3.5 Check the va	riables you use to determine your benefit	levels. (Ch	neck all that apply):				
✓ Income							
Family (hor	usehold) size						
✓ Home energ	gy cost or need:						
	type						
	nate/region						
	vidual bill						
	lling type						
	rgy burden (% of income spent on home e	nergy)					
	ov	51/					

Energy need								
Other - Describe:	Other - Describe:							
Benefit Levels, 2605(b)(5) - Assurance 5, 2605(c)(1)(B)								
3.6 Describe estimated benefit levels for FY 2018:								
Minimum Benefit	\$100	Maximum Benefit	\$340					
3.7 Do you provide in-kind (e.g., fans, air conditioner	s) and/or other form	ns of benefits? C Yes O No						
If yes, describe.								
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.								

Section 4 - CRISIS ASSISTANCE

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	Section 4: CRISIS ASSISTANCE				
Eligibility - 2604	(c), 2605(c)(1)(A)				
4.1 Designate the	e income eligibility threshold used for the crisis compo	nent			
Add	Household size	Eligibility Guideline	Eligibility Threshold		
1	All Household Sizes S	tate Median Income	60.00%		
4.2 Provide your	LIHEAP program's definition for determining a crisi	s.			
Receiving a shut-	off notice, 24/48 hour or propane is less than 20% in tank				
4.3 What constit	utes a <u>life-threatening crisis?</u>				
Service shut-off n	notice, 20% or less in tank, and Elder/Infant, Disabled per	son in household.			
Crisis Requirem	ent, 2604(c)				
4.4 Within how r	many hours do you provide an intervention that will re	solve the energy crisis for eligible househo	lds? 4Hours		
4.5 Within how I 1Hours	many hours do you provide an intervention that will re	solve the energy crisis for eligible househo	lds in life-threatening situations?		
Crisis Eligibility,	2605(c)(1)(A)				
4.6 Do you have ASSISTANCE?	additional eligibility requirements for CRISIS	C Yes O No			
4.7 Check the ap	propriate boxes below and describe the policies for ea	ch			
Do you require a	nn Assets test ?	C Yes O No			
Do you give prio	rity in eligibility to :				
Elderly?		• Yes O No			
Disabled?		€ Yes C No			
Young Chi	ildren?	€ Yes C No			
Household	s with high energy burdens?	€ Yes € No			
Other? 20	% propane left in tank or Shut off notice	⊙ Yes O No			
In Order to rece	ive crisis assistance:	•			
Must the h empty tank?	Must the household have received a shut-off notice or have a near Yes C No				
Must the h	ousehold have been shut off or have an empty tank?	€ Yes C No			
Must the h	ousehold have exhausted their regular heating benefit	? C Yes O No			
Must rente received an evict	ers with heating costs included in their rent have ion notice ?	C Yes © No			
Must heati	ing/cooling be medically necessary?	○ Yes			
Must the h equipment?	ousehold have non-working heating or cooling	C Yes O No			
Other?	Other? C Yes C No				

Do you have additional / di	iffering eligibility policie	s for:				
Renters?				C Yes		
Renters living in sub	sidized housing?			C Yes ⊙ No		
Renters with utilities	included in the rent?			C Yes No		
Explanations of policies for	r each "yes" checked ab	ove:				
According to our Policies, In order for the situation to be looked at as a crisis, the applicant must be an elder of the tribe (55 or older), Disabled, Under the age of One (1) years old, have a high energy burden (paying more than 15-30% more than your income), a shut-off notice or notice from propane company stating tank is 20% or less.						
Determination of Benefits						
4.8 How do you handle cris	sis situations?					
✓	Separate component					
	Fast Track					
	Other - Describe:					
4.9 If you have a separate of	component, how do you	determine c	risis assistan	ce benefits?		
>	Amount to resolve the o	erisis.				
	Other - Describe:					
Crisis Requirements, 2604(c						
		ssistance at s	ites that are	geographically accessible to all households in the area to be served?		
• Yes O No Explain	n.					
Applicants can email or fax	a LIHEAP Application in	if unable to	come into ou	r tribal office.		
4.11 Do you provide indivi						
Submit applications for		aving their l	homes?			
• Yes O No If No,						
Travel to the sites at whi		s assistance :	are accepted	!?		
© Yes © No If No, explain. If you answered "No" to both options in question 4.11, please explain alternative means of intake to those who are homebound or physically disabled?						
Benefit Levels, 2605(c)(1)(B)						
4.12 Indicate the maximum benefit for each type of crisis assistance offered.						
Winter Crisis \$340.00 maximum benefit						
Summer Crisis \$340.00 maximum benefit						
Year-round Crisis \$340.00 maximum benefit 4.13 Do you provide in kind (e.g. blankets, space heaters, fans) and/or other forms of benefits?						
4.13 Do you provide in-kind (e.g. blankets, space heaters, fans) and/or other forms of benefits? O Yes No If yes, Describe						
to to a yes, Describe						
4.14 Do you provide for equipment repair or replacement using crisis funds?						
C Yes • No						
If you answered "Yes" to question 4.14, you must complete question 4.15.						
4.15 Check appropriate boxes below to indicate type(s) of assistance provided.						
Winter Summer Year-round Crisis						
		Crisis	Crisis			
Heating system repair	leating system repair					
Heating system replacement	nt					

Cooling system repair						
Cooling system replacement						
Wood stove purchase						
Pellet stove purchase						
Solar panel(s)						
Utility poles / gas line hook-ups						
Other (Specify):						
4.16 Do any of the utility vendors you work with enforce a moratorium on shut offs?						
C Yes O No						
If you responded "Yes" to question 4.16, you must respond to question 4.17.						
4.17 Describe the terms of the moratorium and any special dispensation received by LIHEAP clients during or after the moratorium period.						
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.						

