

USDA issues revised '82 P.L. 480 allocations

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The U.S. Department of Agriculture issued its revised allocations, by country and commodity, under Title I/III of Public Law 480 (the Food for Peace program) for fiscal year 1982.

Title I of P.L. 480 is a concessional sales program designed to promote the export of agricultural commodities from the United States and to promote economic development in recipient countries. These long-term loans may be for up to 40 years with a 10-year grace period at low interest rates. At least 75 percent of commodities provided under Title I must go to poorer countries, identified as those with per capita incomes below \$730 annually.

Food for Development programs (Title III) provide for the forgiveness of the incurred debt based on accomplishments in development programs and projects, as mutually agreed upon by the United States and recipient countries.

Under Secretary of Agriculture Seeley G. Lodwick said the revised plans provide for the distribution of \$693.5 million in planned commodity

shipments. Of this amount, \$665.5 million is presently allocated and \$28 million is held in an unallocated reserve.

No country dollar allocations have been changed since the initial allocation table was released last October; but the overall level of commodity programming has been reduced by \$72 million. Lodwick said this reduction is due to a number of factors including a reduced appropriation enacted by Congress last December and a transfer of \$30 million to the Title II program.

Lodwick said the revised allocations meet the legal requirement that not less than 75 percent of food aid commodities be allocated to friendly countries that meet the International Development Association poverty criterion. Eighty-two percent of the Title I/III food commodities is presently allocated to countries meeting the criterion, he said.

Among other factors, Lodwick said the program takes into account variations in commodities and budget availabilities in the United States and in participating countries; changing economic and foreign policy situations; potential for market development; fluctuations in commodity prices; availability of handling, storage and distribution facilities; and possible disincentives to local production.

Except for agreements already signed, the country and commodity allocations announced do not represent final U.S. government commitments. Each program must still be reviewed and approved prior to negotiations with individual recipient countries before final U.S. government agreements are signed.

A complete list of allocations follows:

Revised FY 1982 Public Law 480 Title I/III Country and Commodity Allocations
(1,000 Metric tons/bales)

Country	\$Mil. Total	Wheat	Rice	Feedgrains	Vegoil	Total Food
Country \$730 or less Per Capital GNP						
Bangladesh	50.5	145	-	-	30	175
Egypt	275.0	1,500 a/	-	-	-	1,500
El Salvador	22.4b/	114	-	-	3	117
Ghana	7.0	-	11	-	-	28
Guinea	5.0	11a/	5	-	1	17
Haiti	9.0	31	10	-	-	41
Honduras	5.0	28	-	-	-	28
Indonesia	17.5	99	-	-	-	99
Kenya	15.0	28	19	22	-	69
Liberia	10.0	-	27	-	-	27
Pakistan	50.0	-	-	-	93	93
Senegal	7.0	-	19	-	-	19
Somalia	14.5	21a/	21	-	4	46
Sri Lanka	17.6	100	-	-	-	100
Sudan	25.0	109a/	14	-	-	123
Tanzania	5.0	-	7	19	-	26
Zaire	10.0	57a/	-	-	-	57
Zambia	7.0	23	4	-	3	30
Subtotal	552.5	2,283	137	41	134	2,595 (82%)
Costa Rica	18.0	.53	-	50	4	107
Dominican Republic	17.0	-	-	100	10	110
Jamaica	17.5	34a/ c/	17	17	3	71
Mauritius	3.5	5a/	7	-	-	12
Morocco	30.0	170	-	-	-	170
Peru	17.0	-	46	-	-	46
Tunisia	10.0	57	-	-	-	57
Subtotal	113.0	319	70	167	17	573 (18%)
Allocated	665.5	2,602	207	208	151	3,168
Unallocated Reserve	28.0	45	55	-	-	100
Total Approved	693.5	2,647	262	208	151	3,268

a/ Wheat equivalent of flour or contains some portion of wheat equivalent of flour.
b/ Allocation for El Salvador includes a program carry-in from fiscal year 1981 of \$7.4 million.
c/ Includes 3,000 metric tons of blended foods.

