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**TITLE 3—THE PRESIDENT**  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER 10631**

**CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES**

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States, and as Commander in Chief of the armed forces of the United States, I hereby prescribe the Code of Conduct for Members of the Armed Forces of the United States which is attached to this order and hereby made a part thereof.

Every member of the armed forces of the United States is expected to measure up to the standards embodied in this Code of Conduct while he is in combat or in captivity. To ensure achievement of these standards, each member of the armed forces liable to capture shall be provided with specific training and instruction designed to better equip him to counter and withstand all enemy efforts against him, and shall be fully instructed as to the behavior and obligations expected of him during combat or captivity.

The Secretary of Defense (and the Secretary of the Treasury with respect to the Coast Guard except when it is serving as part of the Navy) shall take such action as is deemed necessary to implement this order and to disseminate and make the said Code known to all members of the armed forces of the United States.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

THE WHITE HOUSE,  
August 17, 1955.

**CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES**

**I**

I am an American fighting man. I serve in the forces which guard my country and our way of life. I am prepared to give my life in their defense.

**II**

I will never surrender of my own free will. If in command I will never surrender my men while they still have the means to resist.

**III**

If I am captured I will continue to resist by all means available. I will make every effort to escape and aid others to

escape. I will accept neither parole nor special favors from the enemy.

**IV**

If I become a prisoner of war, I will keep faith with my fellow prisoners. I will give no information or take part in any action which might be harmful to my comrades. If I am senior, I will take command. If not, I will obey the lawful orders of those appointed over me and will back them up in every way.

**V**

When questioned, should I become a prisoner of war, I am bound to give only name, rank, service number, and date of birth. I will evade answering further questions to the utmost of my ability. I will make no oral or written statements disloyal to my country and its allies or harmful to their cause.

**VI**

I will never forget that I am an American fighting man, responsible for my actions, and dedicated to the principles which made my country free. I will trust in my God and in the United States of America.

[F. R. Doc. 55-6814; Filed, Aug. 18, 1955; 1:33 p. m.]

**TITLE 5—ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL**

**Chapter I—Civil Service Commission**

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE**

Effective upon publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER, paragraphs (a) (11) and (c) (1) and (2) of section 6.323 are amended as set out below.

§ 6.323 *Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.*

(a) *Office of the Secretary.* \* \* \*  
(11) One Assistant to the Secretary.

(c) *Social Security Administration.*  
(1) Director, Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance.

(2) Director, Bureau of Public Assistance.

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tion of volume regulation would not effectuate the declared policy of the act. Average returns to California producers for 1955 crop dates will not exceed the price level specified in section 2 (1) of the act.

The proposed rule is as follows:

§ 1003.44 *Free and restricted percentages for the 1955-56 crop year.* The free and restricted percentages of mar-

ketable Deglet Noor dates produced in California and available for handling on and after September 1, 1955, of the 1955-56 crop year and until superseded shall be as follows: Free percentage 87.75 and restricted percentage 12.25.

§ 1003.45 *Withholding percentages for 1955-56 crop year.* The withholding percentages of marketable Deglet Noor dates produced in California and avail-

able for handling on and after September 1, 1955, of the 1955-56 crop year and until superseded shall be 14 percent.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 16th day of August 1955.

[SEAL] S. R. SMITH,  
Director,  
Fruit and Vegetable Division.

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## NOTICES

### DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

#### Fiscal Service, Bureau of Accounts

[Dept. Circ. 570, Rev. Apr. 20, 1943, 1955, Supp. 112]

#### SECURITY NATIONAL INSURANCE CO.

##### SURETY COMPANIES ACCEPTABLE ON FEDERAL BONDS

AUGUST 16, 1955.

A Certificate of Authority has been issued by the Secretary of the Treasury to the following company under the Act of Congress approved July 30, 1947, 6 U. S. C. sections 6-13, as an acceptable surety on Federal bonds. An underwriting limitation of \$187,000 has been established for the company. Further details as to the extent and localities with respect to which the company is acceptable as surety on Federal bonds will appear in the next issue of Treasury Department Form 356, copies of which, when issued, may be obtained from the Treasury Department, Bureau of Accounts, Surety Bonds Branch, Washington 25, D. C.

