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Louisiana Office of Community Development/Disaster Recovery Unit,
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Non-Substantial - Action Plan Amendment No. 18 (Second Appropriation) – Transfer of Funds from the Local Government Emergency Infrastructure Program

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Non-Substantial Action Plan Amendment Number 18 (Katrina/Rita 2nd Appropriation):
Reallocation of Local Government Emergency Infrastructure to Infrastructure Program Delivery Program

Eligible Activity: Section 105 (a)

National Objective: Presumed by activity

Activity Amount: \$1,000,000

\$40,657,000 (funding in I2OC prior to this Amendment) \$29,692,359 (funding in Infrastructure Program Delivery prior to Amendment). New total = \$30,692,359

This amendment transfers \$1,000,000 from the Local Government Emergency Infrastructure (I2OC) Program allocation to the Infrastructure Program Delivery allocation. These funds will be used to assist program applicants in developing projects and assuring compliance with CDBG regulations throughout implementation. The additional funds are particularly realized as a need to cover costs of environmental review and regulatory requirements required related to the decision to fund large and often more complex emergency infrastructure projects. Funds could be used to provide assistance to applicants in all disaster recovery infrastructure programs, including, but not limited to the following: Long Term Community Recovery, Fisheries Infrastructure and Assistance, Local Government Emergency Infrastructure and, including the allocation for Primary and Secondary Education Infrastructure.

This amendment is considered non-substantial since the transfer is less than 15% of the *Local Government Emergency Infrastructure Program* allocation and the *Infrastructure Program Delivery* activity; does not create a new program; nor, does it change any beneficiaries.

These expenditures will be presumed to meet the National Objectives of the Infrastructure programs they serve.

Monitoring

This activity is considered to be a low risk activity. Monitoring will be performed by the Office of Community Development (OCD-DRU) staff in accordance with the contracts and the OCD-DRU Monitoring Plan.