

A82 Special Instructions for Grazing Associations



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Special Instructions for Grazing Associations 1969 Census of Agriculture

Reports of grazing associations lands and operations are required as part of the 1969 Census of Agriculture because of their increasing importance in certain aspects of agricultural production. Your prompt attention in completing and returning this report will be greatly appreciated.

If you have already filed a census report for the grazing association, please state so on the enclosed yellow colored form and return the form to us in the envelope provided. It will be especially helpful if you could note on the form any information which would assist us in locating the report already filed in our records. For example the name and address as shown on the report form.

If a report has not been filed, please be sure to complete all sections of the form which may apply to your operations. The leaflet guide which has been enclosed may provide additional source of help in completing this report. Enter on or attach to the form any comments or notes which you may feel will be helpful.

Please give your best estimate for information which may not be available from your records.

TO COMPLETE THE REPORT FORM, PLEASE PROCEED AS FOLLOWS----

Section 1 - Report all land owned or controlled by the association for use by members. Include all Federal and State lands controlled by the association whether leased or used on a permit arrangement. Estimate the market value of the land based on similar privately owned land in the area.

Section 2 - Report the county location of all land reported in Items 1 and 2 of the report form.

Sections 3-7 - If you do not have accurate data for the uses of the land or any of the other information requested, please give estimates.

Sections 8-24 - Report any hay cut or other crops which may have been harvested from these lands in 1969.

Sections 25-29 - Do not report any livestock inventories or sales controlled by individual members. The livestock and related information will be reported by the individual members on their own census report forms.

Section 31 - Report any equipment owned by the association.

Section 32 - Report the number of workers which may have been hired by the association.

Section 33 - Report the acreage treated and the cost of any pesticides used by the association.

Section 34 - Report expenditures made by the association for the operation of the association. Include land rental or permit fees in Item 10 of this section.

Section 38 - Report the information for the person who's directly responsible for day-to-day operation of the association. This may be the secretary or treasurer in most cases.

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