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Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (''ASCS'').

(b) State, county, and community committees, and representatives and employees thereof, do not have authority to modify or waive any of the provisions of this part.

(c) The State committees shall take any action required by these regulations which has not been taken by the county committee. The State committee shall also:

(1) Correct, or require a county committee to correct, any action taken by such county committee which is not in accordance with this part, or

(2) Require a county committee to withhold taking any action which is not in accordance with this part.

(d) No provision or delegation herein to a State or county committee shall preclude the Administrator, ASCS, or a designee of the Administrator, from determining any question arising under this part, or from reversing or modifying any determination made by a State or county committee.

§ 7.2 General.

State, county, and community committees shall, as directed by the Secretary of a designee of the Secretary, carry out the programs and functions of the Secretary.

§ 7.3 Definitions.

The terms defined in part 719 of this title governing the reconstitution of farms shall also be applicable to this part.

§ 7.4 Selection of committee members.

State committee members shall be selected by the Secretary and shall serve at the pleasure of the Secretary. County and community committee members shall be elected in accordance with § 7.9 of this part.

§ 7.5 Eligible voters.

(a) Voters eligible to participate in:

(1) The direct election of county committee members and

(2) Community committee elections shall be persons who meet the requirements of paragraphs (b) and (c) of this section.

(b) Any person, regardless of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin, who has an interest in a farm as owner, operator, tenant, or sharecropper and who is of legal voting age in the State in which the farm is located, and any person not of such legal voting age who is in charge of the supervision and conduct of the farming operations on an entire farm, shall be eligible to vote for direct election of county committee members or community committee members if such person is eligible to participate with respect to the farm in any program administered by the county committee.

(c) In any State having a community property law, the spouse of a person who is eligible to vote in accordance with paragraph (b) of this section shall also be eligible to vote.

(d) If an eligible voter is an entity other than an individual, the eligible voter's vote may be cast by a duly authorized representative of such entity, as determined by the Deputy Administrator, State and County Operations, ASCS (''Deputy Administrator'').

(e) Each county office shall have a list of eligible voters for each community within the county available for public inspection in advance of the community committee election.

(f) Each eligible voter shall be entitled to only one ballot in any election held in any one local administrative area. If the eligible voter has an interest in land located in more than one community in the county, such voter shall not be entitled to vote in more than one community in the county. There shall be no voting by proxy.

§ 7.6 Determination of elective areas.

(a) *Local administrative areas and communities.* (1) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, there shall be three local administrative areas in each county. With respect to Alaska, the term ''county'' shall be the area so designated by the State committee.

(2) Each local administrative area shall have at least one community committee consisting of three members.

(3) The boundaries of the communities and local administrative areas