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Acting Assistant Administrator for Administration and Resources Management.
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FARM CREDIT ADMINISTRATION

Sunshine Act Meeting; Farm Credit Administration Board; Special Meeting

AGENCY: Farm Credit Administration.
SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b(e)(3)), of the forthcoming special meeting of the Farm Credit Administration Board (Board).

DATE AND TIME: The special meeting of the Board will be held at the offices of the Farm Credit Administration in McLean, Virginia, on October 22, 1996, from 9:00 a.m. until such time as the Board concludes its business.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Floyd Fithian, Secretary to the Farm Credit Administration Board, (703) 883-4025, TDD (703) 883-4444.

ADDRESS: Farm Credit Administration, 1501 Farm Credit Drive, McLean, Virginia 22102-5090.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting of the Board will be open to the public (limited space available). In order to increase the accessibility to Board meetings, persons requiring assistance should make arrangements in advance. The matters to be considered at the meeting are:

Open Session

A. Approval of Minutes

B. New Business Regulations

—Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation Receiver/Conservator Regulation [12 CFR Part 650] (Proposed).

Dated: October 17, 1996.

Floyd Fithian,
Secretary, Farm Credit Administration Board.
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FEDERAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS EXAMINATION COUNCIL

[Docket No. AS96-1]

Appraisal Subcommittee; Appraisal Policy; Temporary Practice and Reciprocity

AGENCY: Appraisal Subcommittee, Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council.

ACTION: Proposal of policy statement and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Appraisal Subcommittee ("ASC") of the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council is proposing for public comment a new policy statement ("Statement") regarding temporary practice and reciprocity. The Statement is intended to implement section 315 of the Riegle Community Development and Regulatory Improvement Act of 1994 ("CDRIA").

DATES: Comments must be received on or before December 5, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Persons wishing to submit written comments should file them with Ben Henson, Executive Director, or

Marc L. Weinberg, General Counsel, Appraisal Subcommittee, 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20037. Comments may be forwarded via fax to (202) 634-6555. All comment letters should refer to Docket No. AS96-1. All comment letters will be available for public inspection and copying at the ASC's offices.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ben Henson, Executive Director, or Marc L. Weinberg, General Counsel, at (202) 634-6520, Appraisal Subcommittee, 2100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 20037.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Introduction and Background

Since January 1, 1993, Title XI of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery and Enforcement Act of 1989 ("Title XI"), as amended,¹ has required all federally regulated financial institutions to use State licensed or certified real estate appraisers, as appropriate, to perform appraisals in federally related transactions. See Section 1119(a) of Title XI, 12 U.S.C. 3348(a). In response to Title XI, each State, territory and the District of Columbia ("State") has established a regulatory program for certifying, licensing and supervising real estate appraisers. In turn, the ASC has been monitoring State programs to ensure their compliance with Title XI.

While Title XI authorizes each State to certify, license and supervise real estate appraisers within its jurisdiction, the Title also provides a means for appraisers licensed or certified in one State to practice on a temporary basis in another State. Section 1122(a)(1) of Title XI, 12 U.S.C. 3351(a)(1), specifically requires "[a] State appraiser certifying or licensing agency [(State agency)] to recognize on a temporary basis the certification or license of an appraiser issued by another State if—(A) the property to be appraised is part of a federally related transaction, (B) the appraiser's business is of a temporary nature, and (C) the appraiser registers with the appraiser certifying or licensing agency in the State of temporary practice."

Reciprocity provides appraisers certified or licensed in one State with a means to practice in another State on a permanent basis. While Title XI, until recently, did not specifically mention reciprocity, the ASC encouraged States

¹ Pub. L. 101-73, 103 Stat. 183 (1989), as amended by Pub. L. 102-233, 105 Stat. 1792 (1991), Pub. L. 102-242, 105 Stat. 2386 (1991), Pub. L. 102-550, 106 Stat. 3672 (1992), Pub. L. 102-485, 106 Stat. 2771 (1992), Pub. L. 103-325, 108 Stat. 2222 (1994); and Pub. L. 104-208, 110 Stat. 3009 (1996).