

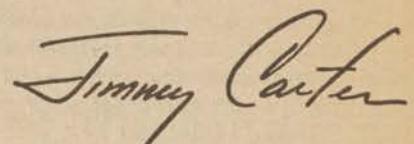
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Title 3—
The President

Executive Order 12126 of March 29, 1979

Correction in Executive Order No. 12107

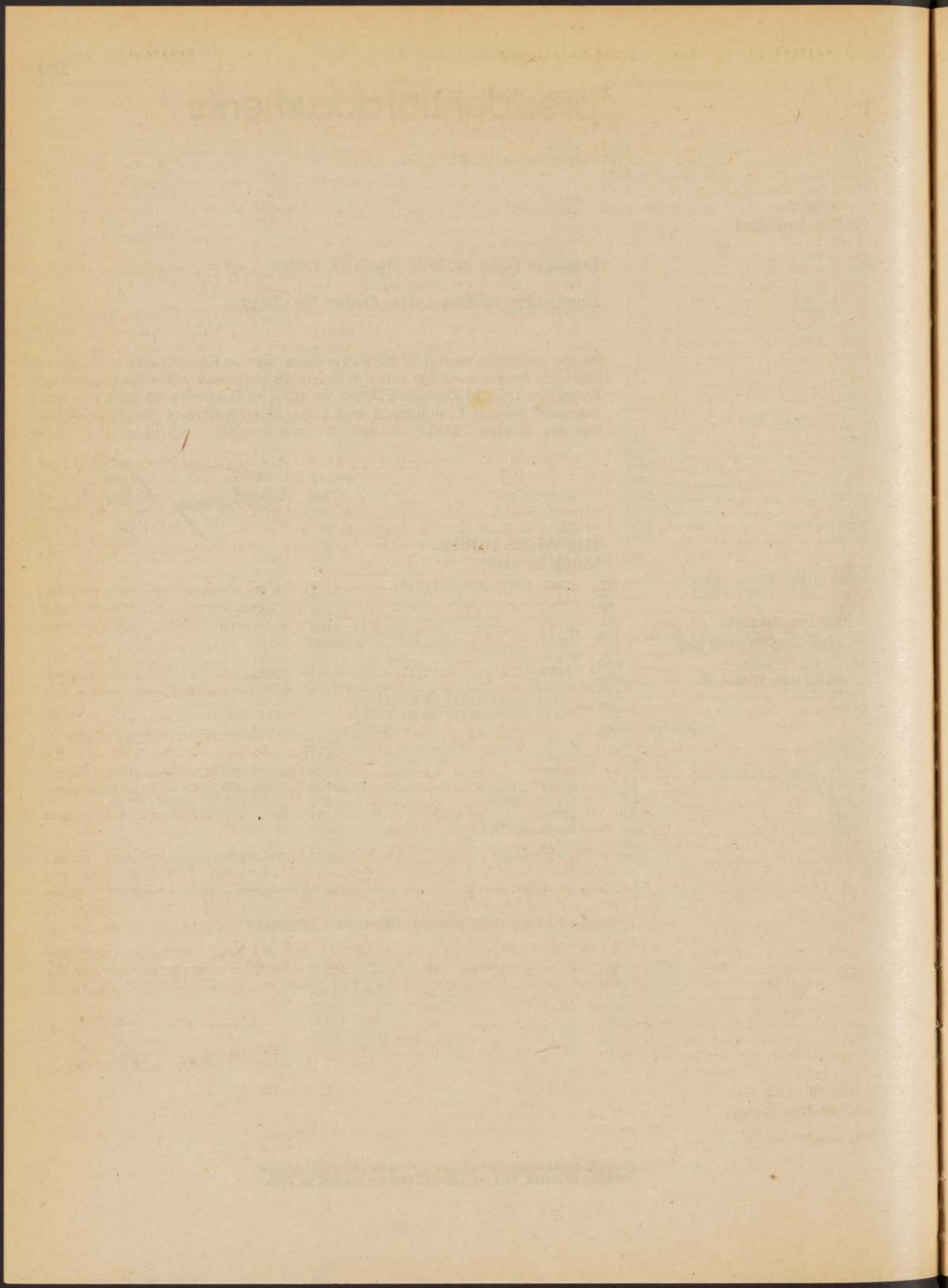
By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution of the United States of America, and in order to delete an erroneous reference to a revoked Executive order in Executive Order No. 12107 of December 28, 1978, relating to the Civil Service Commission and Labor-Management in the Federal Service, the number "11512" is deleted from Section 2-101(b) of that Order.



