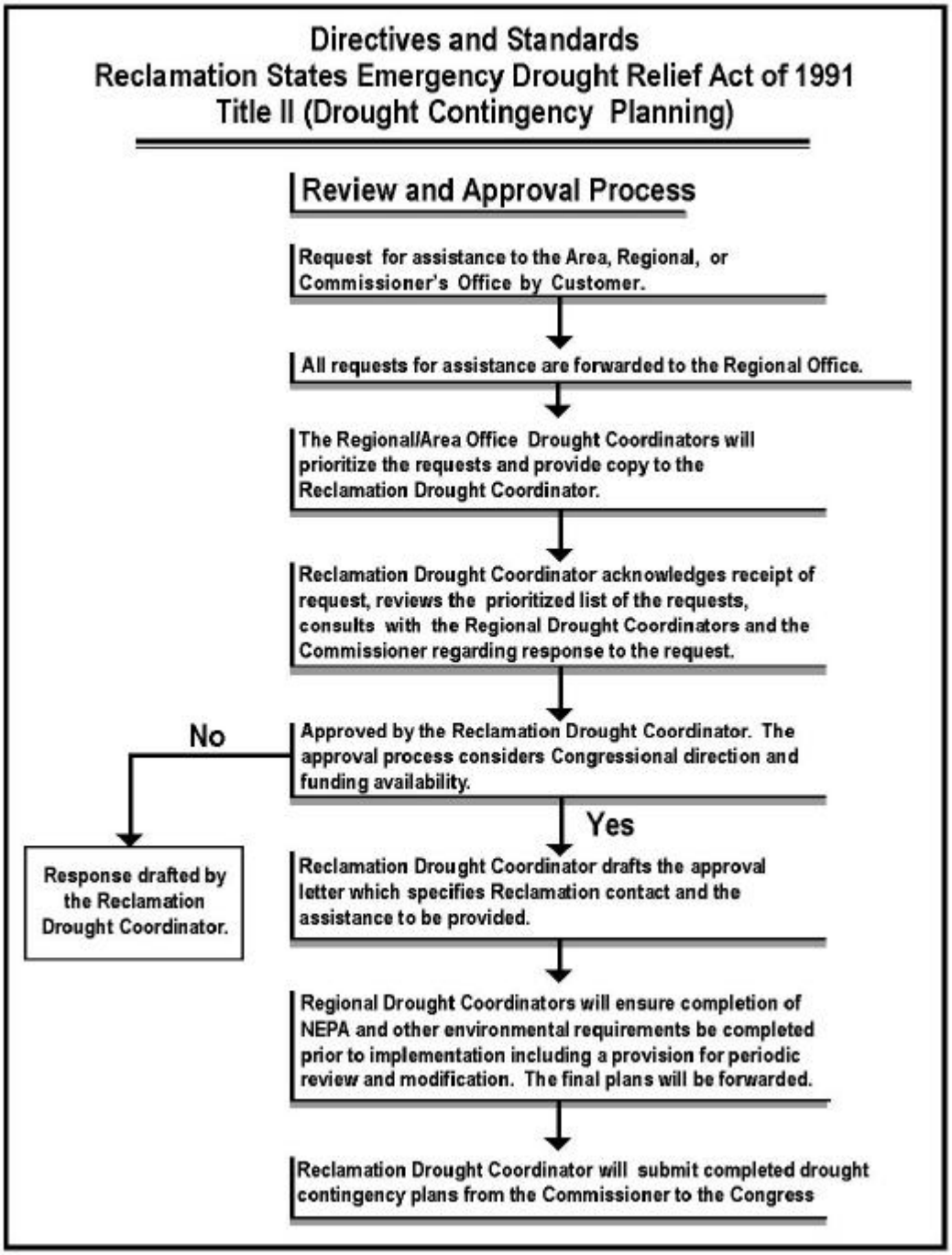
Directives and Standards
Reclamation States Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1991
Title II (Drought Contingency Planning)
Review and Approval Process
Request for assistance to the Area, Regional, or Commissioner's Office by Customer.
All requests for assistance are forwarded to the Regional Office.
The Regional/Area Office Drought Coordinators will prioritize the requests and provide copy to the Reclamation Drought Coordinator.
Reclamation Drought Coordinator acknowledges receipt of request, reviews the prioritized list of the requests, consults with the Regional Drought Coordinators and the Commissioner regarding response to the request.
Approved by the Reclamation Drought Coordinator. The approval process considers Congressional direction and funding availability.
No
Response drafted by the Reclamation Drought Coordinator.
Yes
Reclamation Drought Coordinator drafts the approval letter which specifies Reclamation contact and the assistance to be provided.
Regional Drought Coordinators will ensure completion of NEPA and other environmental requirements be completed prior to implementation including a provision for periodic review and modification. The final plans will be forwarded.
Reclamation Drought Coordinator will submit completed drought contingency plans from the Commissioner to the Congress