Delegates	Scope of authority

- a. Deputy Commissioner for Operations.
- b. Deputy Commissioner for Programs.
- c. Associate Commissioner and Deputy Associate Commissioner for Retirement and Survivors Insurance and Supplemental Security Income Policy.
- d. Regional Commissioners and Deputy Regional Commissioners.
- e. Assistant Regional Commissioners and Deputy Assistant Regional Commissioners for Program Operations and Systems.
- f. District Managers, Assistant District Managers, Branch Managers, Resident Representatives, Operations Supervisors, Claims Representatives, Field Representatives, Service Representatives and Service Representative/Data Review Technicians.
- g. Teleservice Representatives in Teleservice Centers.
- Debt Specialists and Chiefs, Debt Management Sections, Program Service Centers.
- All positions in the direct line of management above the positions specified in items f., g. and h. above.

a.—i. The incumbents of these positions may exercise authorities 1. and 2. on SSI overpayment cases within the jurisdiction of their respective components, to the extent permitted by their particular functional responsibilities, as specified in their position descriptions or other pertinent issuances.

Conditions

- (1) Further redelegations are not authorized.
- (2) These redelegations do not apply to the handling of any debt claim where there is an indication of fraud, the presentation of a false claim, misrepresentation on the part of the debtor or any other party having an interest in the claim, or conduct in violation of antitrust laws. Such cases are handled by DOJ.
- (3) Decisions to compromise, suspend or terminate collection efforts on cases involving amounts exceeding \$20,000 up to \$100,000, exclusive of interest, are made by the Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner for Operations or the Assistant Regional Commissioners for Program Operations and Systems, while those over \$100,000 are made by DOJ.
- (4) These redelegations must be exercised in accordance with all pertinent provisions of law, regulations, policies, procedures, operating instructions and other requirements.

The above revised redelegations are effective on the date they are published in the **Federal Register** and replace those previous redelegations approved by the Commissioner on November 29, 1988 and published in the **Federal Register** on December 14, 1988 (53 FR 50300–50301). I affirm and ratify any actions by the above delegates which may constitute the exercise of any of the subject authorities before the date these revised redelegations are published in the **Federal Register**.

Shirley S. Chater,

Commissioner of Social Security. [FR Doc. 95–2252 Filed 1–30–95; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4190–29–M

Published Social Security Acquiescence Rulings

AGENCY: Social Security Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of published Social Security acquiescence rulings.

SUMMARY: Social Security Acquiescence Rulings (ARs) explain the manner in which the Social Security Administration (SSA) applies holdings of the United States Courts of Appeals that conflict with SSA's interpretation of a provision of the Social Security Act (the Act) or regulations when adjudicating claims under title II and title XVI of the Act and part B of the Black Lung Benefits Act. This notice lists ARs and rescissions of ARs that were published in the **Federal Register** from January 11, 1990, through December 31, 1994. The purpose of this notice is to assist individuals in finding ARs.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Even though we are not required to do so pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(1) and (a)(2), SSA's regulations were amended on January 11, 1990, to provide that ARs are to be published in their entirety in the **Federal Register** under authority of the Commissioner of Social Security (20 CFR 422.406(b)(2)). An AR explains how SSA will apply a holding of a United States Court of Appeals that is at variance with SSA's interpretation of the Act or regulations in adjudicating claims under title II and title XVI of the Act and part B of the Black Lung Benefits Act.

Although regulations and ARs are published in the **Federal Register**, only the regulations are subsequently

published in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). The CFR is a codification of the general and permanent rules published in the **Federal Register** by the Executive departments and agencies of the Federal Government. Consequently, the CFR may not state the circuitwide standard in effect when we have determined that the holding in a decision of a United States Court of Appeals is at variance with our national interpretation. Therefore, we are publishing this listing to assist individuals who need to reference ARs in effect as a result of holdings of the United States Courts of Appeals.

If an AR is later rescinded as obsolete, we will publish a notice in the **Federal Register** to that effect, as provided for in 20 CFR 404.985(e), 410.670c(e), or 416.1485(e). If we decide to relitigate an issue covered by an AR, as provided for by 20 CFR 404.985(c), 410.670c(c), or 416.1485(c), we will publish a notice in the Federal Register stating that we will apply our interpretation and not the standard expressed in the AR, and explain why we have decided to relitigate the issue. In either of these situations, we will include the information in notices of published ARs such as this one.

This notice contains a listing of all ARs published under the requirements of 20 CFR 422.406(b)(2) during the period January 11, 1990, through December 31, 1994. The listing includes the AR number, title, publication date and the **Federal Register** reference number. This notice also lists ARs which were rescinded during this period. We anticipate publishing a notice each year that will list similar information.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Programs Nos. 93.802 Social Security-Disability Insurance; 93.803 Social Security-Retirement Insurance; 93.805 Social Security-