THE WHITE HOUSE,
March 29, 1979.

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Proclamation 4651 of March 29, 1979

Prayer for Peace

Memorial Day, May 28, 1979

By the President of the United States of America

A Proclamation

This day was originally set aside to honor the dead in a conflict that divided our Nation more than a century ago. That wound has healed.

We come now also to honor the dead of many other wars. That we must do so is a tragic reminder that the freedoms we cherish are constantly under siege. Each generation is called upon to preserve and defend our liberties anew, often with their lives. The fact that their suffering has not yet bought a permanent peace does not make their sacrifice in vain. They preserved that which we hold most dear so that we might strive again for what they sought—a just and honorable peace in which all people settle their differences without bloodshed or oppression.

Today America celebrates peace. We gratefully remember those who gave up their hopes and lives that we might enjoy the liberties they loved—on this day and through all our tomorrows—in peace. We cannot call them back to give them our thanks, nor can we raise a monument to them any more meaningful than the one they have already left us, a free and peaceful America. They have given us a gift too valuable ever to repay, save by preserving that peace, that liberty, that America.

We have seen how easily the hopes of peace are dashed. Yet we must keep faith with those who have gone before, with those throughout the world who share our dream, and with the generations yet unborn whose very existence may depend upon the success of our efforts.

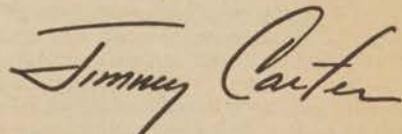
We earnestly pray that all the people of the world will join us in our struggle, so that one day all the earth may share the blessings of liberty, justice and peace.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIMMY CARTER, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, 1979, as a day of prayer for permanent peace, and I designate the hour beginning in each locality at 11 o'clock in the morning of that day as a time to unite in prayer.

