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# **REASON FOR ISSUANCE**

This handbook provides the official FCIC approved form standards and procedures for use in the sale and service of any eligible Federal crop insurance policy; required statements and disclosures; and the standards for submission and review of non-reinsured supplemental policies in accordance with the Standard Reinsurance Agreement for the 2018 and succeeding crop years.

## SUMMARY OF CHANGES

The chart below identifies significant changes or modifications from prior issuances of the DSSH. Minor changes and corrections are not included in this listing. Affected forms must be modified to include these changes by January 31, 2018 and are effective for policies with a contract change date for the 2018 and succeeding crop years for crops with a contract change date of November 30, 2017 or later.

REFERENCE	DESCRIPTION OF ADDITIONS, DELETIONS, CHANGES OR C LARIFICATIONS
Para. 506 and	Updated Conservation Compliance Exception for Persons who began
Exhibit 7	Farming.
Exhibit 24	Changed RI - Removed Legal Description, Acreage Type, and Area
	Classification.
Exhibit 40	Added CUPS (YC) to Required Signature Note.
Exhibit 45 and 48	"Crops grown primarily for: □ Fresh Market □ Processor □ Juice
	Market" and "Describe record keeping system (i.e., processing, fresh
	market, roadside, u-pick):" were removed.
Exhibit 51	Modified Hybrid Seed Yield Request – Added Crop, Type, and Practice &
	Removed Address Information.
Exhibit 52	Modified and updated the Irrigated Practice Guidelines.

## **CONTROL CHART**

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Remove				June 2017	FCIC 24040
Insert				December 2017	FCIC 24040-01

## FILING INSTRUCTIONS

This directive is effective on the date issued and will remain in effect until superseded or slip-sheeted. RMA will amend this directive to administer programs reinsured by FCIC under authority of the Federal Crop Insurance Act, 7 U.S.C. 1502 et. seq. FCIC-24040 Document and Supplemental Standards Handbook issued June 14, 2017 are superseded by this directive.

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# PART 1 GENERAL INFORMATION AND RESPONSIBILITIES

# 1 General Information

# A. Purpose

The FCIC is a wholly-owned government corporation established by the Federal Crop Insurance Act, 7 U.S.C. 150. Its purpose is to promote the national welfare by improving the economic stability of agriculture through a sound system of crop insurance and providing the means for the research and experience helpful in devising and establishing insurance. RMA is charged with regulation and oversight of the Act and the administration of the crop insurance program on behalf of FCIC.

This handbook provides the official FCIC approved standards and procedures for use in the sale and service of any eligible crop insurance policy; required statements and disclosures; and the standards for submission and review of non-reinsured supplemental policies in accordance with the Standard Reinsurance Agreement for the 2018 and succeeding crop years.

# **B.** Source of Authority

Federal programs enacted by Congress and the regulations and policies developed by RMA, USDA, and other Federal agencies provide the authority for program and administrative operations; and basis for RMA directives. Administration of the Federal crop insurance program is authorized by the following.

- (1) The Federal Crop Insurance Act, 7 U.S.C. 1501
- (2) The Food Security Act of 1985, 16 U.S.C. 3801 et seq.
- (3) Controlled Substance Act of 1970, 21 U.S.C. 801 et seq.
- (4) Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C.653a
- (5) Privacy Act of 1974, 7 U.S.C. 552a
- (6) Freedom to E-File Act, P.L. 106-222
- (7) 7 CFR part 400
- (8) 7 CFR part 12
- (9) Standard Reinsurance Agreement

# C. Related Procedural Handbooks or Directives

The following table provides directives closely related to this handbook. However, other RMA approved handbooks may refer to this handbook and be applicable.

HANDBOOK/ DIRECTIVE	RELATION/PURPOSE
Appendix III	Standards, instructions, and information for electronic data reporting of policyholder, commodity, and other information submitted by AIPs as required by the SRA, LPRA, or other policy and procedure.
СІН	Provides the official FCIC-issued underwriting standards for policies covered under the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions and Area Risk Protection Insurance, including the Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement and Supplemental Coverage Option; and the Actual Production History Regulation G.
GSH	Provides the official FCIC approved standards for policies administered by AIPs under the General Administrative Regulations, 7 CFR Part 400; Common Crop Insurance Policy Regulations, Basic Provisions, 7 CFR Part 457 including the Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement, 7 CFR Part 402 and the Actual Production History Regulation 7 CFR Part 400 Subpart G; the Area Risk Protection Insurance Regulations, 7 CFR Part 407; Stacked Income Protection Plan; the Rainfall and Vegetative Indices; and the Whole Farm Revenue Protection Pilot Policy.
ITS	Provides instructions for administration of the ineligible tracking system.
LAM	Identifies loss adjustment standards and requirements for determining production or revenue and adjusting crop insurance claims.
NUG	Provides instructions for administration of the nursery crop provisions.
RI/VI	Procedures and information for administering the RI/VI plans of insurance.
STAX	Procedures for administering STAX (cotton only).
WAH	Provides standards and instructions for handling of actuarial change requests and WAs.
WFRP	Provides information, procedures, and instructions for administering WFRP.

