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in or preparing to participate in bilingual vocational training programs; and

(2) Fellowships and traineeships for individuals participating in preservice or inservice training.

(b) The Secretary does not make an award under this program unless the Secretary determines that the applicant has an ongoing vocational education program in the field in which participants will be trained, and can provide instructors with adequate language capabilities in the language other than English to be used in the bilingual vocational training project.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2441(b))

§ 428.4 What regulations apply?

The following regulations apply to the Bilingual Vocational Training Program:

(a) The regulations in 34 CFR part 400.

(b) The regulations in this part 428.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2441(b))

§ 428.5 What definitions apply?

The definitions in 34 CFR 400.4 apply to this program.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2441(b))

Subpart B—How Does One Apply for an Award?

§ 428.10 What must an application contain?

An application must—

(a) Provide an assurance that the activities and services for which assistance is sought will be administered by or under the supervision of the applicant;

(b) Propose a project of a size, scope and design that will make a substantial contribution toward carrying out the purpose of the Bilingual Vocational Instructor Training Program;

(c) Describe the capabilities of the applicant, including vocational training or education courses offered by the applicant, accreditation, and any certification of courses by appropriate State agencies;

(d) Describe the qualifications of principal staff to be used in the bilingual vocational instructor training project;

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(e) Describe the number of participants to be served, the minimum qualifications for project participants, and the selection process for project participants;

(f) Include the projected amount of the fellowships or traineeships, if any;

(g) Contain sufficient information for the Secretary to make the determination required by § 428.3(b); and

(h) Provide an assurance that preservice training will be provided to individuals who have indicated their intent to engage as personnel in a vocational education program that serves limited English proficient individuals.

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(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2441(d)(1), (4))

Subpart C—How Does the Secretary Make an Award?

§ 428.20 How does the Secretary evaluate an application?

(a) The Secretary evaluates an application for a grant or cooperative agreement on the basis of the criteria in § 428.21.

(b) The Secretary may award up to 100 points, including a reserved 15 points to be distributed in accordance with paragraph (d) or this section, based on the criteria in § 428.21.

(c) Subject to paragraph (d) of this section, the maximum possible points for each criterion is indicated in parentheses after the heading for each criterion.

(d) For each competition, in a notice published in the FEDERAL REGISTER, the Secretary may assign the reserved 15 points among the criteria in § 428.21.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 2441(b), (d)(5))

§ 428.21 What selection criteria does the Secretary use?

The Secretary uses the following selection criteria in evaluating each application:

(a) *Need.* (15 points) (1) The Secretary reviews each application to determine the need for the proposed bilingual vocational instructor training project, including—

(i) The need for the project in the specific geographic area or areas to be served by the proposed project;