Section 5 - WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE

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Section 5: WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE						
Eligibility, 2605(c)(1)(A), 2605(b)(2) - Assa	urance 2					
5.1 Designate the income eligibility thresh	old used for the Weatheriz	ation component				
Add House	hold Size	Eligibility Guideline	Eligibility Threshold			
1 0.00%						
5.2 Do you enter into an interagency agree No	ement to have another gove	ernment agency administer a WEATHERIZ	ATION component? O Yes			
5.3 If yes, name the agency.						
5.4 Is there a separate monitoring protoco	ol for weatherization? CY	es O No				
WEATHERIZATION - Types of Rules						
5.5 Under what rules do you administer L	IHEAP weatherization? (C	Check only one.)				
Entirely under LIHEAP (not DOE)	rules					
Entirely under DOE WAP (not LIH	EAP) rules					
Mostly under LIHEAP rules with the	ne following DOE WAP rul	le(s) where LIHEAP and WAP rules differ (Check all that apply):			
Income Threshold						
Weatherization of entire mult units or will become eligible within 180 da		is permitted if at least 66% of units (50% in	2- & 4-unit buildings) are eligible			
Weatherize shelters temporar care facilities).	ily housing primarily low i	ncome persons (excluding nursing homes, pr	isons, and similar institutional			
Other - Describe:						
Mostly under DOE WAP rules, with	1 the following LIHEAP ru	le(s) where LIHEAP and WAP rules differ (Check all that apply.)			
Income Threshold						
Weatherization not subject to	Weatherization not subject to DOE WAP maximum statewide average cost per dwelling unit.					
Weatherization measures are not subject to DOE Savings to Investment Ration (SIR) standards.						
Other - Describe:						
Eligibility, 2605(b)(5) - Assurance 5						
5.6 Do you require an assets test?						
5.7 Do you have additional/differing eligibility policies for :						
Renters	Renters C Yes C No					
Renters living in subsidized housing?						
5.8 Do you give priority in eligibility to:						
Elderly? C Yes C No						
Disabled?						

Young Children?	C Yes C No				
House holds with high energy burdens?	C Yes C No				
Other?	C Yes C No				
If you selected "Yes" for any of the option below.	as in questions 5.6, 5.7, or 5.8, you	u must provide further explanation of these policies in the text field			
Benefit Levels					
5.9 Do you have a maximum LIHEAP we	atherization benefit/expenditure	per household? C Yes C No			
5.10 If yes, what is the maximum? \$0					
Types of Assistance, 2605(c)(1), (B) & (D)					
5.11 What LIHEAP weatherization measu	ares do you provide ? (Check all	categories that apply.)			
Weatherization needs assessments/audits Energy related roof repair					
Caulking and insulation Major appliance Repairs					
Storm windows		Major appliance replacement			
Furnace/heating system modificati	ions/ repairs	Windows/sliding glass doors			
Furnace replacement		Doors			
Cooling system modifications/ repairs Water Heater					
Water conservation measures		Cooling system replacement			
Compact florescent light bulbs		Other - Describe:			
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.					

Section 6 - Outreach, 2605(b)(3) - Assurance 3, 2605(c)(3)(A)

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Section 6: Outreach, 2605(b)(3) - Assurance 3, 2605(c)(3)(A)
6.1 Select all outreach activities that you conduct that are designed to assure that eligible households are made aware of all LIHEAP assistance available:
Place posters/flyers in local and county social service offices, offices of aging, Social Security offices, VA, etc.
Publish articles in local newspapers or broadcast media announcements.
Include inserts in energy vendor billings to inform individuals of the availability of all types of LIHEAP assistance.
Mass mailing(s) to prior-year LIHEAP recipients.
✓ Inform low income applicants of the availability of all types of LIHEAP assistance at application intake for other low-income programs.
Execute interagency agreements with other low-income program offices to perform outreach to target groups.
Other (specify):
Placed fliers at our local Tribal TANF office and our local clinic, Feather River Tribal Health.
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Section 7 - Coordination, 2605(b)(4) - Assurance 4

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particularly with types of assistance not available through our program.

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	Section 7: Coordination, 2605(b)(4) - Assurance 4
7.1 Descr WAP, et	ribe how you will ensure that the LIHEAP program is coordinated with other programs available to low-income households (TANF, SSI, tc.).
	Joint application for multiple programs
<	Intake referrals to/from other programs
\	One - stop intake centers
	Other - Describe:
	ing the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of similar and/or related programs administered by the Federal Government or by the State. This all low-income and energy related programs. Contact will be maintained with these fellow workers on a regular and on-going basis. Referrals will

If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the

be encouraged from them to our program. It is expected that other similar programs can be utilized to leverage the assistance need by low-income families,