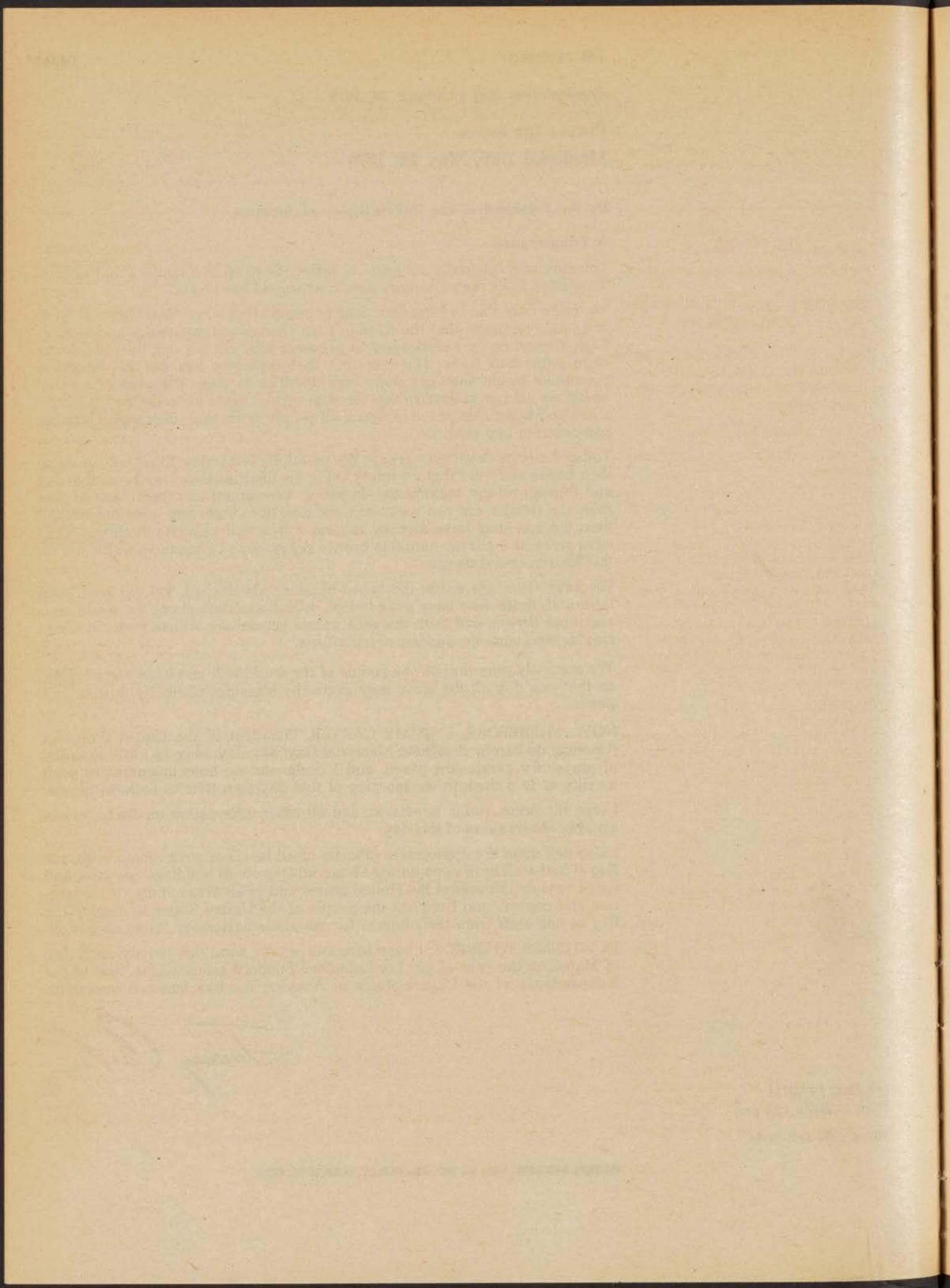
I urge the press, radio, television, and all other information media to join in suitable observances of this day.

I also call upon the appropriate officials of all levels of government to fly the flag at half-staff until noon during Memorial Day on all buildings, grounds, and naval vessels throughout the United States and in all areas under its jurisdiction and control, and I request the people of the United States to display the flag at half-staff from their homes for the same customary forenoon period.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred seventy-nine, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and third.



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rules and regulations

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Title 5—Administrative Personnel

CHAPTER I—OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

PART 317—APPOINTMENT, REASIGNMENT, TRANSFER AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE

Interim Regulations

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management.

ACTION: Interim regulation with comments invited for consideration in final rulemaking.

SUMMARY: These interim regulations implement Sec. 413 of Title IV of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978. They cover the conversion of employees to the Senior Executive Service.

DATES: Effective Date: March 30, 1979 and until final regulations are issued. Comment Date: Written comments will be considered if received no later than May 29, 1979.

ADDRESS: Send written comments to the Associate Director, Executive Personnel and Management Development, Office of Personnel Management, Room 6R54, 1900 E Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20415.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ann Ugelow, (202) 632-6820.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 553(d)(3) of title 5, U.S.C., the Director finds that good cause exists for making this amendment effective in less than 30 days, in order to provide continuity of operations and to give immediate and timely effect to the appropriate provisions of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978.

A new Part 317 is being added to Title 5, Code of Federal Regulations to cover appointment, reassignment, transfer, and development in the Senior Executive Service. Two subparts of Part 317 are being issued now:

(1) Subpart A consists of the statutory requirements for conversion to the Senior Executive Service, as found

in Section 413 of title IV of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978.

(2) Subpart B consists of regulations to implement the conversion process.

