## ARTICLE 39 SMOKE FREE ENVIRONMENT

**Section 39.01 - Purpose.** This Article supports the Department smoke free environment policy and recognizes the Agency's responsibility to maintain a smoke-free environment.

**Section 39.02 - Definition.** Smoking is defined as a lighted cigar, cigarette, pipe or any other lit tobacco product.

**Section 39.03 - Scope.** This policy shall apply to all HUD occupied and controlled space.

**Section 39.04 - Policy.** Smoking is prohibited in HUD occupied and controlled space. In addition, all designated smoking areas in such space shall be in compliance with GSA regulation.

**Section 39.05 - Smoke Free Environment.** For public and employee recognition, the Agency shall designate that HUD is a smoke-free environment through posting of appropriate no-smoking signs.

**Section 39.06 - Smoking While on Government Travel.** Smoking shall be prohibited in GSA owned or leased vehicles. In such situations, periodic smoke breaks outside the vehicle shall be authorized as necessary.