3. History

Special mortgage insurance for elderly housing projects was first provided by amendment to section 207 in 1956. However effective attainment of the objectives of these amendments was limited by requirement of the 207 program that units be designed for family living. Therefore, section 231 was added to the National Housing Act in 1959 to provide a program specifically adapted to the specialized need.

As of August 1965 more than 35,000 units of rental housing had been insured under the program.

- 4. Level of operations. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
- 5. Estimated magnitude of program in 1970. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
- 6. Prospective changes in program orientation. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
- 7. Coordination and cooperation. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
- 8. Laws and regulations. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
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- 9. Economic effects. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)
- 10. Economic classification of program expenditures. (See general answer covering all FHA programs.)

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4. Level of operations. (See table 1.)

Program: FHA insurance operations. (Covers all FHA programs discussed in preceding sections.)

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