# **D.** Procedural Issuance Authority

This handbook is written and maintained by:

Office of Deputy Administrator for Product Management Product Administration and Standards Division USDA—Risk Management Agency Beacon Facility—Mail Stop 0812 P.O. Box 419205 Kansas City, MO 64141-6205

For applicable RMA Regional or Compliance office contacts referenced throughout this handbook, refer to <a href="http://www.rma.usda.gov/aboutrma/fields/">http://www.rma.usda.gov/aboutrma/fields/</a>.

# 1 General Information (Continued)

# **E.** Procedural Questions

Questions regarding form standards and procedures must be directed to the RMA Product Administration and Standards Division, Underwriting Standards Branch using the address in sub-paragraph D above.

# 2 AIP Responsibilities

AIPs must develop documents in accordance with RMA standards and other RMA form standard issuances. Upon request, each AIP must provide documents, document completion instructions, and applicable computation results to the RMA or any other USDA oversight agency for review of compliance with these and other RMA form standards.

# 3 RMA Responsibilities

The RMA must establish and maintain the DSSH to provide the minimum form standards for the applicable crop insurance documents and provide guidance and clarification to the AIP as requested.

# 4 Acronyms and Definitions

Refer to the General Standards Handbook for applicable acronyms and definitions.

# 5 Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

The USDA prohibits discrimination against its customers. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 provides that "No person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity receiving Federal financial assistance." Therefore, programs and activities that receive Federal financial assistance must operate in a non-discriminatory manner. Also, a recipient of RMA funding may not retaliate against any person because he or she opposed an unlawful practice or policy, or made charges, testified or participated in a complaint under Title VI.

It is the AIPs' responsibility to ensure that standards, procedures, methods and instructions, as authorized by FCIC in the sale and service of crop insurance contracts, are implemented in a manner compliant with Title VI. Information regarding Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the program discrimination complaint process is available on the RMA public website at <a href="http://www.rma.usda.gov/aboutrma/civilrights/complaint.html">http://www.rma.usda.gov/aboutrma/civilrights/complaint.html</a>.

See Para. 503 for information about the RMA Non-Discrimination Statement.

# 6 The Privacy Act of 1974

The Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. § 552a (Privacy Act), establishes a code of fair information practices that governs the collection, maintenance, use, and dissemination of information about individuals that is maintained in systems of records by federal agencies. A system of records is a group of records under the control of an agency from which information is retrieved by the name of the individual or by some identifier assigned to the individual.

In accordance with the Privacy Act, the Risk Management Agency is authorized by the Federal Crop Insurance Act or other Acts, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, to solicit the information requested on documents established by RMA, or by AIPs, that have been approved by the FCIC, to deliver Federal crop insurance. The information is necessary for AIPs and RMA to operate the Federal crop insurance program, determine program eligibility, conduct statistical analysis, and ensure program integrity.

See Para. 501 for information about the RMA Privacy Act statement.

## 7 Freedom to E-File

The Freedom to E-File Act, P.L. 106-222, requires the USDA to establish an electronic filing and retrieval system to enable producers to file paperwork electronically with USDA.

#### A. General Information

- (1) Section 5 of the Freedom to E-File Act required FCIC to develop a plan which would allow agriculture producers:
  - (a) To obtain, over the internet, from AIPs, all forms and other information concerning the program under the jurisdiction of FCIC in which the producer is a participant;
  - (b) To file electronically all paperwork required for participation in the program; and
  - (c) To have the option to file electronically, or in paper form in accordance to the Freedom to E-File Act; Section 3(b).
- (2) AIPs are required to comply with the Freedom to E-File Act and provide electronic accessibility to producers.
  - (a) AIPs are required to establish an E-Business Implementation Plan (EBIP).
  - (b) The EBIP requires an established back-up system to the primary system or the facility where information is housed to ensure computer failure does not deny access to records.
  - (c) AIPs must meet these requirements prior to approval for an SRA.

