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Ms. Judith A. Roettig  
Executive Vice-President  
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Dear Judy:

Under the Chicago Residential Landlord and Tenant Ordinance (Mun. Code Ch. 5-12), the Department of Community Development is responsible for the preparing the official Summary of the ordinance. Further, this official Summary must be provided with those written and oral rental agreements that are covered by the ordinance.

From the inception of this ordinance, to help achieve compliance, the Department of Community Development worked with your organization and others to provide this official Summary in various forms and formats. Provided the language in the body of a Summary is the same as the language contained in the official Summary prepared by the Department of Community Development, such Summary meets the requirements of this code.

The Department of Community Development appreciates the Chicagoland Apartment Association's continued efforts to educate owners about the Residential Landlord and Tenant Ordinance. It is through these partnerships that the benefits of this ordinance are realized.

Sincerely,

Ellen Sahli  
First Deputy Commissioner