Regulations to implement Subchapter VIII of Chapter 33 of title 5, United States Code on appointments and other matters, will be issued at a later date.

Accordingly, the Office of Personal Management is adding interim regulations to Chapter I, 5 CFR Part 317, as set forth below:

PART 317—APPOINTMENT, REASIGNMENT, TRANSFER AND DEVELOPMENT IN THE SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE

Subpart A—Principal Statutory Requirements

Sec.

317.101 Statutory Requirements for Conversion.

Subpart B—Regulatory Requirements of the Office of Personnel Management

- 317.201 Regulatory Requirements.
- 317.301 Conversion Coverage.
- 317.302 Conversion Procedures.
- 317.303 Status of Employees Who Decline Voluntary Conversion to the Senior Executive Service.
- 317.304 Conversion of Career and Career-type Appointees.
- 317.305 Conversion of Excepted Appointees.
- 317.306 Conversion of Employees Under Time Limited Appointments.

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. 1302, Pub. L. 95-454

Subpart A—Statutory Requirements

§ 317.101 Statutory Requirements.

This subpart sets forth for the benefit of the user the statutory requirements governing conversion to the Senior Executive Service.

SEC. 413. (a) For the purpose of this section, "agency", "Senior Executive Service position", "career appointee", "career reserved position", "limited term appointee", "noncareer appointee", and "general position" have the meanings set forth in section 3132(a) of title 5, United States Code (as added by this title), and "Senior Executive Service" has the meaning set forth in section 2101a of such title 5 (as added by this title).

(b)(1) Under the guidance of the Office of Personnel Management, each agency shall—

(A) designate those positions which it considers should be Senior Executive Service positions and designate which of those positions it considers should be career reserved positions; and

(B) submit to the Office a written request for—

- (i) a specific number of Senior Executive Service positions; and
- (ii) authority to employ a specific number of noncareer appointees.

(2) The Office of Personnel Management shall review the designations and requests of each agency under paragraph (1) of this subsection, and shall establish interim authorizations in accordance with sections 3133 and 3134 of title 5, United States Code (as added by this Act), and shall publish the titles of the authorized positions in the **FEDERAL REGISTER**.

(c)(1) Each employee serving in a position at the time it is designated as a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (b) of this section shall elect to—

(A) decline conversion and be appointed to a position under such employee's current type of appointment and pay system, retaining the grade, seniority, and other rights and benefits associated with such type of appointment and pay system; or

(B) accept conversion and be appointed to a Senior Executive Service position in accordance with the provisions of subsections (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h) of this section.

The appointment of an employee in an agency because of an election under subparagraph (A) of this paragraph shall not result in the separation or reduction in grade of any other employee in such agency.

(2) Any employee in a position which has been designated a Senior Executive Service position under this section shall be notified in writing of such designation, the election required under paragraph (1) of this subsection, and the provisions of subsections (d), (e), (f), (g), and (h) of this section. The employee shall be given 90 days from the date of such notification to make the election under paragraph (1) of this subsection.

(d) Each employee who has elected to accept conversion to a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (c)(1)(B) of this section and who is serving under—

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(1) a career or career-conditional appointment; or

(2) a similar type of appointment in an excepted service position, as determined by the Office;

in a position which is designated as a Senior Executive Service position shall be appointed as a career appointee to such Senior Executive Service position without regard to section 3393(b)-(e) of title 5, United States Code (as added by this title).

(e) Each employee who has elected conversion to a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (c)(1)(B) of this section and who is serving under an excepted appointment in a position which is not designated a career reserved position in the Senior Executive Service, but is—

(1) a position in Schedule C of subpart C of part 213 of title 5, Code of Federal Regulations;

(2) a position filled by noncareer executive assignment under subpart F of part 305 of title 5, Code of Federal Regulations; or

(3) a position in the Executive Schedule under subchapter II of chapter 53 of title 5, United States Code, other than a career Executive Schedule position;

shall be appointed as a noncareer appointee to a Senior Executive Service position.

