Electronic File Stacking Order

All individual tenant files must be uploaded as a separate PDF file and labeled with the unit #, last name of the Head of Household and type of certification (ex. #123 Smith – move-in). If the file contains a recertification, this should be uploaded as an independent PDF.

This is the pre-determined file order for electronic submission. Properties that already have a digital conversion of their files may use an alternate order, as long as the order is consistent for each file.

Full Move-in Certification:

Top to Bottom

IHFA TIC

Household Questionnaire (Income/Asset form)

Certification of Student Status form

Income information

All third-party verifications and/or source documents

Clarifications, if applicable

Calculation tape/work sheet for all income

Child Support/No Child support verification with Health & Welfare payment history, if applicable

Public Assistance verification, if applicable

Divorce decree, if applicable

Asset information

All third party verifications and/or source documents

Clarifications, if applicable

Under \$5000 Asset Certification, if applicable

Lease information

Lease with all addendums

VAWA addendum

Lead base paint forms, if applicable

Move-in inspections sheet

Application information

Tenant application with date and time received

Tenant release and consent form

Household demographics form

Criminal/Credit background verification

ID and SS cards

Any miscellaneous documentation/forms

Denial, appeal & approval letters

Latest re-certifications:

Self-Certification (100% Tax Credit only), if applicable Certification of Student Status form

Or:

Re-certification TIC

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Additional information

Tenant release and consent form

Any miscellaneous documentation/forms

IHFA reserves the right to request additional information during its review and will notify the sender at the time of review.

All income and assets listed on the TIC should have a verification supporting it. If a verification document is incomplete or unclear, the following page should have a clarification. All calculations completed for income and assets will need to be included with the file. Verifications should be accomplished in the order of acceptability under LIHTC and HUD guidelines. All verification attempts should be in the file.

^{*}Altering files after the notification of an audit is an issue on non-compliance.