Section 8 - Agency Designation,, 2605(b)(6) - Assurance 6

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Section 8: Agency Designation, 2605(b)(6) - Assurance 6 (Required for state grantees and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico)						
8.1 How	would you categorize the primary respons	ibility of your State a	gency?			
	Administration Agency					
	Commerce Agency					
	Community Services Agency					
	Energy / Environment Agency					
	Housing Agency					
	Welfare Agency					
	Other - Describe:					
Alternate Outreach and Intake, 2605(b)(15) - Assurance 15 If you selected "Welfare Agency" in question 8.1, you must complete questions 8.2, 8.3, and 8.4, as applicable. 8.2 How do you provide alternate outreach and intake for HEATING ASSISTANCE? 8.3 How do you provide alternate outreach and intake for COOLING ASSISTANCE? 8.4 How do you provide alternate outreach and intake for CRISIS ASSISTANCE?						
8.5 LIH	EAP Component Administration.	Heating	Cooling	Crisis	Weatherization	
	to determines client eligibility?	Non-Applicable	Non-Applicable	Non-Applicable	Non-Applicable	
8.5b Wh	.5b Who processes benefit payments to gas and lectric vendors? Non-Applicable Non-Applicable Non-Applicable Non-Applicable					
	8.5c who processes benefit payments to bulk fuel Non-Applicable Non-Applicable Non-Applicable					
8.5d Who performs installation of weatherization measures? Non-Applicable						
If any of your LIHEAP components are not centrally-administered by a state agency, you must complete questions 8.6, 8.7, 8.8, and, if applicable, 8.9.						
8.6 What is your process for selecting local administering agencies?						

8.7 How many local administering agencies do you use?				
8.8 Have you changed any local administering agencies in the last year? Yes No				
8.9 If so	o, why?			
	Agency was in noncompliance with grantee requirements for LIHEAP -			
	Agency is under criminal investigation			
	Added agency			
	Agency closed			
	Other - describe			
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Section 9 - Energy Suppliers,, 2605(b)(7) - Assurance 7

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Section 9: Energy Suppliers, 2605(b)(7) - Assurance 7				
9.1 Do you make payments directly to home energy suppliers?				
Heating © Yes C No				
Cooling • Yes • No				
Crisis © Yes © No				
Are there exceptions? O Yes O No				
If yes, Describe.				
9.2 How do you notify the client of the amount of assistance paid?				
During the intake process, a determination of benefit eligibility and levels of assistance is made and given to the applicant, along with an intake form that has the eligibility approval amount.				
9.3 How do you assure that the home energy supplier will charge the eligible household, in the normal billing process, the difference between the actual cost of the home energy and the amount of the payment? A bill is required at intake and the bill indicates the total amount owing. We have verbal and working agreements with each vendor on how payments are qualifed. At the intake, the client qualifies at different levels, depending on their eligibility and income. We do have an agreement with PG&E and are able to make pledges and we will continue to work with vendors and through written agreements this grant year.				
9.4 How do you assure that no household receiving assistance under this title will be treated adversely because of their receipt of LIHEAP assistance?				
Although Enterprise Rancheria has never experienced any adversity, we would immediately contact the vendor headquarters to inform them of the treatment and intervene. The Tribe will continue to work with vendors to make sure all assurances are clarified.				
9.5. Do you make payments contingent on unregulated vendors taking appropriate measures to alleviate the energy burdens of eligible households? O Yes No				
If so, describe the measures unregulated vendors may take.				
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Section 10 - Program, Fiscal Monitoring, and Audit, 2605(b)(10) - Assurance 10

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10.1. How do y	you ensure good fiscal	accounting and tracking of LIHEAP	funds?			
		the Fiscal Officer the check request alo information and processes the check to	ng with the LIHEAP file which contain the vendor.	s all the supporting documentation of		
carryovers, an		m, Tracking of refunds, Tracking of ob	which is used to track the LIHEAP grant ligation of funds (Seperation of funding			
This program v reconciliations.		bal Council at its regular monthly Triba	al Council meetings through monthly ex	spenditure reports and bank		
Audit Process						
10.2. Is your L		ited annually under the Single Audit	Act and OMB Circular A - 133?			
			or reportable condition cited in the A ws of the LIHEAP agency from the n			
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Local Administering Agencies / District Offices:
On - site evaluation
Annual program review
Monitoring through central database
Desk reviews
Client File Testing / Sampling
Other program review mechanisms are in place. Describe:
10.6 Explain, or attach a copy of your local agency monitoring schedule and protocol.
10.7. Describe how you select local agencies for monitoring reviews.
Site Visits:
Desk Reviews:
10.8. How often is each local agency monitored ?
10.9. What is the combined error rate for eligibility determinations? OPTIONAL
10.10. What is the combined error rate for benefit determinations? OPTIONAL
10.11. How many local agencies are currently on corrective action plans for eligibility and/or benefit determination issues?
10.12. How many local agencies are currently on corrective action plans for financial accounting or administrative issues?
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.

