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WHAT IS IT GOOD FOR?

THE PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO ADDRESS SANITARY PHYTOSANITARY AND TECHNICAL BARRIERS THAT PROHIBIT OR THREATEN THE EXPORT OF U.S. SPECIALTY CROPS (ALL CULTIVATED PLANTS-EXCEPT WHEAT, FEED GRAINS, OIL SEEDS, COTTON, RICE, PEANUTS, SUGAR AND TOBACCO)

ALL FUNDS TOTAL \$9,000,000/YR FROM COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION



WHEN TO APPLY

SPRING DEADLINE, THEN ON A ROLLING BASIS IF FUNDS REMAIN
QUICK RESPONSE FUND ANY TIME!

PROJECT LIMIT - 5 AT A TIME
FUNDING LIMIT - \$500K
COST SHARE ENCOURAGED

PROJECTS SHOULD BENEFIT THE INDUSTRY RATHER THAN A SPECIFIC COMPANY OR BRAND
BARRIER REMOVAL WILL PREDOMINATELY BENEFIT U.S. EXPORTS

THE PROPOSAL

AROUND 10 PAGES OR LESS

APPLICANT INFO
BARRIER/PROJECT INFO
TITLE, REQUEST \$
ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION
BUDGET DETAILS
START/END DATES
FUNDED PROJECTS
MUST GO IN U.E.S.

THE REVIEW

FAS CROSS AGENCY AND CROSS DEPT. PLANT HEALTH EXPERTS



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READ IT!



THE AGREEMENT

THE DECISION MEMO IS SIGNED BY FAS ADMINISTRATOR

START DATE (EXPENSES AFTER THIS)

DO THE PROJECT
FILE THE REPORTS!
END DATE

FINAL CLAIM/REPORTS IN 90 DAYS

APPLY AGAIN (UP TO 5 YEARS)

CHANGE BUDGET
CHANGE ACTIVITY

AMENDMENTS
30 DAYS NOTICE FOR MORE TIME

EXPENSES

ELIGIBLE
PRE CLEARANCE EXPORT PROTOCOL & WORK PLAN SUPPORT
SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS
STUDY TOURS, FIELD SURVEYS
PEST LIST DEV., DATABASES
PEST & DISEASE RESEARCH.
LOGISTICAL & ADMIN SUPPORT
TRAVEL & PER DIEM

INELIGIBLE
MARKET RESEARCH
ADVERTISING
PROMOTIONAL EXPENSES

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR SPECIALTY CROPS MIND MAP

REPORT SUCCESSES SO PROGRAM CONTINUES TO BE FUNDED!

SUCCESS STORIES



THE U.S. SYSTEM

ON-LINE
GET E-AUTH ACCOUNT
GET U.E.S. PERMISSIONS
ENTER DATA



FILE REIMBURSEMENT OR ADVANCE REQUESTS



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