

PART 2000 - GENERAL

Subpart A - Memorandum of Understanding Between the Rural Development
and the Extension Service - U.S. Department of
Agriculture

§2000.1 General.

The Rural Development has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Extension Service (ES) to establish policies and procedures for implementation and administration of the Technology Development Grant program authorized by section 2347 of Public Law 101-624 which amends section 310B of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (CONACT). All programs under section 310B of the CONACT were previously delegated to the Farmers Home Administration and subsequently delegated to Rural Development. The MOU provides that ES will award grants for fiscal year 1993. These grants will be administered by Rural Development and the continued implementation of this program will be conducted by Rural Development.

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between the
RURAL DEVELOPMENT and the
EXTENSION SERVICE
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

I. Purpose

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to establish policies and procedures for implementation and administration of the Technology Development Grant program.

II. Background

Section 2347 of Public Law 101-624 amends section 310B of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act (CONACT) and authorizes the Secretary to award grants for the establishment of centers for technology and/or cooperative development. All programs under section 310B of the CONACT were previously delegated to the Farmers Home Administration and subsequently delegated to the Rural Development.

The Extension Service budget for fiscal year (FY) 1993 contained an appropriation of \$1 million for grants for this program.

III. Agreement

In conjunction with Rural Development, the Extension Service will award grants for FY 1993. Such grants will be administered by the Rural Development. The continued implementation of this program will be conducted by the Rural Development.

IV. Effective Date

This MOU will become effective upon signature by representatives of the two Agencies. Its provisions will be amended or supplemented as required or agreed upon by the two parties.

/s/ Wilbur Peer

9-22-93

Administrator
Rural Development

Date

/s/ Myron I. Johnson

9-1-93

Administrator
Extension Service

Date

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