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**SIGNIFICANT MANUFACTURED HOUSING PRODUCTION INCREASES CONTINUE**

**Washington, D.C., May 3, 2017** – The Manufactured Housing Association for Regulatory Reform (MHARR) reports that according to official statistics compiled on behalf of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), year-over-year manufactured housing industry production increased substantially again during March 2017. Just-released statistics indicate that HUD Code manufacturers produced 8,245 homes in March 2017, a nearly 16% increase over the 7,110 HUD Code homes produced during March 2016. Cumulative industry production for 2017 now totals 23,384 homes, a 22.4% increase over the 19,101 HUD Code homes produced over the same period in 2016.

A further analysis of the official industry statistics shows that the top ten shipment states from the beginning of the industry production rebound in August 2011 through March 2017 -- with cumulative, monthly, current year (2017) and prior year (2016) shipments per category as indicated -- are:

<u>State</u>	<u>Cumulative</u>	<u>Current Month (Mar. 2017)</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
1. Texas	70,534 homes	1,446	3,842	3,451
2. Louisiana	28,618 homes	519	1,780	1,070
3. Florida	22,376 homes	571	1,518	1,365
4. Alabama	16,795 homes	510	2,130	878
5. N.C	15,570 homes	370	995	903
6. Mississippi	14,384 homes	335	884	719
7. California	13,840 homes	351	867	779
8. Kentucky	13,086 homes	202	666	755
9. Michigan	12,866 homes	380	1,261	702
10. Tennessee	11,026 homes	224	641	588

The latest information for March 2017 results in no changes to the cumulative top ten list.

The Manufactured Housing Association for Regulatory Reform is a Washington, D.C.-based national trade association representing the views and interests of independent producers of federally-regulated manufactured housing.

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