

SFHP (Suomi-Finland Housing and Planning), in cooperation with the Ministry of Environment and The University of Helsinki organizes an afternoon Seminar on Housing

Thursday 13.12.2007 at 15.00 – 18.00

at the University of Helsinki Main Building, Auditorium XIV, Unioninkatu 34, Helsinki

”Will rented housing shrink into non-existence?”

15.00 ***Welcome***

Kaupunkimaantieteen professori Mari Vaattovaara, Helsingin yliopisto

15.05 ***Introduction to the theme***

SFHP Chair Teuvo Ijäs

15.10 ***Non-dispersing Urban Structure – Challenges for the Helsinki Region***

Chief Director Pekka Kangas, Ministry of the Environment

15.30 ***The Current State of Rented Housing***

Development Director Markku Tahvanainen, Ministry of the Environment

15.50 ***The Free Rental Market – Experiences from Hungary***

Researcher Iván Tosics, Metropolitan Research Institute, Budapest

16.20 ***Changes in Rented Housing in Europe***

Findings of the European Study on Housing

Jouko Heino

16.45 ***Introduction of the new Secretary General of the IFHP***

Mr. Derek Martin

16.55 ***Short Commentary on the Presentations***

Managing Director Olli Salakka, VVO Group Oyj

17.00 ***Discussion***, light snacks, ginger bread and Mulled Wine

18.00 ***Seminar ends***

Teuvo Ijäs Chairman, SFHP