Section 11 - Timely and Meaningful Public Participation, , 2605(b)(12) - Assurance 12, 2605(c)(2)

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Section 11: Timely and Meaningful Public Participation, 2605(b)(12), 2605(C)(2)					
11.1 How did you obtain input from the public in the devel Select all that apply.	lopment of your LIHEAP plan?				
✓ Tribal Council meeting(s)					
Public Hearing(s)					
Draft Plan posted to website and available for co	mment				
Hard copy of plan is available for public view an	d comment				
Comments from applicants are recorded					
Request for comments on draft Plan is advertised	d				
Stakeholder consultation meeting(s)					
Comments are solicited during outreach activitie	es				
Tribal Council and General Council Meetings which is open to our tribal general membership where the General Council/General membership can view and comment on our LIHEAP Plan. 11.2 What changes did you make to your LIHEAP plan as a result of this participation? None were made. Our General Council/General membership did not have any comments on our LIHEAP Plan after they viewed it.					
Public Hearings, 2605(a)(2) - For States and the Common	wealth of Puerto Rico Only				
11.3 List the date and location(s) that you held public hear	ring(s) on the proposed use and o	distribution of your LIHEAP funds?			
	Date	Event Description			
1	07/24/2018	Tribal Council Meeting			
2	08/11/2018	General Council Meeting			
3	3 08/28/2018 Tribal Council Meeting				
11.4. How many parties commented on your plan at the hearing(s)? 0					
11.5 Summarize the comments you received at the hearing(s). None were made. Our General Council/General membership did not have any comments on our LIHEAP Plan after they viewed it.					
Tribal Council consists of Seven (7) Voting Lineal Tribal Members elected by General Council.					
Our General Council consists of any member of our total membership of 1017 that is Eighteen (18) years of age and older.					
11.6 What changes did you make to your LIHEAP plan as a result of the comments received at the public hearing(s)? None were made. Our General Council/General membership did not have any comments on our LIHEAP Plan after they viewed it.					

Section 12 - Fair Hearings, 2605(b)(13) - Assurance 13

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Section 12: Fair Hearings, 2605(b)(13) - Assurance 13

12.1 How many fair hearings did the grantee have in the prior Federal fiscal year? $\,0\,$

12.2 How many of those fair hearings resulted in the initial decision being reversed? 0

12.3 Describe any policy and/or procedural changes made in the last Federal fiscal year as a result of fair hearings?

The Tribe had None.

12.4 Describe your fair hearing procedures for households whose applications are denied.

The grantee will inform all households that they are allowed a fair administrative hearing if they are denied assistance or if their application is not acted on in a timely manner by a written notice.

If an applicant is dissatified with the decision made on their application, they should first contact the Enterprise Rancheria LIHEAP Program Manager to be sure they have all the information they need to correctly determine their eligibility. If there has been an error or misunderstanding used to determine the applicants eligibility, the applicant has the right to appeal. The Tribal Council will be responsible for fair hearing procedures under this program. Hearings will be given to individuals who have been denied or not acted upon in a timely manner. Hearings will be granted for individuals who believe that they are entitled to a higher level of assistance than the amount they received. Dissatisfied applicants must submit their request in writing for a hearing within 30 days from the date of their notice of payment or denial. Hearings will be scheduled to occur within 10 days of receipt of a hearing request. A final decision will be made within 10 days of the date of the hearing.

12.5 When and how are applicants informed of these rights?

These rights are attached to the LIHEAP Application Form.

12.6 Describe your fair hearing procedures for households whose applications are not acted on in a timely manner.

The Tribal Council will be responsible for fair hearing procedures under this program. Hearings will be given to individuals who have been denied or not acted upon in a timely manner. Hearsing will be granted for individuals who believe that they are entitled to a higher level of assistance than the amount they received. Dissatisfied applicants must submit their request in writing for a hearing within 30days from the date of their notice of payment or denial. Hearings will bescheduled to occur within 10 days of receipts of a hearing request. A final decision will be made within 10 days of the date of the hearing.

12.7 When and how are applicants informed of these rights?

These rights are attached to the LIHEAP Application form.

Section 13 - Reduction of home energy needs, 2605(b)(16) - Assurance 16

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Section 13: Reduction of home energy needs, 2605(b)(16) - Assurance 16

13.1 Describe how you use LIHEAP funds to provide services that encourage and enable households to reduce their home energy needs and thereby the need for energy assistance?

We are not going to be using LIHEAP funds for such services.

13.2 How do you ensure that you don't use more than 5% of your LIHEAP funds for these activities?

N/A

13.3 Describe the impact of such activities on the number of households served in the previous Federal fiscal year.

N/A

13.4 Describe the level ofdirect benefitsprovided to those households in the previous Federal fiscal year.

N/A

13.5 How many households applied for these services? 0

13.6 How many households received these services? 0

Section 14 - Leveraging Incentive Program ,2607A

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14.2 Describe instructions to any third parties and/or local agencies for submitting LIHEAP leveraging resource information and retaining records.

14.3 For each type of resource and/or benefit to be leveraged in the upcoming year that will meet the requirements of 45 C.F.R. \hat{A} § 96.87(d)(2)(iii), describe the following:

Resource	What is the type of resource or benefit ?	What is the source(s) of the resource ?	How will the resource be integrated and coordinated with LIHEAP?
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Section 15 - Training

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Section 15: Training			
15.1 Describe the training you provide for each of the following groups:			
a. Grantee Staff:			
Formal training on grantee policies and procedures			
How often?			
Annually			
Biannually			
✓ As needed			
Other - Describe:			
Employees are provided with policy manual			
Other-Describe:			
b. Local Agencies:			
Formal training conference			
How often?			
Annually			
Biannually			
As needed			
Other - Describe:			
On-site training			
How often?			
Annually			
Biannually			
As needed			
Other - Describe:			
Employees are provided with policy manual			
Other - Describe			
c. Vendors			
Formal training conference			
How often?			
Annually			
Biannually			
As needed			
Other - Describe:			

	Policies communicated through vendor agreements
	Policies are outlined in a vendor manual
	Other - Describe: ear our LIHEAP Program Manager telephone conferences with our LIHEAP vendors educating them on the policies and process of our program.
15.2 Does Yes No	s your training program address fraud reporting and prevention?
•	of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the

fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.

