Food and Nutrition Service, USDA

§ 250.64 Food Distribution Program in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

(a) Distribution. The distributing agency shall make donated foods available for distribution to households in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands by those welfare agencies which certify households in accordance with a plan of operation approved by FNS, as required by paragraph (d) of this section. Distribution of donated foods to households shall be made in accordance with the approved plan of operation.

(b) Quantities and value of donated foods. Distribution of donated foods shall be based on the actual number of households in need of food assistance.

(c) Types of donated foods authorized for donation. Agencies which make distribution to needy persons are eligible to receive foods under section 416, section 32, section 709 and section 4(a).

(d) Plan of operation. Prior to making distribution to agencies or households, the distributing agency shall submit a plan of operation for approval by the appropriate FNSRO. Such plans shall incorporate the procedures and methods to be used in certifying households in need of food assistance, in making distribution to households, and in providing a fair hearing to households whose claims for food assistance under the plan are denied or are not acted upon with reasonable promptness, or who are aggrieved by an agency’s interpretation of any provision of the plan. No amendment to the plan of operation of the distributing agency shall be made without prior approval of FNS, and FNS may require amendment of any plan as a condition of continuing approval. The distributing agency shall require welfare agencies making distribution to households to conduct distribution programs in accordance with State agency’s quarterly estimate of need.

(c) Distribution of donated foods to service institutions in SFSP. The distributing agency provides donated food assistance to eligible service institutions participating in SFSP based on the number of meals served that are eligible for donated food support, in accordance with 7 CFR part 225.

(d) Use of donated foods in a contract with a food service management company. A service institution may use donated foods in a contract with a food service management company to conduct the food service. The contract must meet the requirements in subpart D of this part with respect to donated foods, and must also meet requirements in 7 CFR part 225 and 7 CFR parts 3016 or 3019, as applicable, with respect to the procurement of such contracts.

(e) Applicability of other requirements in this subpart to SFSP. The requirements in this subpart relating to the ordering, storage and inventory management, and use of donated foods in NSLP, also apply to SFSP.

Subpart F—Household Programs

§ 250.63 Commodity Supplemental Food Program.

(a) Distribution. The distributing agency shall distribute donated foods to the State agency which is designated by the State to administer the Commodity Supplemental Food Program for that State and which has entered into a written agreement with the Department for the administration of that program in accordance with 7 CFR part 247, the regulations for that program. The State agency administering the Commodity Supplemental Food Program shall distribute donated foods to local agencies for use by eligible recipients in accordance with the provisions of 7 CFR part 247 and with the provisions of this part, and may enter into an agreement with the distributing agency for use of the distributing agency’s facilities for distribution.

(b) Quantities of donated foods. Distribution of donated foods to the designated State agencies for the Commodity Supplemental Food Program shall be made on the basis of each State agency’s quarterly estimate of need.

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