(f) Each employee who has elected conversion to a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (c)(1)(B) of this section, who is serving in a position described in paragraph (1), (2), or (3) of subsection (e) of this section, and whose position is designated as a career reserved position under subsection (b) of this section shall be appointed as a noncareer appointee to an appropriate general position in the Senior Executive Service or shall be separated.

(g) Each employee who has elected conversion to a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (c)(1)(B) of this section, who is serving in a position described in paragraph (1), (2), or (3) of subsection (e) of this section, and whose position is designated as a Senior Executive Service position and who has reinstatement eligibility to a position in the competitive service, may, on request to the Office, be appointed as a career appointee to a Senior Executive Service position. The name of, and basis for reinstatement eligibility for, each employee appointed as a career appointee under this subsection shall be published in the **FEDERAL REGISTER**.

(h) Each employee who has elected conversion to a Senior Executive Service position under subsection (c)(1)(B) of this section and who is serving under a limited executive assignment under subpart F of part 305 of title 5, Code of Federal Regulations, shall—

(1) be appointed as a limited term appointee to a Senior Executive Service position if the position then held by such employee will terminate within 3 years of the date of such appointment;

(2) be appointed as a noncareer appointee to a Senior Executive Service position if the position then held by such employee is designated as a general position; or

(3) be appointed as a noncareer appointee to a general position if the position then held by such employee is designated as a career reserved position.

(i) The rate of basic pay for any employee appointed to a Senior Executive Service position under this section shall be greater than or equal to the rate of basic pay payable for the position held by such employee at the time of such appointment.

(j) Any employee who is aggrieved by any action by any agency under this section is entitled to appeal to the Merit Systems Protection Board under section 7701 of title 5, United States Code (as added by this title). An agency shall take any corrective action which the Board orders in its decision on an appeal under this subsection.

(k) The Office shall prescribe regulations to carry out the purpose of this section.

Subpart B—Regulatory Requirements of the Office Of Personnel Management

§ 317.201 Regulatory requirements.

This subpart contains the regulations of the Office of Personnel Management which implement subchapter VIII of chapter 33 of title 5, U.S.C. and section 413 of title IV of the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978.

§ 317.301 Conversion coverage.

(a) *When applicable.* These conversion provisions apply during:

(1) The initial conversion to the Senior Executive Service to be completed by July 13, 1979; and

(2) Conversion to the Senior Executive Service following revocation of a Presidential exclusion under 5 U.S.C. 3132(e).

(b) *Employees covered.* This subpart covers:

(1) An employee serving in a position at the time it is designated a Senior Executive Service position;

(2) An individual appointed or reinstated to a position after it has been designated a Senior Executive Service position;

(3) An employee transferred, promoted, voluntarily reassigned or voluntarily demoted to a position after it has been designated a Senior Executive Service position;

(4) An employee involuntarily reassigned or involuntarily demoted to a position after it has been designated a Senior Executive Service position; and

(5) An employee serving in a position which meets the grade level but not the functional criteria for designation as a Senior Executive Service position.

(c) *Employees excluded.* The following employees are excluded from coverage of this subpart and are not entitled to conversion to the Senior Executive Service.

(1) An employee in a position designated as Senior Executive Service who is serving under a time limited appointment which will terminate before the operational date of the Senior Executive Service.

(2) An employee serving under a temporary promotion, detail, or temporary assignment in a position designated as Senior Executive Service unless the position which the employee encumbered on a permanent basis just prior to the current temporary action has been designated as Senior Executive Service.

§ 317.302 Conversion procedures.

