{insert name of property} {insert location of property} {insert FHA#}

## ASSUMPTION AND MODIFICATION OF USE AGREEMENT (ASSIGNMENT)

THIS ASSUMPTION AND MODIFICATION OF USE AGREEMENT
("Agreement") is made as of the,, by and
between, a
limited partnership ("Seller"),
, anon-profit corporation
(the "Purchaser"), and SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT,
Washington D.C. (the "Secretary" or "HUD").
<b>Whereas</b> , Seller was the owner of certain improved real property located in the
city of,, as more particularly described in Exhibit A, on which is constructed a rental apartment project known as
described in Exhibit A, on which is constructed a rental apartment project known as (collectively, "Property");
Whereas, Seller and HUD entered into a "Use Agreement for Multifamily
Projects Participating in the Mark-to-Market Program Under the Multifamily Assisted
Housing Reform and Affordability Act of 1997" ("Use Agreement"), dated {insert date
of Use Agreement}, 200_, and recorded {insert date Use Agreement is or
will be recorded} in the Office of the {insert name/location in jurisdiction where deeds
and mortgages are recorded} (the "Land Records");  Whereas, the Use Agreement set forth certain obligations requiring the use of the
Property, affordability of the units rented, and similar restrictions;
Whereas, the Seller and Purchaser entered into a contract pursuant to which
Seller agreed to sell, and Purchaser agreed to purchase the Property;
Whereas, as part of its request and proposal for the transfer of physical assets, the
Purchaser received approval from the Secretary for the assignment to Purchaser (the
"Assignment") of that certain Mortgage Restructuring Mortgage Note (the "Mortgage
Restructuring Note") dated, 200_, in the amount of
No/100's Dollars (\$), payable
to the Secretary, made and executed by Seller, together with the mortgage securing the Mortgage Restructuring Note that encumbers the Property;
Whereas, it is a condition of the Assignment that the Use Agreement be assigned
to and assumed by the Purchaser, and additional restrictions regarding the Property be
added to the Use Agreement; and

**Whereas**, the Seller desires, with the consent of the Secretary, to assign all its rights and obligations in and to the Use Agreement as herein provided, effective upon the recording among the Land Records of the deed to the Property into the Purchaser ("Effective Date").

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the Assignment, the mutual agreements contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, it is agreed as follows:

- 1. Seller and the Secretary hereby agree to the assignment of the undertakings and obligations contained in the Use Agreement from the Seller to the Purchaser and its successors and assigns subject to the additional terms set forth herein.
- 2. Seller shall be responsible for all liabilities, duties and obligations under the Use Agreement prior to the Effective Date.
- 3. Purchaser agrees to the assumption of all duties, obligations and restrictions set forth in the Use Agreement and shall be responsible for all liabilities or obligations arising under the Use Agreement from and after the Effective Date.
  - 4. Purchaser agrees that the Use Agreement is amended as follows:
- (a) Extension of Expiration Date. The Expiration Date, as defined in the Use Agreement shall mean the fiftieth (50<sup>th</sup>) anniversary of the Closing Date under the Use Agreement.
- (b) This Agreement is binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and/or assigns; provided, however, with respect to any party benefiting from a mortgage or lien encumbrance placed against the Property after the recording of the Use Agreement but prior to the recording of this Agreement, if any, the terms and conditions contained herein shall not bind the Property if this Agreement would alter the original superiority in title of the Use Agreement as described in paragraph 14 thereof. Nothing contained herein or done hereby shall alter the original superiority of the Use Agreement.
- 5. Except as amended herein, the Use Agreement shall be and remains in full force and effect in accordance with its terms.
- 6. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts all of which when taken together shall constitute an original document.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, this Agreement has been executed as of the day and year written above.

Witness:	SELLER:
	By:
Witness:	PURCHASER:
	By:
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Witness:	SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE OFFICE OF AFFORDABLE HOUSING PRESERVATION [SEAL]
	By: THEODORE TOON, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY

[add acknowledgements]

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