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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE

**CERTIFICATION OF OFFSET AND ENTITLEMENT**

(Section 1449 Matching Funds Requirement for Research and Extension Activities at Eligible Institutions)

1890 Land-Grant Institutions

- Section 1444 of the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977 (NARETPA) funds for extension activities
- Section 1445 of NARETPA funds for research activities

1862 Land-Grant Institutions  
in Insular Areas

- Hatch Act funds for research activities (Regular allocation)
- Hatch Act funds for research activities (Multistate Research Funds)
- Section 3(b) and (c) of the Smith Lever Act funds for extension activities

To establish eligibility for allotment of funds for the fiscal year ending September 30,2003 certification is hereby made that the

«School»

\_\_\_\_\_  
[Name of Institution]

Guarantees the sum of \$ «Amount» or \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(Requirement)(Amount Available)

that the funds guaranteed are derived from non-Federal sources listed below and are available and budgeted for expenditure for agricultural research, extension, and education activities in accordance with the provision of the Act cited above.

SOURCES	AMOUNTS
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
Total	\$

It is further certified that the above reported non-Federal funds are in addition to those used in matching other Federal funds; that if any portion of the money thus guaranteed is not received from sources shown above, the institution or institutional unit will either make up this deficiency from other non-Federal sources which may become available or report at the end of the fiscal year 2003 an equivalent unobligated balance of Federal Funds derived from appropriations under the Act above mentioned, which will be deducted from the subsequent year allotment.

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Chief Financial Officer Administrator/Dean/Director

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DateDate