(a) *Employees appointed prior to designation; employees involuntarily reassigned or demoted after designation.* (1) *Notice.* Each employee covered by this subpart who was appointed prior to the designation of his or her position as a Senior Executive Service position, or who was involuntarily reassigned or involuntarily demoted to a position after it was designated a Senior Executive Service position, shall be given a written notice which includes the following information:

(i) A statement that the employee's position has been designated as either "general" or "career reserved";

(ii) A statement that the employee is being offered an appointment under the Senior Executive Service or that the employee is not being offered an appointment under the Senior Executive Service but will be separated from the civil service pursuant to § 317.305(b)(4) or § 317.306(b)(4); If the employee is offered conversion, the notice shall also include:

(iii) A statement that the employee has 90 calendar days from the date of receipt of the written notice to elect either to join the Senior Executive Service or to remain in his or her current appointment system;

(iv) Identification of the position, SES pay rate, and kind of appointment which the employee will receive if the employee elects to convert to the Senior Executive Service;

(v) For excepted appointees who have reinstatement eligibility to a position in the competitive service, a statement that the employee may re-

quest conversion to career appointment;

(vi) For employees under limited executive assignment who have reinstatement eligibility to a position in the competitive service and who are covered under § 317.306(b)(3), a statement that the employee may request conversion to career appointment;

(vii) A summary of the features of the Senior Executive Service (this can be accomplished by appending descriptive material prepared by the Office);

(viii) A statement that the employee must submit his or her decision with regard to paragraphs (a)(1)(iii), (v) and (vi) of this section, in writing, on or before the end of the notice period; and

(ix) A statement of the employee's right to appeal an action under this subpart to the Merit Systems Protection Board.

An employee whose involuntary reassignment or involuntary demotion to a designated position occurs less than 90 days before the operational date of the Senior Executive Service, shall be given this notice at the time of the personnel action. The employee shall have 90 calendar days from the date of receipt of the notice to make an election on conversion.

(2) *Pay.* Pay shall be set at an authorized SES pay rate. The pay rate given to an employee upon conversion shall not be less than the employee's basic payable salary just prior to conversion. An employee's payable salary upon conversion is subject to pay limitations, if any, imposed by chapter 53 of title 5, United States Code, or other statutes.

(3) *Freedom of choice.* The employee shall decide whether he or she accepts conversion to the Senior Executive Service. The employing agency shall not attempt to influence the employee's decision through coercion, intimidation or duress.

(4) *Employee's election.* On or before the end of the notice period, the employee shall signify in writing his or her decision to accept or to decline an appointment under the Senior Executive Service. An excepted or limited assignment employee covered under § 317.305(b)(3) or § 317.306(b)(3), respectively, shall also indicate whether he or she request conversion to career appointment. Failure to respond shall be deemed declination.

(b) *Employees receiving appointments after designation but before the operational date of the Senior Executive Service.*—(1) *Condition of appointment.* Each individual appointed, reinstated, transferred, promoted, voluntarily reassigned or voluntarily demoted to a position after it has been designated a Senior Executive Service position shall be required to accept conversion to the Senior Executive

Service. The agency shall advise the individual of this requirement prior to the appointment or other personnel action. The individual shall signify his or her acceptance of conversion in writing at the time of the personnel action.

(2) *Notice.* At the time of the personnel action, or 90 days before the Senior Executive Service becomes operational, whichever is later, the agency shall give the employee a written notice which identifies the position, SES pay rate, and kind of appointment the employee will receive under the Senior Executive Service.

(3) *Pay.* Pay shall be set at an authorized SES pay rate. The pay rate given to a Federal employee who enters the Senior Executive Service without a break in service shall not be less than the employee's basic payable salary just prior to his or her entry into the Senior Executive Service. An employee's payable salary under the Senior Executive Service is subject to pay limitations, if any, imposed by chapter 53 of title 5, United States Code, or other statutes.

(c) *Employees whose positions are not designated Senior Executive Service positions. Notice.* Each employee covered by § 317.301(b)(5) shall be given a written notice advising the employee that his or her position is not designated a Senior Executive Service position; that the employee is not entitled to conversion to the Senior Executive Service; and that the employee has a right to appeal an action under this subpart to the Merit Systems Protection Board.

§ 317.303 Status of employees who decline voluntary conversion to the Senior Executive Service.

(a) An employee who declines conversion pursuant to § 317.302(a)(4) shall remain in his or her current appointment and pay system, and shall retain the grade, seniority, and other rights and benefits associated with such type of appointment and pay system. The employee may continue in the current SES position or be reassigned to another position within or outside the Senior Executive Service.

