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ATTORNEY GENERAL MASTO URGES NEVADANS TO APPLY FOR FREE, INDEPENDENT FORECLOSURE REVIEW BEFORE SEPTEMBER 30 EXTENDED DEADLINE

Las Vegas, NV – Nevada Attorney General Catherine Cortez Masto wants Nevadans whose homes were in foreclosure in 2009 or 2010 to know that the deadline to submit an application for a free, federal independent foreclosure review has been extended from July 31, 2012 to September 30, 2012.

Ordered by the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC) and the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve, the independent foreclosure review will determine whether individuals suffered financial injury and should receive compensation or other remedy because of errors or other problems which occurred during the foreclosure process.

"Do not wait until the extended September 30 deadline to submit your application for a free and independent foreclosure review," said Masto.

According to the OCC's recent report, as of May 31, 2012, 108,687 Nevadans who are eligible for the review received a mailing and 4,267 Nevadans submitted requests for review.

Information about Independent Foreclosure Review may appear in this format in advertisements and postcard notices that eligible borrowers recently received by mail.

More information, including edibility and online applications is available at www.independentforeclosurereview.com or 888-952-9105 (between 8 am and 10 pm (Eastern), Monday through Friday, and between 8 am and 5 pm Saturday).

All requests for Review Forms must be submitted online or postmarked no later than September 30, 2012. Not every finding will result in compensation or other remedy.

The AG's office originally issued a <u>press release on May 31, 2012 announcing the program.</u>

Anyone who wants to report an independent foreclosure review scam can contact the Attorney General's Bureau of Consumer Protection Hotline at 702-486-3132 or visit http://bit.ly/NVAGComplaintForms.

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Did foreclosure errors in 2009 or 2010 cause you financial harm?

You may be eligible for compensation or other remedy.

To request a FREE foreclosure review or get more information, visit IndependentForeclosureReview.com or call 1-888-952-9105

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. ET or Saturday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. ET

To be eligible for review, your primary residence must have been in foreclosure in 2009 or 2010, and the mortgage must have been serviced by one of these companies:

America's Servicing Co.

Countrywide

National City Mortgage

Aurora Loan Services EMC PNC Mortgage
BAC Home Loans Servicing EverBank/EverHome Sovereign Bank

Mortgage Company

Bank of America SunTrust Mortgage

Financial Freedom

Beneficial

GMAC Mortgage

U.S. Bank

Chase HFC Wachovia Mortgage

Citibank HSBC Washington Mutual (WaMu)

CitiFinancial IndyMac Mortgage Services Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

CitiMortgage MetLife Bank Wilshire Credit Corporation

The Independent Foreclosure Review will determine whether homeowners suffered financial injury because of foreclosure errors. **Information about possible compensation amounts and other remedies for injured homeowners is available at IndependentForeclosureReview.com.**

The Independent Foreclosure Review is monitored by federal bank regulators,

the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency and the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, to ensure a fair and impartial process. For additional information, visit occ.gov or federal reserve.gov.

Requests for review must be submitted online or postmarked no later than September 30, 2012.

Si usted habla español, tenemos representantes que pueden asistirle en su idioma para darle información sobre la Revisión Independiente de Ejecución Hipotecaria.

Assistance is also available in over 200 languages, including: Chinese, Korean, Vietnamese, Tagalog, Hmong and Russian.

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Watch out for scams—there is only one Independent Foreclosure Review. Beware of anyone who asks you to pay a fee for any foreclosure review service, such as completing the Request for Review Form.