

any changes to the levels of production necessary for Board membership for each unit.

Section 1220.201(d) of the Order provides that at the end of each 3-year period, the Secretary must review the volume of production of each unit and adjust the boundaries of any unit and the number of Board members from each such unit as necessary to conform with the criteria set forth in § 1220.201(e): (1) To the extent practicable, States with annual average soybean production of less than 3,000,000 bushels shall be grouped into geographically contiguous units, each of which has a combined production level equal to or greater than 3,000,000 bushels, and each such group shall be entitled to at least one member on the Board; (2) units with at least 3,000,000 bushels, but fewer than 15,000,000 bushels shall be entitled to one Board member; (3) units with 15,000,000

bushels or more but fewer than 70,000,000 bushels shall be entitled to two Board members; (4) units with 70,000,000 bushels or more but fewer than 200,000,000 bushels shall be entitled to three Board members; and (5) units with 200,000,000 bushels or more shall be entitled to four Board members.

Current representation on the Board (62), and the number of geographical units (30), have been based on average production levels for the years 1995–1999 (excluding crops in years that production was the highest and that production was the lowest) as reported by USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).

Proposed representation on the Board (64) is based on average production levels for the years 1998–2002 (excluding crops in years that production was the highest and that production was the lowest) as reported by NASS.

The results of the reapportionment based on the 1998–2002 production levels would be an additional member for Maryland and Michigan. New York would no longer be part of the Eastern Region unit because the State has sufficient soybean production to qualify as a separate State unit with one representative on the Board. New Jersey would lose its only member because the State no longer has sufficient soybean production to be a separate State unit. It is proposed that New Jersey merge with the Eastern Region unit, and be represented on the Board by the Eastern Region's representative. There are no adjustments to the other States or regions.

The number of geographical units would remain at 30. This proposed rule would adjust representation on the Board as follows:

State	1998–2002 Average production level (bushels)	Current representation	Proposed representation
Maryland	16,568,000	1	2
Michigan	74,797,000	2	3
New York	4,503,000	0	1
New Jersey	2,882,000	1	0

Board adjustment as proposed by this rulemaking would be effective with the 2004 nominations and appointments.

List of Subjects in 7 CFR Part 1220

Administrative practice and procedure, Advertising, Agricultural research, Marketing agreements, Soybeans and soybean products, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

For the reasons set forth in the preamble, it is proposed that title 7, part 1220 be amended as follows:

PART 1220—SOYBEAN PROMOTION, RESEARCH, AND CONSUMER INFORMATION

1. The authority citation for 7 CFR part 1220 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 7 U.S.C. 6301–6311.

2. In § 1220.201, the table in paragraph (a) is revised to read as follows:

§ 1220.201 Membership of board.

(a) * * *

Unit	Number of members
Illinois	4
Iowa	4
Minnesota	4

Unit	Number of members	Unit	Number of members
Indiana	4	Western Region (Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Idaho, Utah, Arizona, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, California, Hawaii, and Alaska)	1
Missouri	3	* * * * *	
Ohio	3	Dated: June 11, 2003.	
Arkansas	3	Kenneth C. Clayton,	
Nebraska	3	<i>Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service.</i>	
South Dakota	3	[FR Doc. 03–15270 Filed 6–16–03; 8:45 am]	
Kansas	3	BILLING CODE 3410–02–P	
Michigan	3		
Mississippi	2		
Louisiana	2		
Tennessee	2		
North Carolina	2		
Kentucky	2		
North Dakota	2		
Wisconsin	2		
Maryland	2		
Virginia	1		
Georgia	1		
South Carolina	1		
Alabama	1		
Delaware	1		
Texas	1		
Pennsylvania	1		
Oklahoma	1		
New York	1		
Eastern Region (New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Florida, Rhode Island, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, West Virginia, District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico)	1		

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Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney Canada PT6A–60A and PT6A–65B Turboprop Engines

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