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Docket: For access to the docket to read background documents or the electronic and written/paper comments received, go to <http://www.regulations.gov> and insert the docket number, found in brackets in the heading of this document, into the "Search" box and follow the prompts and/or go to the Division of Dockets Management, 5630 Fishers Lane, Rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bryant Godfrey or Darin Achilles, Office of Regulations, Center for Tobacco Products, Food and Drug Administration, 10903 New Hampshire Ave, Silver Spring, MD 20993-0002, 877-287-1373, CTPRregulations@fda.hhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the **Federal Register** of September 25, 2015 (80 FR 57756), FDA proposed a regulation that describes the circumstances in which a product made or derived from tobacco that is intended for human consumption will be subject to regulation as a drug, device, or a combination product under the FD&C Act. Interested persons were originally given until November 24, 2015, to comment on the NPRM.

The Agency has received a request for a 45-day extension of the comment

period for the NPRM. The request conveyed concern that the current 60-day comment period does not allow sufficient time to develop a meaningful or thoughtful response to the NPRM.

FDA has considered the request and is reopening the comment period for the NPRM for 30 days, until December 30, 2015. The Agency believes that reopening the comment period for an additional 30 days allows adequate time for interested persons to submit comments without significantly delaying rulemaking on these important issues.

Dated: November 23, 2015.

Leslie Kux,

Associate Commissioner for Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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[Docket No FR-5888-P-02]

Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects, Extension of Public Comment Period

AGENCY: Office of the General Counsel, HUD.

ACTION: Extension of public comment period.

SUMMARY: Through this notice, HUD is extending the public comment period on its proposed rule pertaining to Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects, published in the **Federal Register** on October 1, 2015.

DATES: *Comment Due Date:* The comment due date of December 7, 2015, for the proposed rule published on October 1, 2015, at 80 FR 59092, is extended to January 6, 2016.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket ID number HHS-OPHS-2015-0008, by one of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Enter the above docket ID number in the "Enter Keyword or ID" field and click on "Search." On the next Web page, click on "Submit a Comment" action and follow the instructions.

- *Mail/Hand delivery/Courier [For paper, disk, or CD-ROM submissions] to:* Jerry Menikoff, M.D., J.D., OHRP, 1101 Wootton Parkway, Suite 200, Rockville, MD 20852.

Comments received, including any personal information, will be posted without change to www.regulations.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Barry L. Steffen, Policy Development Division, Office of Policy Development and Research, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 7th Street SW., Room 8114, Washington, DC 20410-8000, telephone 202-402-5926. (This is not a toll-free number.) Persons with hearing- or speech-impairments may access this number through TTY number by calling the Federal Relay Service number at 800-877-8339 (this is a toll-free number).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On October 1, 2015, at 80 FR 59092, HUD published a proposed rule in the **Federal Register** on Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects. HUD's proposed rule adopted the policy on the protection of human subjects set forth in a proposed rule issued by the Department of Health and Human Services and 15 other Federal Departments and Agencies and published on September 8, 2015, at 80 FR 53933. Through the September 8, 2015, and October 1, 2015, rules, the Federal Departments and Agencies proposed revisions to modernize, strengthen, and make more effective the Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects that was promulgated as a Common Rule in 199, and sought comment on the proposed revisions through December 7, 2015.

Since the proposed rules were published in September and October, respectively, requests have been made to extend the public comment period to allow time to more thoroughly review the proposed revisions offered for comment by the Federal Departments and Agencies. The Department of Health and Human Services and the 15 other Federal Department Agencies have extended the time to submit public comments on the September 8, 2015, proposed rule to January 6, 2016, and HUD extends its public comment period for its October 1, 2015, proposed rule to this same date—January 6, 2016.

Dated: November 24, 2015.

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Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations.

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