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### **SUBJECT: NEW GUIDANCE ON REASONABLE MODIFICATIONS UNDER THE FAIR HOUSING ACT**

The Department of Housing and Urban Development and the Department of Justice have released new guidelines about “reasonable modifications.” It clarifies housing providers’ obligations and disabled individuals’ rights concerning “reasonable modifications” under the federal Fair Housing Act so that persons with disabilities can fully enjoy their homes. Please review the guidelines at [www.usdoj.gov/fairhousing](http://www.usdoj.gov/fairhousing) and [www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/disabilities](http://www.hud.gov/offices/fheo/disabilities) and take appropriate action.

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