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MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD

5 CFR Part 1201

Notice of Practice and Procedure; Realignment of Regional Offices; Correction

AGENCY: Merit Systems Protection Board.

ACTION: Final rule; correction.

SUMMARY: The document on Practice and Procedure; Realignment of Regional Offices which was published on August 10, 1995 (60 FR 40744), contained an error in the address and facsimile number for the Denver Field Office. This document contains the correct address and facsimile number.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 18, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Darrell L. Netherton, Senior Executive for Regional Administration, (202) 653-7980.

In FR Doc. 95-19729, on page 40744, Column 3, in Appendix II to part 1201, item 5 is corrected to read as follows:

5. Denver Field Office
12567 West Cedar Drive, Suite 100
Lakewood, Colorado 80228-2009
Facsimile No.: (303) 969-5109
(Arizona, Colorado, Kansas—except Kansas City, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, and Wyoming)

Dated: August 14, 1995.

Robert E. Taylor,

Clerk of the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Commodity Credit Corporation

7 CFR Parts 1413 and 1421

RIN 0560-AD38

1995 Rice Acreage Reduction Program

AGENCY: Commodity Credit Corporation, USDA.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule amends the regulations to establish the acreage reduction percentage for the 1995 crop of rice at 5 percent and to establish the price support rate for the 1995 crop of rice. The price support rate is established by statutory formula. These actions are required by section 101B of the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended, (the 1949 Act). Public comment regarding the 1995 Rice Program provisions was requested in the **Federal Register** on September 13, 1994, (59 FR 46937).

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 17, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gene S. Rosera, Agricultural Economist, Consolidated Farm Service Agency, United States Department of Agriculture, room 3758-S, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, DC 20013-2415 or call 202-720-6734.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Executive Order 12866

This rule has been determined to be economically significant and was reviewed by OMB under Executive Order 12866.

Final Regulatory Impact Analysis

The Final Regulatory Impact Analysis describing the options considered in developing this final rule and the impact of the implementation of the selected option is available on request from the above-named individual.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

It has been determined that the Regulatory Flexibility Act is not applicable to this rule since the Commodity Credit Corporation is not required to request comments with respect to the subject matter of this rule.

Environmental Evaluation

It has been determined by an environmental evaluation that this

action will have no significant impact on the quality of the human environment. Therefore, neither an Environmental Assessment nor an Environmental Impact Statement is needed.

Federal Assistance Program

The title and number of the Federal assistance program, as found in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, to which this final rule applies, are as follows: Rice Production Stabilization—10.065.

Executive Order 12372

This program/activity is not subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372, which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials. See the Notice related to 7 CFR part 3015, subpart V, published at 48 FR 29115 (June 24, 1983).

Executive Order 12778

This final rule has been reviewed in accordance with Executive Order 12778. The provisions of the final rule do not preempt State laws, are not retroactive, and do not involve administrative appeals.

Paperwork Reduction Act

The amendments to 7 CFR parts 1413 and 1421 set forth in this final rule do not contain new information collections that require clearance by the Office of Management and Budget under the provisions of 44 U.S.C. 35.

Background

This final rule amends 7 CFR part 1413 to set forth the acreage reduction requirement under the 1995 Rice Program.

A proposed rule was published in the **Federal Register** on September 13, 1994, at 59 FR 46937 to amend the regulations at 7 CFR part 1413 with respect to the 1995 Rice Acreage Reduction Program (ARP) requirements.

During the period for public comment that ended October 24, 1994, eight comments were received regarding the acreage reduction requirement for the 1995 crop of rice. One comment favored no ARP, two favored an ARP set at the statutory minimum level, two favored setting the ARP at the statutory maximum level, and three favored an ARP of 7 percent or higher.