



**Shaun Donovan** was appointed Commissioner of the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development (HPD) in March 2004 by Mayor Michael R. Bloomberg. Commissioner Donovan is responsible for implementing Mayor Bloomberg's 10-year, \$7.5 billion housing plan, which will create and preserve 165,000 units of housing. It is the City's most ambitious housing plan in over 20 years. Commissioner Donovan joined the Administration from Prudential Mortgage Capital Company, where he was the Managing Director overseeing \$1.5 billion of debt and equity investments in federal, state and local subsidized affordable housing and President and CEO of one of the nation's largest Federal Housing Administration lenders. Before Prudential, Commissioner Donovan was a visiting scholar at New York University where he studied federally-assisted and Mitchell-Lama housing in New York City. He has held a number of positions at the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development including Acting Federal Housing Commissioner and Deputy Assistant Secretary for Multifamily Housing. Commissioner Donovan earned a Master of Public Administration from the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard, a Master's in Architecture from Harvard Graduate School of Design, and a B.A. from Harvard University.