(b) The assignment of an employee who declines conversion under this subpart shall not result in the separation or reduction in grade of any other employee in the agency.

(c) Nothing in these regulations affects an agency's right to terminate a limited executive appointment pursuant to Civil Service Rule IX.

§ 317.304 Conversion of career and career-type appointees.

(a) *Coverage.* This section covers employees serving under:

(1) A career or career-conditional appointment; or

(2) A similar type of appointment in an excepted service position, as determined by the Office.

(b) *Senior Executive Service appointment.* An employee covered by this section shall be converted to a Senior Executive Service career appointment. The employee may be assigned to either a "general" or a "career reserved" position.

§ 317.305 Conversion of excepted appointees.

(a) *Coverage.* This section covers employees serving under an excepted appointment in a position:

(1) In Schedule C of Subpart C of Part 213 of Title 5, Code of Federal Regulations;

(2) Filled by noncareer executive assignment under subpart F of Part 305 of Title 5, Code of Federal Regulations;

(3) In the Executive Schedule under subchapter II of chapter 53 of title 5, United States Code, other than a career Executive Schedule position; or

(4) Filled under an authority equivalent to paragraph (a) (1), (2), or (3) of this section.

(b) *Senior Executive Service appointment.* An employee covered by this section shall be subject to one of the following actions.

(1) If the employee's position is designated a "general" position, the agency may convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service noncareer appointment. The employee may be assigned only to a "general" position.

(2) If the employee's position is designated a "career reserved" position, the agency may convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service noncareer appointment and assign the employee to a "general" position. The employee cannot remain in a "career reserved" position.

(3) If the employee has reinstatement eligibility to a position in the competitive service, the employee may request conversion to a career appointment. Such request must be made on or before the end of the notice period.

(i) If the request is approved by the Office, the agency will convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service career appointment. The employee may be assigned to a "general" or a "career reserved" position.

(ii) If the employee's request for conversion to career is not approved by the Office, or if the employee elects not to make such a request, the agency will convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service noncareer appointment. The employee may be assigned only to a "general" position.

(4) In lieu of action under paragraph (b) (1), (2), or (3) of this section, the agency may separate the employee from the civil service.

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§ 317.306 Conversion of employees under time limited appointments.

(a) *Coverage.* This section covers employees serving under:

(1) A limited executive assignment under Subpart E of Part 305 of Title 5, Code of Federal Regulations; or

(2) A similar type of time limited appointment in an excepted service position.

(b) *Senior Executive Service appointment.* An employee covered by this section shall be subject to one of the following actions.

(1) If the position in which the employee is serving under a limited executive assignment or similar type of time limited appointment will terminate within three years from the date of the proposed conversion action, the agency may convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service limited term appointment.

(2) If the position in which the employee is serving under a limited executive assignment or similar type of time limited appointment will not terminate within three years from the date of the proposed conversion action, the agency may convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service noncareer appointment and assign the employee to a "general" position. The agency may not assign the employee to a "career reserved" position.

(3) If the employee under a limited executive assignment has reinstatement eligibility to a position in the competitive service, and if immediately prior to the limited executive assignment and without a break in service the employee served under a career appointment in a position now being designated a Senior Executive Service position then the employee may request conversion to a career appointment. Such request must be made on or before the end of the notice period.

(i) If the employee requests conversion to career, the agency will convert the employee to a Senior Executive Service career appointment. The employee may be assigned to a "general" or a "career reserved" position.

(ii) If the employee does not request conversion to career, the agency will convert the employee as provided for in paragraphs (b) (1) and (2) of this section.

(4) In lieu of action under paragraph (b) (1), (2), or (3) of this section, the agency may separate the employee from the civil service.

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL
MANAGEMENT,
BEVERLY M. JONES,
Issuance System Manager.

MARCH 27, 1979.