Simmental Assn. elects trustees

BOZEMAN, Mt. — Six new members have been elected to the American Simmental Association Board of Trustees, according to election results announced by Executive Vice President Earl B. Peterson.

"Not only did we have more vacancies on the Board than at any time in recent memory, but we also experienced the narrowest margin ever," Peterson explained. "In some cases, the margin of victory was less than one percent of the total vote".

In the South-Central region, which is comprised of the states of Missouri, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, and Arkansas, three Trustees were elected. Hugh H. Karsteter of Cushing, Oklahoma and Edmund Tom of Campbellton, Texas, were elected to three-year terms, while James E. Walthall of Windsor, Missouri was elected to a two-year term. Other candidates on the ballot were Henry F. Fields, Claude, Texas and Noel D. Geib of Thayer, Missouri. Retiring Trustees are Ward Merrick, Ill., Ardmore, Oklahoma; Albert West III, San Antonio, Texas; and Bob Stevens, Albany, Missouri.

The Eastern region, which includes all states East of the Mississippi River except Wisconsin and Illinois elected Jon P. Callendar of Charlotte, Michigan and Enos Groves,

Fortville, Indiana who won over Pat Corrigan of Vero Beach, Florida and Thomas Stevenson of Sherwood, Maryland. Retiring Trustees from the Eastern region are Jacque Glenn, Ramsay, Indiana; and Fritz Kieckhefer, Paris, Kentucky.

John R. Teagarden of LaCygne, Kansas was elected to fill the North Central seat being vacated by retiring President Bob Dickinson of Gorham, Kansas. Teagarden outpolled Bill Richter of Hecla, South Dakota. States in the North Central region include North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Illinois.

No Trustee seats were up for election in the Western region. ASA is governed by a sixteen member Board of Trustees, four from each of four geographical regions. Trustees may serve no more than two consecutive three year terms, and no more than two Board members may be elected from any one State.

The new Trustees will be sworn in and officially seated January 29, during the organization's annual meeting which is scheduled for the Contemporary Hotel at Disney World, Florida.

CUSTOM BUILT FEED BINS

FEATURING:

- High quality 14 gauge steel
- Solid Welded Seams Making it Water and Rodent Proof
- Long Taper and Large Opening for Easier Flow
- Can be installed inside or outside building



Most Installations Can Be Made Without Auger!
WILL DELIVER AND INSTALL ANYWHERE

MEL'S WELDING SERVICE

R 1 Kennedyville, Md. 301-348-2179
If no answer 301-348-5028
Sales and Service - Grain Equipment, Bucket Elevators, Distributors, Pipes and Accessories.

Congratulations To:

DR. NELSON WERT

And Family
Carlisle, PA

On Their NEW MORTON FACILITIES



Vet Clinic Barn



20 Stall Yearling Horse Barn

This clinic utilizes the Energy Performer Insulation Package. Contains: Offices, Lab, Artificial Breeding.



60 ft. by 156 ft. Mare & Foal Barn

CALL YOUR LOCAL MORTON OFFICE FOR A TOUR OF THIS NEW FACILITY

MORTON BUILDINGS
NO. 1 CHOICE OF FARMERS

RD 4, Box 34A,
Gettysburg, Pa. 17325
Ph: 717-334-2168

Box 126, Phillipsburg, NJ 08865
Ph: 201-454-7900

Box 361, Centre Hall,
PA 16828
Ph: 814-364-9500

P.O. Box 529, 133 W. Davis St.
Culpeper, VA 22701
Ph: 703-825-3633

- Send information on MORTON BUILDINGS and Free Floor and Door Plan.
- Have your salesman phone for an appointment
- Insulated Shops Machine Sheds
- Horse Barns Grain Storage
- Garages Free Stall Barns
- Livestock Barns

Name _____

Address _____

Phone No. _____

