## Ad Hoc Computer Committee Report September 9, 1991

The meeting opened with a brief history of the specification and selection process which occurred at last convention. A discussion of the contract with G.A. Sullivan Consultants was then initiated. Two items were added to the contract for writing the software; USMS is to have access to G.A. Sullivan's proprietary libraries used to develop our software and G.A. Sullivan's championship meet support which includes all of the functions currently handled by Digicomp. The negotiations over these two items delayed the final signing of the contract by approximately seven months.

Progress on the registration portion was then discussed. It is approximately 70% complete. It was recommended that the LMSC registrars use the existing program to start the 1992 registration year. A discussion of the manual then followed. G. A. Sullivan will provide a manual which USMS has the ability to edit in order to add information which we are probably better suited to describe. It was suggested that an Appendix explaining the conversion from the old and the new programs as well as the differences between the two be added to the manual.

Two items for addition to the contract were discussed. The addition of postal bar code on the mailing labels in order to lower postage costs was discussed. No conclusions were achieved. The continuation of the project with the addition of an interface to electronic timing systems. The committee decided to request \$7000 for building the interface. This project will not be initiated until the original three modules are completed and accepted by USMS. The Colorado 4000 system followed by the Omega systems will be done in that order.

Additional new business included that USMS operate an electronic bulletin board. Significant interest among those attending the meeting was noted. The bulletin board would be used for the exchange of meet information and entry forms, places to swim, and exchange of information about Masters Swimming possibly including input from coaches. The committee then indicated that they wished to budget for the purchase of a computer and the installation of the phone line.

Respectfully submitted

Leo Letendre,

For the Committee

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