Appraisal Subcommittee

Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council

April 30, 2018

Mr. D. Scott Murphy, Chairman Georgia Real Estate Appraisers Board 229 Peachtree Street NE International Tower, Suite 1000 Atlanta GA 30303-1605

RE: ASC Compliance Review of Georgia's Appraiser Regulatory Program

Dear Mr. Murphy:

The Appraisal Subcommittee (ASC) staff conducted an ASC Compliance Review (Review) of the Georgia appraiser regulatory program (Program) on March 21-23, 2018, to determine the Program's compliance with Title XI of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989, as amended.

The ASC considered the preliminary results of the Review and the State's response to those results. The Program has been awarded an ASC Finding of "Good." An area of concern that was identified is being addressed by the Program. Georgia will remain on a two-year Review Cycle. The final ASC Compliance Review Report (Report) is attached.

This letter and the attached Report are public records and available on the ASC website. Please contact us if you have any questions about this Report.

Sincerely.

James R. Park Executive Director

Attachment cc: Mr. Craig Coffee, Deputy Director

ASC Finding Descriptions

ASC Finding	Rating Criteria	Review Cycle*
Excellent	 State meets all Title XI mandates and complies with requirements of ASC Policy Statements State maintains a strong regulatory Program Very low risk of Program failure 	2-year
Good	 State meets the majority of Title XI mandates and complies with the majority of ASC Policy Statement requirements Deficiencies are minor in nature State is adequately addressing deficiencies identified and correcting them in the normal course of business State maintains an effective regulatory Program Low risk of Program failure 	2-year
Needs Improvement	 State does not meet all Title XI mandates and does not comply with all requirements of ASC Policy Statements Deficiencies are material but manageable and if not corrected in a timely manner pose a potential risk to the Program State may have a history of repeated deficiencies but is showing progress toward correcting deficiencies State regulatory Program needs improvement Moderate risk of Program failure 	2-year with additional monitoring
Not Satisfactory	 State does not meet all Title XI mandates and does not comply with all requirements of ASC Policy Statements Deficiencies present a significant risk and if not corrected in a timely manner pose a well-defined risk to the Program State may have a history of repeated deficiencies and requires more supervision to ensure corrective actions are progressing State regulatory Program has substantial deficiencies Substantial risk of Program failure 	1-year
Poor ¹	 State does not meet Title XI mandates and does not comply with requirements of ASC Policy Statements Deficiencies are significant and severe, require immediate attention and if not corrected represent critical flaws in the Program State may have a history of repeated deficiencies and may show a lack of willingness or ability to correct deficiencies High risk of Program failure 	Continuous monitoring

*Program history or nature of deficiency may warrant a more accelerated Review Cycle.

¹ An ASC Finding of "Poor" may result in significant consequences to the State. *See* Policy Statement 5, *Reciprocity; see also* Policy Statement 8, *Interim Sanctions*.

	ASC Finding: Good Final Report Issue Date: April 30, 2018						
Georgia Appraiser Regulatory Pr	rogram	(State)				
Georgia Real Estate Appraisers Board (Board) PM: N. Fenochietti Umbrella Agency: Georgia Real Estate Commission				PM: N. Fenochietti	ASC Compliance Review Date: March 21-23, 2018		Review Period: March 2016 to March 2018 Review Cycle: Two Year
				1	Number of State Credentialed Appraisers		
Applicable Federal Citations	S Compliance (YES/NO) Areas of Concern (AC)			ASC Staff Observations	State Response	Required/Recommended State Actions	General Comments
	YES	NO	AC				
Statutes, Regulations, Policies and Procedures:	x						
				No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None
Temporary Practice:	Х						
				No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None
National Registry:			X				
States must submit all disciplinary actions to the ASC for inclusion on the National Registry. (12 U.S.C. § 3347; 12 U.S.C. § 3338; Policy Statement 3 A, D, E.)				The State did not report all disciplinary actions to the ASC National Registry.	On April 25, 2018, the State reported that staff reviewed all disciplinary actions taken since the March 2016 Compliance Review and added all missing disciplinary actions to the National Registry. The State also implemented a new process to enter all disciplinary actions via the Extranet within 5 days of becoming final under State law.	The State should monitor this new process to ensure that it submits all disciplinary actions to the ASC National Registry in a timely manner.	During the next Compliance Review, ASC staff will pay particular attention to this area for compliance with Title XI and ASC Policy Statement 3.
Application Process:	X						
				No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None
Reciprocity:	X					No	N
Education	x			No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None
Education:	^			No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None
Enforcement:	х			No compliance issues noted.			
				No compliance issues noted.	N/A	None	None