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Title 7—Agriculture

CHAPTER VII—AGRICULTURAL STABILIZATION AND CONSERVATION SERVICE (AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT), DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

SUBCHAPTER B—FARM MARKETING QUOTAS AND ACREAGE ALLOTMENTS

PART 730—RICE

Subpart—Rice Program For Crop Years 1978-1981

AGENCY: Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, USDA.

ACTION: Final Rule.

SUMMARY: This rule sets forth the rice program provisions for 1978-1981, permitting the use of a set-aside, land diversion payments, and a normal crop acreage to control rice production. The rice program is authorized by the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 and the Agricultural Act of 1949, as amended by the Rice Production Act of 1975, Pub. L. 94-214, 90 Stat. 181, and by the Food and Agriculture Act of 1977, Pub. L. 95-113, 91 Stat. 940. This rule incorporates changes in the rice program as a result of enactment of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1977.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 30, 1979.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Charles J. Riley, Production Adjustment Division, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, USDA, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C. 20013, (202) 447-7633.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This rule permits the use of a set-aside, land diversion payments, and a normal crop acreage (NCA) to control rice production. The NCA limits the acreage of rice and other NCA crops whenever one or more crops for which a set-aside requirement is in effect is produced on a farm complying with program requirements. Because this rule merely incorporates determinations which have already been made public and since farmers have harvested or are harvesting their 1978 crops and are planning their 1979 operations, it is hereby found and determined that compliance with the notice and public procedure provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553 is impractical and contrary to the public interest.

Similarly, due to the need for farmers to have these regulations effective as soon as possible, it is hereby found in accordance with the provisions of Executive Order 12044 (43 F.R. 12661,

March 24, 1978) that it is not possible to publish these regulations in proposed form and allow sixty days for public comment. Therefore, these regulations are issued without compliance with such procedure.

The material previously appearing in 7 CFR Part 730 remains in full force and effect as to prior crop years. Accordingly, the regulations at 7 CFR Part 730 and the title of the subpart are revised, effective for crop years 1978-1981, to read as follows:

Subpart—Rice Program for Crop Years 1978-1981

Sec.

- 730.1 Applicability.
- 730.2 Administration.
- 730.3 Definitions.
- 730.4 Rule of fractions.
- 730.5 National rice allotment.
- 730.6 Farm and producer allotments.
- 730.7 Release and reapportionment of rice allotment.
- 730.8 General allotment transfer provisions—sale, lease, or by owner.
- 730.9 Record of transfer.
- 730.10 Amount or allotment transferable.
- 730.11 Additional conditions and limitations.
- 730.12 County committee action.
- 730.13 Allocation of producer allotments to farms.
- 730.14 Transfer of farm rice acreage affected by a natural disaster.
- 730.15 Farm and rice operator yields.
- 730.16 Notice of normal crop acreage, allotments, and yields.
- 730.17 Reconstitution of farms.
- 730.18 Requirements for program participation.
- 730.19 Required set-aside.
- 730.20 Voluntary Diversion.
- 730.21 Designation, use and care of set-aside and voluntary diversion acreage.
- 730.22 Cross Compliance and Offsetting Compliance.
- 730.23 Determination of compliance.
- 730.24 General payment provisions.
- 730.25 Disaster payments.
- 730.26 Established (target) prices.
- 730.27 Deficiency payments.
- 730.28 Division of payments and additional provisions relating to tenants and share-croppers.
- 730.29 Successors-in-interest.
- 730.30 Misrepresentation and scheme or device.
- 730.31 Setoffs and assignments.
- 730.32 Appeals.
- 730.33 Performance based upon advice or action of county or State committee.
- 730.34 Recordkeeping.

AUTHORITY: Secs. 101(h), 408(b), 91 Stat. 940, 90 Stat. 181 (7 USC 1441, 1428(b)); Secs. 352, 385, 52 Stat. 60, 52 Stat. 68, (7 USC 1352, 1385).

Subpart—Rice Program for Crop Years 1978-1981

§ 730.1 Applicability.

(a) The regulations in this subpart provide terms and conditions for the rice program for the 1978 thru 1981 crops of rice, under which producers on farms for which a rice allotment is