

**§ 7998. Estimates of net farm income**

In each issuance of projections of net farm income, the Secretary shall include (as determined by the Secretary)—

- (1) an estimate of the net farm income earned by commercial producers in the United States; and
- (2) an estimate of the net farm income attributable to commercial producers of each of the following:
  - (A) Livestock.
  - (B) Loan commodities.
  - (C) Agricultural commodities other than loan commodities.

(Pub. L. 107-171, title I, §1615, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 222.)

**§ 7999. Availability of incentive payments for certain producers**

**(a) Incentive payments required**

Subject to subsection (b), the Secretary shall make available a total of \$20,000,000 of funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation during the 2003 through 2005 crop years to provide incentive payments to producers of hard white wheat.

**(b) Conditions on implementation**

The Secretary shall implement subsection (a)—

- (1) only with regard to production that meets minimum quality criteria; and
- (2) on not more than 2,000,000 acres or the equivalent volume of production.

**(c) Demand for wheat**

To be eligible to obtain an incentive payment under subsection (a), a producer shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Secretary that buyers and end-users are available for the wheat to be covered by the incentive payment.

(Pub. L. 107-171, title I, §1616, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 222.)

**§ 8000. Repealed. Pub. L. 110-234, title I, § 1623(b), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1025, and Pub. L. 110-246, § 4(a), title I, § 1623(b), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 1753**

Section, Pub. L. 107-171, title I, §1617, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 222, related to renewed availability of market loss assistance and certain emergency assistance to persons that failed to receive assistance under earlier authorities.

**Editorial Notes**

**CODIFICATION**

Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246 repealed this section. Pub. L. 110-234 was repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246.

**Statutory Notes and Related Subsidiaries**

**EFFECTIVE DATE OF REPEAL**

Repeal of this section and repeal of Pub. L. 110-234 by Pub. L. 110-246 effective May 22, 2008, the date of enactment of Pub. L. 110-234, see section 4 of Pub. L. 110-246, set out as an Effective Date note under section 8701 of this title.

**§ 8001. Producer retention of erroneously paid loan deficiency payments and marketing loan gains**

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary and the Commodity Credit Corporation shall not require producers in Erie County, Pennsylvania, to repay loan deficiency payments and marketing loan gains erroneously paid or determined to have been earned by the Commodity Credit Corporation for certain 1998 and 1999 crops under subtitle C of title I of the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 (7 U.S.C. 7231 et seq.). In the case of a producer who has already made the repayment on or before May 13, 2002, the Commodity Credit Corporation shall reimburse the producer for the full amount of the repayment.

(Pub. L. 107-171, title I, §1618, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 223.)

**Editorial Notes**

**REFERENCES IN TEXT**

Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996, referred to in text, is Pub. L. 104-127, Apr. 4, 1996, 110 Stat. 888, as amended. Subtitle C of title I of the Act is classified generally to subchapter III (§7231 et seq.) of chapter 100 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 7201 of this title and Tables.

**§ 8002. Implementation funding and information management**

**(a) Additional funds for administrative costs**

**(1) In general**

The Secretary of Agriculture, acting through the Farm Service Agency, may use not more than \$55,000,000 of funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation to cover administrative costs associated with the implementation of title I and the amendments made by that title.

**(2) Availability**

The funds referred to in paragraph (1) shall remain available to the Secretary until expended.

**(3) Set-aside**

Of the amount specified in paragraph (1), the Secretary shall use not less than \$5,000,000, but not more than \$8,000,000, to carry out subsection (b).

**(b) Information management**

**(1) Development of system**

The Secretary of Agriculture shall develop a comprehensive information management system, using appropriate technologies, to be used in implementing the programs administered by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation and the Farm Service Agency.

**(2) Elements**

The information management system developed under this subsection shall be designed to—

- (A) improve access by agricultural producers to programs described in paragraph (1);
- (B) improve and protect the integrity of the information collected;

(C) meet the needs of the agencies that require the data in the administration of their programs;

(D) improve the timeliness of the collection of the information;

(E) contribute to the elimination of duplication of information collection;

(F) lower the overall cost to the Department of Agriculture for information collection; and

(G) achieve such other goals as the Secretary considers appropriate.

### (3) Reconciliation of current information management

The Secretary shall ensure that all current information of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation and the Farm Service Agency is combined, reconciled, redefined, and reformatted in such a manner so that the agencies can use the common information management system developed under this subsection.

### (4) Assistance for development of system

The Secretary shall enter into an agreement or contract with a non-Federal entity to assist the Secretary in the development of the information management system. The Secretary shall give preference in entering into an agreement or contract to entities that have—

(A) prior experience with the information and management systems of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; and

(B) collaborated with the Corporation in the development of the identification procedures required by section 1515(f) of this title.

### (5) Use

The information collected using the information management system developed under this subsection may be made available to—

(A) any Federal agency that requires the information to carry out the functions of the agency; and

(B) any approved insurance provider, as defined in section 1502(b) of this title, with respect to producers insured by the approved insurance provider.

### (6) Relation to other activities

This subsection shall not interfere with, or delay, existing agreements or requests for proposals of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation or the Farm Service Agency regarding the information management activities known as data mining or data warehousing.

### (c) Authorization of appropriations

In addition to amounts made available under subsection (a)(3), there are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are necessary to carry out subsection (b) for each of fiscal years 2003 through 2008.

(Pub. L. 107-171, title X, §10706, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 519.)

#### Editorial Notes

##### REFERENCES IN TEXT

Title I and the amendments made by that title, referred to in subsec. (a)(1), is title I of Pub. L. 107-171, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 143, which is classified principally to this chapter. For complete classification of

title I to the Code, see References in Text note set out under section 7901 of this title and Tables.

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#### Editorial Notes

##### CODIFICATION

Title IX of the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002, which comprises this chapter, was originally enacted by Pub. L. 107-171, title IX, May 13, 2002, 116 Stat. 475, and amended by Pub. L. 108-199, div. A, title VII, §778(b), Jan. 23, 2004, 118 Stat. 41; Pub. L. 109-58, title II, §205, title IX, §943(a), (b), Aug. 8, 2005, 119 Stat. 654, 880, 881; Pub. L. 109-171, title I, §1301, Feb. 8, 2006, 120 Stat. 6. Such title is shown herein, however, as having been added by Pub. L. 110-234, title IX, §9001(a), May 22, 2008, 122 Stat. 1303, and Pub. L. 110-246, §4(a), title IX, §9001(a), June 18, 2008, 122 Stat. 1664, 2064, without reference to such intervening amendments because of the extensive revision of the title's provisions by Pub. L. 110-234 and Pub. L. 110-246, which amended the title identically. The amendments by Pub. L. 110-234 were repealed by section 4(a) of Pub. L. 110-246.

### § 8101. Definitions

Except as otherwise provided, in this chapter:

#### (1) Administrator

The term “Administrator” means the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

#### (2) Advisory Committee

The term “Advisory Committee” means the Biomass Research and Development Technical Advisory Committee established by section 8108(d)(1) of this title.

#### (3) Advanced biofuel

##### (A) In general

The term “advanced biofuel” means fuel derived from renewable biomass other than corn kernel starch.

##### (B) Inclusions

Subject to subparagraph (A), the term “advanced biofuel” includes—

(i) biofuel derived from cellulose, hemicellulose, or lignin;

(ii) biofuel derived from sugar and starch (other than ethanol derived from corn kernel starch);

(iii) biofuel derived from waste material, including crop residue, other vegetative