Name of Company, Location of Principal Executive Office and State in Which Incorporated

Texas: Security National Insurance Company, Galveston.

[SEAL] A. N. OVERBY,  
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 55-6785; Filed, Aug. 19, 1955; 8:49 a. m.]

[Dept. Circ. 570, Rev. Apr. 20, 1943, 1955, Supp. 113]

#### SUN INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK

##### CORPORATIONS ACCEPTABLE AS SURETIES ON FEDERAL BONDS

AUGUST 16, 1955.

Sun Indemnity Company of New York, a New York corporation, held a certificate of authority from the Secretary of the Treasury as an acceptable surety on bonds in favor of the United States. Under an Agreement of Merger, approved by the State of New York Insurance Department on June 10, 1955, and effective midnight June 30, 1955, the Patriotic Insurance Company of America, a New York Corporation, and Sun Underwriters Insurance Company of New York, a New York corporation, were merged into Sun Indemnity Company of New York and

the name of the latter was changed to Sun Insurance Company of New York.

The merger and change in the name of the Sun Indemnity Company of New York does not affect its status or liability with respect to any obligations in favor of the United States or in which the United States has an interest, which it may have undertaken pursuant to its authority under the act of Congress approved July 30, 1947 (6 U. S. C. secs. 6-13), to qualify as a sole surety on such obligations.

A Certificate of Authority has been issued to the Sun Insurance Company of New York, effective midnight June 30, 1955, to replace the certificate issued as of May 1, 1955, to the Sun Indemnity Company of New York. An underwriting limitation of \$850,000 has been established for the newly merged company. Hereafter the name of the company will appear as Sun Insurance Company of New York on Treasury Form No. 356, which shows a list of the companies authorized to act as acceptable sureties on bonds in favor of the United States.

Further details as to this merger may be obtained from the Treasury Department, Bureau of Accounts, Surety Bonds Branch, Washington 25, D. C.

[SEAL] A. N. OVERBY,  
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

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### Office of the Secretary

[Treasury Department Order 150-40]

#### COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE

##### DELEGATION OF FUNCTIONS RELATING TO BONDING OF INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE PERSONNEL

By virtue of the authority vested in me by Reorganization Plan No. 26 of 1950, there are transferred to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue the functions of the Secretary of the Treasury under section 7803 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, relating to the bonding of personnel of the Internal Revenue Service.

Whenever any officer or employee of the Internal Revenue Service is covered by a bond obtained by the Internal Revenue Service pursuant to section 7803 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, the Commissioner of Internal Revenue is authorized to terminate the coverage of any existing bond of any such officer

or employee in respect to acts or defaults occurring subsequent to the effective date of the new coverage: *Provided, That nothing herein contained shall apply to the coverage of any bond required by statute or by a regulation which is applicable to officers or employees of the Internal Revenue Service and to other officers and employees of the Executive Branch of the Government.*

Dated: August 16, 1955.

[SEAL] A. N. OVERBY,  
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

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### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

#### Bureau of Land Management

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#### ARIZONA

REVOKING DEPARTMENTAL ORDER OF JULY 10, 1908, WHICH WITHDREW PUBLIC LANDS FOR USE OF FOREST SERVICE AS ROOSEVELT ADMINISTRATIVE SITE

AUGUST 16, 1955.

Upon recommendation of the Department of Agriculture and in accordance with Departmental Order No. 2583, section 2.22 (a) of August 16, 1950, it is ordered as follows:

The order of the First Assistant Secretary of the Interior of July 10, 1908, withdrawing a tract of land described by metes and bounds in sections 20 and 29, T. 4 N., R. 12 E., Gila and Salt River Meridian, containing 157.5 acres, for use of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, as the Roosevelt Administrative Site, is hereby revoked.

The tract, which comprises part of the Tonto National Forest, shall become subject to the public-land laws relating to national forest lands at 10:00 a. m., on the 35th day from the date of this order.

W. G. GUERNSEY,  
Acting Director.

[F. R. Doc. 55-6759; Filed, Aug. 19, 1955; 8:46 a. m.]

### Geological Survey

#### SNAKE RIVER, IDAHO

POWER SITE CLASSIFICATION NO. 435

Pursuant to authority vested in me by the act of March 3, 1879 (20 Stat. 394;