Section 16 - Performance Goals and Measures, 2605(b)

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Section 16: Performance Goals and Measures, 2605(b) - Required for States Only

16.1 Describe your progress toward meeting the data collection and reporting requirements of the four required LIHEAP performance measures. Include timeframes and plans for meeting these requirements and what you believe will be accomplished in the coming federal fiscal year.

Section 17 - Program Integrity, 2605(b)(10)

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Section 17: Program Integrity, 2605(b)(10)					
17.1 Fraud Reporting Mechanisms					
a. Describe all mechanisms availab	le to the public for reporting cases of	suspected waste, fraud, and abuse. Se	lect all that apply.		
Online Fraud Reporting	g S				
Dedicated Fraud Repor	ting Hotline				
Report directly to local	agency/district office or Grantee offic	e			
Report to State Inspecto	or General or Attorney General				
Forms and procedures i	in place for local agencies/district offic	ces and vendors to report fraud, wast	e, and abuse		
Other - Describe:					
b. Describe strategies in place for a	dvertising the above-referenced resou	rces. Select all that apply			
Printed outreach mater	Printed outreach materials				
Addressed on LIHEAP	application				
Website					
Other - Describe:					
The Tribe has the information (phone	e number, website) to report cases of sus	pected LIHEAP fraud, waste or abuse of	on each application.		
17.2. Identification Documentation	Requirements				
a. Indicate which of the following forms of identification are required or requested to be collected from LIHEAP applicants or their household members.					
Collected from Whom?					
Type of Identification Collected	Applicant Only	All Adults in Household	All Household Members		
	Required	Required	Required		
Social Security Card is photocopied and retained					
	Requested	Requested	Requested		
Coolel Coonsider Name to CW241	Required	Required	Required		
Social Security Number (Without actual Card)					
	Requested	Requested	Requested		
Covernment learned la	Required	Required	Required		
Government-issued identification card		∨	V		
	Requested	Requested	Requested		

(i.e.: driver's license, state ID, Tribal ID, passport, etc.)]			
Other	Applicant Only Required	Applicant Only Requested	All Adults in Household Required	All Adults in Household Requested	All Household Members Required	All Household Members Requested
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b. Describe any exceptions to the above policies.						
17.3 Identification Verification Describe what methods are used to	o verify the authenticity	v of identification of	documents provid	ed by clients or ho	sehold members	Select all that
apply				ed by chemic of not		
Verify SSNs with Social Security Administration Match SSNs with death records from Social Security Administration or state agency						
Match SSNs with state eligi		-				
Match with state Departme		tt system (e.g., 5142	11,1711(1)			
Match with state and/or fee	<u> </u>	<u> </u>				
Match with state child supp	<u> </u>	п				
Verification using private s	<u> </u>	Ir Numbou)				
In-person certification by s						
In-person certification by s			oords (for tribal a	rrantage anly)		
Match SSN/Tribal ID num Other - Describe:	ber with tribal databas	e or enronment re	cords (for tribar g	rantees only)		
17.4 Cit. 11.7 10.11	X7 *0* 4*					
17.4. Citizenship/Legal Residency What are your procedures for ens		embers are U.S. c	itizens or aliens w	ho are qualified to	receive LIHEAP h	enefits? Select
all that apply.			——————————————————————————————————————	no are quanties to		
Clients sign an attestation	of citizenship or legal	residency				
Client's submission of Soc	cial Security cards is ac	cepted as proof of	legal residency			
Noncitizens must provide	documentation of imm	igration status				
Citizens must provide a co	opy of their birth certif	icate, naturalizatio	on papers, or pass	port		
Noncitizens are verified th	hrough the SAVE system	m				
Tribal members are verifi	ied through Tribal enro	ollment records/Tr	ibal ID card			
Other - Describe:						
17.5. Income Verification						
What methods does your agency u	itilize to verify househo	ld income? Select	all that apply.			
Require documentation of	income for all adult ho	usehold members				
✓ Pay stubs						
Social Security awar	rd letters					
✓ Bank statements						
Tax statements						
Zero-income statem	nents					
Unemployment Insu	urance letters					
Other - Describe:						
Disability Income						
Computer data matches:						
Income information	matched against state	computer system ((e.g., SNAP, TAN	F)		
Proof of unemployn	nent benefits verified w	ith state Departme	ent of Labor			

Social Security income verified with SSA
Utilize state directory of new hires
Other - Describe:
17.6. Protection of Privacy and Confidentiality
Describe the financial and operating controls in place to protect client information against improper use or disclosure. Select all that apply.
Policy in place prohibiting release of information without written consent
Grantee LIHEAP database includes privacy/confidentiality safeguards
Employee training on confidentiality for:
Grantee employees
Local agencies/district offices
Employees must sign confidentiality agreement
Grantee employees
Local agencies/district offices
Physical files are stored in a secure location
Other - Describe:
17.7. Verifying the Authenticity What policies are in place for verifying vendor authenticity? Select all that apply.
All vendors must register with the State/Tribe.
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Vendors are verified through energy bills provided by the household
Grantee and/or local agencies/district offices perform physical monitoring of vendors
Other - Describe and note any exceptions to policies above:
17.8. Benefits Policy - Gas and Electric Utilities
What policies are in place to protect against fraud when making benefit payments to gas and electric utilities on behalf of clients? Select all that apply.
Applicants required to submit proof of physical residency
Applicants must submit current utility bill
Data exchange with utilities that verifies:
✓ Account ownership
Consumption
✓ Balances
Payment history
Account is properly credited with benefit
Other - Describe:
Centralized computer system/database tracks payments to all utilities
Centralized computer system automatically generates benefit level
Separation of duties between intake and payment approval
Payments coordinated among other energy assistance programs to avoid duplication of payments
Payments to utilities and invoices from utilities are reviewed for accuracy
Computer databases are periodically reviewed to verify accuracy and timeliness of payments made to utilities
Direct payment to households are made in limited cases only
Procedures are in place to require prompt refunds from utilities in cases of account closure

