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## **ThinkBox Group Offers Energy Capital Improvements Program (ECIP)**

*ECIP Xpress to Help PHAs Obtain HUD Approval – Energy Savings*

Arlington (Aug. 6, 2008) – Thinkbox Group LLC recently began offering **ECIP XPRESS** to help housing authorities take advantage of the US Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) notice PIH-2008-22(HA) regarding Energy Performance Contracts.

The guidance now allows term extensions from 12 to up to 20 years for energy performance contracts. This includes public housing authorities (PHA) self-performance contracts. PHAs must have approval by April 30, 2009 to be eligible. ECIP Xpress is designed to help PHAs prepare all documentation for HUD approval within 6 months.

### About ThinkBox Group:

Thinkbox Group, LLC. based in Arlington, Virginia is an experienced team of scientist, entrepreneurs, and managers who develop, build and own decentralized clean energy projects. TBG is focused on Transportation Fuels, Renewable Power Generation and Efficient Buildings Services. TBG is proud to offer its Energy Management Program Support services under GSA Schedule number GS-21F-0030U.