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offer any available technical assistance required to overcome such problems or impediments; and solicit the applicants written response.

(b) The Commission staff may solicit comments on an application from technical specialists, community groups and others, when such advice is needed to fully evaluate the application.

(c) The Commission staff shall forward the application with their recommendation to the Commissioners. The Commissioners may approve applications if they determine that:

(1) The application meets the requirements of this subpart;

(2) The application meets the intent of the Act;

(3) The application fully demonstrates that it will expedite the relocation and resettlement of individuals under the Act and ease the hardship incurred by these individuals or by the Tribes;

(4) The application is compatible with priorities identified by the Commission;

(5) The applicant can carry out the activities described in the application and can maintain proper financial controls on the activities for which financial assistance is requested;

(6) The applicant can and will comply with requirements for Indian preference in employment and training in connection with the administration of the grant, and preference to Indian organizations and Indian owned economic enterprises in the award of subcontracts or subgrants; and

(7) Funds are available.

(d) All applicants shall be notified in writing of the Commission's approval or disapproval of the grant applications.

§ 700.473 Administrative expenditures of the Commission.

The Commission may use funds in an amount not to exceed 5 percent of the funds authorized under this subpart for expenses relating to the administration of the discretionary fund including—

(a) Personnel, whose time is expended directly in support of such administration;

(b) Supplies which are expended directly in support of such administration;

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(c) Contracts, where the work performed is directly related to such administration;

(d) Printing, directly in support of such administration; and

(e) Travel, directly related to such administration.

§ 700.475 Reports.

Reports shall be furnished by any recipient of financial assistance under this subpart, in such manner as may be required by the Commission.

§ 700.477 Administration of financial assistance and recordkeeping requirements.

(a) A State or local government (except an institution of higher education or a hospital since they are governed by paragraph (b) of this section), or the Navajo or Hopi Tribe receiving a grant or cooperative agreement under this subpart shall comply with applicable law including the following requirements—

(1) Office of Management and Budget Circular A-102, entitled "Uniform Administrative Requirements for Grants-in-Aid to State and Local Governments" including attachment C describing recordkeeping requirements; and

(2) Federal Management Circular 74-4 5 CFR part 1310, entitled "Cost Principles Applicable to Grants and Contracts with State and Local Governments."

(b) A nonprofit organization, institution of higher education, or hospital receiving a grant or cooperative agreement under this subpart shall comply with applicable law including the following requirements—

(1) Office of Management and Budget Circular A-110, entitled "Grants and Agreements with Institutions of Higher Education, Hospitals and Other Nonprofit Organizations" including attachment C describing recordkeeping requirements; and

(2) Office of Management and Budget Circular A-122, entitled "Cost Principles for Nonprofit Organizations."

(c) A profit organization receiving a grant or cooperative agreement under this subpart shall comply with applicable law including Federal Procurement Regulations (41 CFR subpart 1-15.2) for