Vendor agreements specify requirements selected above, and provide enforcement mechanism
Other - Describe:
17.9. Benefits Policy - Bulk Fuel Vendors
What procedures are in place for averting fraud and improper payments when dealing with bulk fuel suppliers of heating oil, propane, wood, and other bulk fuel vendors? Select all that apply.
Vendors are checked against an approved vendors list
Centralized computer system/database is used to track payments to all vendors
Clients are relied on for reports of non-delivery or partial delivery
Two-party checks are issued naming client and vendor
Direct payment to households are made in limited cases only
Vendors are only paid once they provide a delivery receipt signed by the client
Conduct monitoring of bulk fuel vendors
Bulk fuel vendors are required to submit reports to the Grantee
Vendor agreements specify requirements selected above, and provide enforcement mechanism
Other - Describe:
17.10. Investigations and Prosecutions
Describe the Grantee's procedures for investigating and prosecuting reports of fraud, and any sanctions placed on clients/staff/vendors found to have committed fraud. Select all that apply.
Refer to state Inspector General
Refer to local prosecutor or state Attorney General
Refer to US DHHS Inspector General (including referral to OIG hotline)
✓ Local agencies/district offices or Grantee conduct investigation of fraud complaints from public
Grantee attempts collection of improper payments. If so, describe the recoupment process
Clients found to have committed fraud are banned from LIHEAP assistance. For how long is a household banned? indefinitely
Contracts with local agencies require that employees found to have committed fraud are reprimanded and/or terminated
✓ Vendors found to have committed fraud may no longer participate in LIHEAP
Other - Describe:
If any of the above questions require further explanation or clarification that could not be made in the

fields provided, attach a document with said explanation here.

Section 18: Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters

Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters--Primary Covered Transactions

Instructions for Certification

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. The prospective participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.
- 3. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when the department or agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause or default.BrBbr.
- 4. The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 5. The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the department or agency to which this proposal is being submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 6. The prospective primary participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency entering into this transaction.

- 7. The prospective primary participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled ``Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transaction," provided by the department or agency entering into this covered transaction, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 8. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs.
- 9. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 10. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 6 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, and Other Responsibility Matters--Primary Covered Transactions

- (1) The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
- (a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded by any Federal department or agency;
- (b) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;

- (c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
- (d) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- (2) Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion--Lower Tier Covered Transactions

Instructions for Certification

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or had become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this clause, have the meaning set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, [[Page 33043]] should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include this clause titled `Certification Regarding Debarment,

Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transaction," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.

- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Nonprocurement Programs.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility an Voluntary Exclusion--Lower Tier Covered Transactions

- (1) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.
- **☑** By checking this box, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out above.

Section 19: Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements

This certification is required by the regulations implementing the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988: 45 CFR Part 76, Subpart, F. Sections 76.630(c) and (d)(2) and 76.645(a)(1) and (b) provide that a Federal agency may designate a central receipt point for STATE-WIDE AND STATE AGENCY-WIDE certifications, and for notification of criminal drug convictions. For the Department of Health and Human Services, the central pint is: Division of Grants Management and Oversight, Office of Management and Acquisition, Department of Health and Human Services, Room 517-D, 200 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, DC 20201.

Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements (Instructions for Certification)

- 1. By signing and/or submitting this application or grant agreement, the grantee is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The certification set out below is a material representation of fact upon which reliance is placed when the agency awards the grant. If it is later determined that the grantee knowingly rendered a false certification, or otherwise violates the requirements of the Drug-Free Workplace Act, the agency, in addition to any other remedies available to the Federal Government, may take action authorized under the Drug-Free Workplace Act.
- 3. For grantees other than individuals, Alternate I applies.
- 4. For grantees who are individuals, Alternate II applies.
- 5. Workplaces under grants, for grantees other than individuals, need not be identified on the certification. If known, they may be identified in the grant application. If the grantee does not identify the workplaces at the time of application, or upon award, if there is no application, the grantee must keep the identity of the workplace(s) on file in its office and make the information available for Federal inspection. Failure to identify all known workplaces constitutes a violation of the grantee's drug-free workplace requirements.
- 6. Workplace identifications must include the actual address of buildings (or parts of buildings) or other sites where work under the grant takes place. Categorical descriptions may be used (e.g., all vehicles of a mass transit authority or State highway department while in operation, State employees in each local unemployment office, performers in concert halls or radio studios).
- 7. If the workplace identified to the agency changes during the performance of the grant, the grantee shall inform the agency of the change(s), if it previously

identified the workplaces in question (see paragraph five).

