§ 1955.132 Pilot projects.

FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 may conduct pilot projects to test policies and procedures for the management and disposition of inventory property which deviate from the provisions of this subpart, but are not inconsistent with the provisions of the authorizing statute or other applicable Acts. A pilot project may be conducted by FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 employees or by contract with individuals, organizations or other entities. Prior to initiation of a pilot project, FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 will publish notice in the Federal Register of its nature, scope, and duration.

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§ 1955.133 Nondiscrimination.

(a) Title VI provisions. If the inventory real property to be sold secured a loan that was subject to Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and the property will be used for its original or similar purpose, or if FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 extends credit and the property becomes subject to Title VI, the buyer will sign Form FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 400–4. "Assurance Agreement." The instrument of conveyance will contain the following statement:

The property described herein was obtained or improved through Federal financial assistance. This property is subject to the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the regulations issued pursuant thereto for so long as the property continues to be used for the same or similar purposes for which the Federal financial assistance was extended.

(b) Affirmative Fair Housing Marketing Plan. Exclusive listing brokers or auctioneers selling SFH properties having 5 or more properties in the same subdivision listed or offered for sale at the same time will prepare and submit to FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 an acceptable Form HUD 935.2, "Affirmative Fair Housing Marketing Plan," for each such subdivision in accordance with § 1901.203(c) of Subpart E of Part 1901 of this chapter.

(c) Equal Housing Opportunity logo. All FmHA or its successor agency under Public Law 103–354 and contractor sale advertisements will contain the Equal Housing Opportunity logo.

§ 1955.134 Loss, damage, or existing defects in inventory real property.

(a) Property under contract. If a bid or offer has been accepted by the FmHA