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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

**SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE**

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Advisory PERS - 170

From: Kenneth E. Grant  
Administrator

Re: Reorganization of the Washington Office Soil Survey Staff

Leadership for the program of land inventory and monitoring authorized by Section 302, Title III of the Rural Development Act of 1972 has been assigned to the Deputy Administrator for Soil Survey. This, along with other changes and advances in soil survey, have required a restructuring of the Washington Office Soil Survey Staff. Major changes are the establishment of a Land Inventory and Monitoring Division and the elimination of the Soil Classification & Correlation Division. The functions originally a part of the Soil Classification & Correlation Division are incorporated with those of the Soil Survey Operations Division.

The new organization chart for Soil Survey will be distributed to appropriate offices.

The following personnel actions will be effective as of July 29, 1973:

Roy W. Simonson - reassignment to Assistant to Deputy Administrator for Soil Survey from Director, Soil Classification & Correlation Division

Raymond I. Dideriksen - promotion to Director, Land Inventory & Monitoring Division from Assistant Director, Soil Survey Operations Division

Frank J. Carlisle - reassignment to Assistant Director, Soil Survey Investigation Division from Assistant Director, Soil Classification & Correlation Division

Morris E. Austin - reassignment to Soil Survey Operations Division from Soil Classification & Correlation Division

Allen R. Hidlebaugh - reassignment to Assistant Director, Land Inventory & Monitoring Division from Assistant Director, Soil Survey Interpretation Division

Franklin Newhall - reassignment to Soil Survey Investigation Division from Soil Survey Interpretation Division

Armin R. Grunewald - reassignment to Land Inventory & Monitoring Division from Resource Development Division



Outlined below is the new organizational directory for Soil Survey:

Deputy Administrator for Soil Survey. . . . . William M. Johnson  
    Secretary . . . . . Pauline A. Sawyer  
Assistant Deputy Administrator. . . . . Dirk van der Voet  
    Secretary . . . . . Marion E. Hagerty  
Assistant to Deputy Administrator . . . . . Roy W. Simonson

Director, Soil Survey Operations Division . . . . John E. McClelland  
    Secretary . . . . . Miriam H. Plastow  
Assistant for Operations. . . . . Joe W. Kingsbury  
Assistant for Classification & Correlation. . . . Vacant  
Soil Scientist (Hyattsville). . . . . Morris E. Austin  
Soil Scientist (Hyattsville). . . . . Vacant

Director, Soil Survey Interpretation Division . . Lindo J. Bartelli  
    Secretary . . . . . Gail C. Osborne  
Assistant . . . . . Donald E. McCormack  
Assistant . . . . . Keith K. Young

Chief, Soil Survey Publication Staff  
(Hyattsville). . . . . James C. Powell  
Assistant . . . . . William L. Shelton  
Soil Scientist. . . . . John Trach  
Soil Scientist. . . . . William F. Hatfield

Director, Soil Survey Investigations Division . . Klaus W. Flach  
    Secretary . . . . . Carolyn R. Bachman  
Assistant (Hyattsville) . . . . . Frank J. Carlisle, Jr.  
Meteorologist (Hyattsville) . . . . . Frank Newhall

Head, Soil Geography Unit (Hyattsville) . . . . Kenneth T. Ackerson  
    Soil Scientist. . . . . L. LeForrest Miller  
    Geographer. . . . . G. D. Bailey

Head, Soil Data Storage & Retrieval Unit  
(Hyattsville) . . . . . Dwight W. Swanson  
    Soil Scientist. . . . . John A. Thompson

Director, Land Inventory & Monitoring Division. . Raymond I. Dideriksen  
    Secretary . . . . . Margaret P. Edwards  
Assistant . . . . . Allen R. Hidlebaugh  
Soil Scientist. . . . . Armin R. Grunewald  
Remote Sensing Specialist . . . . . Vacant

Director, Cartographic Division . . . . . Jerome A. Gockowski  
    Secretary . . . . . Patricia B. Washington  
Assistant (Hyattsville) . . . . . James L. Jacobson

  
Kenneth E. Grant  
Administrator