8. Definitions of terms in the Nonprocurement Suspension and Debarment common rule and Drug-Free Workplace common rule apply to this certification. Grantees' attention is called, in particular, to the following definitions from these rules:

Controlled substance means a controlled substance in Schedules I through V of the Controlled Substances Act (21 U.S.C. 812) and as further defined by regulation (21 CFR 1308.11 through 1308.15);

Conviction means a finding of guilt (including a plea of nolo contendere) or imposition of sentence, or both, by any judicial body charged with the responsibility to determine violations of the Federal or State criminal drug statutes;

Criminal drug statute means a Federal or non-Federal criminal statute involving the manufacture, distribution, dispensing, use, or possession of any controlled substance;

Employee means the employee of a grantee directly engaged in the performance of work under a grant, including: (i) All direct charge employees; (ii) All indirect charge employees unless their impact or involvement is insignificant to the performance of the grant; and, (iii) Temporary personnel and consultants who are directly engaged in the performance of work under the grant and who are on the grantee's payroll. This definition does not include workers not on the payroll of the grantee (e.g., volunteers, even if used to meet a matching requirement; consultants or independent contractors not on the grantee's payroll; or employees of subrecipients or subcontractors in covered workplaces).

Certification Regarding Drug-Free Workplace Requirements

Alternate I. (Grantees Other Than Individuals)

The grantee certifies that it will or will continue to provide a drug-free workplace by:,

- (a) Publishing a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the grantee's workplace and specifying the actions that will be taken against employees for violation of such prohibition;
- (b) Establishing an ongoing drug-free awareness program to inform employees about --
- (1) The dangers of drug abuse in the workplace;
- (2) The grantee's policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace;
- (3) Any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and employee assistance programs; and
- (4) The penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations occurring in the workplace;
- c) Making it a requirement that each employee to be engaged in the performance of the grant be given a copy of the statement required by paragraph (a);

- (d) Notifying the employee in the statement required by paragraph (a) that, as a condition of employment under the grant, the employee will --
- (1) Abide by the terms of the statement; and
- (2) Notify the employer in writing of his or her conviction for a violation of a criminal drug statute occurring in the workplace no later than five calendar days after such conviction;
- (e) Notifying the agency in writing, within ten calendar days after receiving notice under paragraph (d)(2) from an employee or otherwise receiving actual notice of such conviction. Employers of convicted employees must provide notice, including position title, to every grant officer or other designee on whose grant activity the convicted employee was working, unless the Federal agency has designated a central point for the receipt of such notices. Notice shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant;
- (f)Taking one of the following actions, within 30 calendar days of receiving notice under paragraph (d)(2), with respect to any employee who is so convicted -(1) Taking appropriate personnel action against such an employee, up to and including termination, consistent with the requirements of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended; or
- (2) Requiring such employee to participate satisfactorily in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program approved for such purposes by a Federal, State, or local health, law enforcement, or other appropriate agency;
- (g) Making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug-free workplace through implementation of paragraphs (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f).
- (B) The grantee may insert in the space provided below the site(s) for the performance of work done in connection with the specific grant:

Place of Performance (Street address, city, county, state, zip code)

2133 Monte Vista Ave. * Address Line 1		
Address Line 2		
Address Line 3		
Oroville * City	CA * State	95966 * Zip Code

Check if there are workplaces on file that are not identified here.

Alternate II. (Grantees Who Are Individuals)

- (a) The grantee certifies that, as a condition of the grant, he or she will not engage in the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance in conducting any activity with the grant;
- (b) If convicted of a criminal drug offense resulting from a violation occurring during the conduct of any grant activity, he or she will report the conviction, in writing, within 10 calendar days of the conviction, to every grant officer or other

designee, unless the Federal agency designates a central point for the receipt of such notices. When notice is made to such a central point, it shall include the identification number(s) of each affected grant.

[55 FR 21690, 21702, May 25, 1990]

☑ By checking this box, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out above.

Section 20: Certification Regarding Lobbying

The submitter of this application certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

- (1) No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.
- (2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions
- (3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Statement for Loan Guarantees and Loan Insurance

The undersigned states, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

If any funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this commitment providing for the United States to insure or guarantee a loan, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying," in accordance with its instructions. Submission of this statement is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any

person who fails to file the required statement shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

☑ By checking this box, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out above.

Assurances

Assurances (1) use the funds available under this title to--(A) conduct outreach activities and provide assistance to low income households in meeting their home energy costs, particularly those with the lowest incomes that pay a high proportion of household income for home energy, consistent with paragraph (5); (B) intervene in energy crisis situations; (C) provide low-cost residential weatherization and other cost-effective energy-related home repair; and (D)plan, develop, and administer the State's program under this title including leveraging programs, and the State agrees not to use such funds for any purposes other than those specified in this title; (2) make payments under this title only with respect to--(A) households in which one or more individuals are receiving--(i)assistance under the State program funded under part A of title IV of the Social Security Act: (ii) supplemental security income payments under title XVI of the Social Security Act; (iii) food stamps under the Food Stamp Act of 1977; or (iv) payments under section 415, 521, 541, or 542 of title 38, United States Code, or under section 306 of the Veterans' and Survivors' Pension Improvement Act of 1978; or

(B) households with incomes which do not exceed the greater of -

- (i) an amount equal to 150 percent of the poverty level for such State; or
- (ii) an amount equal to 60 percent of the State median income;

(except that a State may not exclude a household from eligibility in a fiscal year solely on the basis of household income if such income is less than 110 percent of the poverty level for such State, but the State may give priority to those households with the highest home energy costs or needs in relation to household income.

- (3) conduct outreach activities designed to assure that eligible households, especially households with elderly individuals or disabled individuals, or both, and households with high home energy burdens, are made aware of the assistance available under this title, and any similar energy-related assistance available under subtitle B of title VI (relating to community services block grant program) or under any other provision of law which carries out programs which were administered under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 before the date of the enactment of this Act; (4) coordinate its activities under this title with similar and related programs administered by the Federal Government and such State, particularly low-income energy-related programs under subtitle B of title VI (relating to community services block grant program), under the supplemental security income program, under part A of title IV of the Social Security Act, under title XX of the Social Security Act, under the low-income weatherization assistance program under title IV of the Energy Conservation and Production Act, or under any other provision of law which carries out programs which were administered under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 before the date of the enactment of this Act:(5) provide, in a timely manner, that the highest level of assistance will be furnished to those households which have the lowest incomes and the highest energy costs or needs in relation to income, taking into account family size, except that the State may not differentiate in implementing this section between the households described in clauses 2(A) and 2(B) of this subsection;
- (6) to the extent it is necessary to designate local administrative agencies in order to carry out the purposes of this title, to give special consideration, in the designation of such agencies, to any local public or private nonprofit agency which was receiving Federal funds under any low-income energy assistance program or weatherization program under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964 or any other provision of law on the day before the date of the enactment of this Act, except that -
- (A) the State shall, before giving such special consideration, determine that the agency involved meets program and fiscal requirements established by the State; and

- (B) if there is no such agency because of any change in the assistance furnished to programs for economically disadvantaged persons, then the State shall give special consideration in the designation of local administrative agencies to any successor agency which is operated in substantially the same manner as the predecessor agency which did receive funds for the fiscal year preceding the fiscal year for which the determination is made;
- (7) if the State chooses to pay home energy suppliers directly, establish procedures to --
- (A) notify each participating household of the amount of assistance paid on its behalf;
- (B) assure that the home energy supplier will charge the eligible household, in the normal billing process, the difference between the actual cost of the home energy and the amount of the payment made by the State under this title;
- (C) assure that the home energy supplier will provide assurances that any agreement entered into with a home energy supplier under this paragraph will contain provisions to assure that no household receiving assistance under this title will be treated adversely because of such assistance under applicable provisions of State law or public regulatory requirements; and
- (D) ensure that the provision of vendor payments remains at the option of the State in consultation with local grantees and may be contingent on unregulated vendors taking appropriate measures to alleviate the energy burdens of eligible households, including providing for agreements between suppliers and individuals eligible for benefits under this Act that seek to reduce home energy costs, minimize the risks of home energy crisis, and encourage regular payments by individuals receiving financial assistance for home energy costs;
- (8) provide assurances that,
- (A) the State will not exclude households described in clause (2)(B) of this subsection from receiving home energy assistance benefits under clause (2), and
- (B) the State will treat owners and renters equitably under the program assisted under this title;
- (9) provide that--
- (A) the State may use for planning and administering the use of funds under this title an amount not to exceed 10 percent of the funds payable to such State under this title for a fiscal year; and
- (B) the State will pay from non-Federal sources the remaining costs of planning

and administering the program assisted under this title and will not use Federal funds for such remaining cost (except for the costs of the activities described in paragraph (16));

- (10) provide that such fiscal control and fund accounting procedures will be established as may be necessary to assure the proper disbursal of and accounting for Federal funds paid to the State under this title, including procedures for monitoring the assistance provided under this title, and provide that the State will comply with the provisions of chapter 75 of title 31, United States Code (commonly known as the "Single Audit Act");
- (11) permit and cooperate with Federal investigations undertaken in accordance with section 2608;
- (12) provide for timely and meaningful public participation in the development of the plan described in subsection (c);
- (13) provide an opportunity for a fair administrative hearing to individuals whose claims for assistance under the plan described in subsection (c) are denied or are not acted upon with reasonable promptness; and
- (14) cooperate with the Secretary with respect to data collecting and reporting under section 2610.
- (15) * beginning in fiscal year 1992, provide, in addition to such services as may be offered by State Departments of Public Welfare at the local level, outreach and intake functions for crisis situations and heating and cooling assistance that is administered by additional State and local governmental entities or community-based organizations (such as community action agencies, area agencies on aging and not-for-profit neighborhood-based organizations), and in States where such organizations do not administer functions as of September 30, 1991, preference in awarding grants or contracts for intake services shall be provided to those agencies that administer the low-income weatherization or energy crisis intervention programs.
- * This assurance is applicable only to States, and to territories whose annual regular LIHEAP allotments exceed \$200,000. Neither territories with annual allotments of \$200,000 or less nor Indian tribes/tribal organizations are subject to Assurance 15.
- (16) use up to 5 percent of such funds, at its option, to provide services that encourage and enable households to reduce their home energy needs and thereby the need for energy assistance, including needs assessments, counseling, and assistance with

energy vendors, and report to the Secretary concerning the impact of such activities on the number of households served, the level of direct benefits provided to those households, and the number of households that remain unserved.

Plan Attachments

PLAN ATTACHMENTS		
The following documents must be attached to this application		
• Delegation Letter is required if someone other than the Governor or Chairman Certified this Report.		
Heating component benefit matrix, if applicable		
Cooling component benefit matrix, if applicable		
• Minutes, notes, or transcripts of public hearing(s).		