# **7** Freedom to E-File (Continued)

# **B.** Generated Electronic Forms

Electronic forms must be generated in accordance with the standards contained in this handbook, other applicable RMA standards and in accordance with the AIP established EBIP.

# 8-200 (Reserved)

# PART 2 NON-REINSURED SUPPLEMENTAL CROP INSURANCE POLICIES

# **201** General Information

NRS crop policies provide additional coverage, other than coverage for losses related to hail, to a policy or plan of insurance that is reinsured by FCIC.

# **202 Submission Requirements**

To submit a NRS crop policy three complete hard copies, or an electronic copy in a format approved by RMA, of the new or revised policy and related material must be provided to RMA, including any policies previously approved by RMA that are changed in any manner, and all non-reinsured supplemental policies as required under the SRA. All documents must be edited, checked for spelling, and be in final form. RMA will not specifically review documents for spelling, grammar, punctuation, formatting, etc.

NRS policies must be submitted no later than 120 days prior to the first SCD. Submissions may be sent electronically at <u>directorpdd@rma.gov</u>, or by mail to:

Office of the Deputy Administrator for Product Management Product Administration and Standards Division USDA—Risk Management Agency Beacon Facility—Mail Stop 0812 P.O. Box 419205 Kansas City, MO 64141-6205

# **203** Review of NRS Crop Insurance Policies

The AIP shall not sell a contract of insurance or similar instrument, which is written in conjunction with an eligible crop insurance contract, unless it has complied with the requirements of 7 C.F.R. 400.713. FCIC will not provide reinsurance for an eligible crop insurance contract if the AIP sold a contract or similar instrument that FCIC determines to have shifted risk to, or increases the risk, reduces or limits the rights of the insured with respect to the underlying policy or causes disruption in the market place of, such eligible insurance contract reinsured under the SRA. RMA shall review supplemental policies to determine that it is not likely to increase or shift risk to the underlying policy or plan of insurance, reduce or limit the rights of insureds, or cause market disruption.

- (1) RMA's PASD will have 75 days to review the policies, provided all information required by RMA is included in the initial submission of the policy package.
- (2) The AIP must maintain and make available at the request of FCIC, the underwriting information pertaining to a non-reinsured supplemental contract or similar instrument of insurance, including the policy number and all SSNs, EINs, or RMA assigned number(s) related to the eligible crop insurance contract.

#### **204-300** (Reserved)

# PART 3 FORM STANDARDS OPERATING POLICY

# 301 Form Development

AIPs are to control and develop all forms in accordance with RMA established policies and procedures. The agent, contractor, or AIP representative is not permitted to develop any form for use within policies administered by the AIP under the authority of FCIC, unless authorized by the AIP. The AIP must meet the standards that are set forth in the policies, options and endorsements as issued by RMA.

Standards contained in this handbook are not applicable to AIP administrative forms that do not affect the policy provisions, such as a form for the direct deposit of an insured's indemnity. AIPs may develop additional forms based upon their internal needs, such as electronic transfer of funds.

Form standards not contained in the DSSH may be in other RMA handbooks such as: the Crop Loss Adjustment Standards Handbooks, Written Agreement Handbook, and other applicable issuances approved by RMA. Section 508(h) private product submissions, or pilot programs approved by the FCIC Board of Directors may also specify form standards. Any forms developed in accordance with form standards from other directives must also adhere to the DSSH Part 3 and Part 4, as applicable.

## 302 Substantive v. Non-Substantive

Form standards are required to contain all items identified as "Substantive" unless not authorized by a specific policy. See the exhibits to this handbook for specific form requirements. Form standards provided in other handbooks are considered "Substantive" unless otherwise noted. Items identified as "Non-Substantive", are not required, but are recommended forms standards that may be included on the form at the AIPs discretion.

## 303 Combined Form Standards

AIPs, at their election, may combine two or more forms. If two or more forms issued are combined into one form, the combined form must meet the applicable standards in place for each individual form.

#### 304 Signatures

If a form requires a signature to be obtained, that signature must be a pen and ink signature and in the hand of the person whose signature is required or an acceptable electronic (digital) signature in accordance with the AIPs established EBIP. Rubber or similar signature stamps are not acceptable. Refer to the GSH for more information regarding signatures and signature authority.

If multiple forms have been combined into one form, but the information reported by the insured is collected at different times, a signature must be obtained at the time of collection from the insured consistent with the signature guidelines required for each form.

The AIP has the discretion of using "printed name", "name", or some other variation on a form where a signature and a printed name is substantive.

## 305 Interest Rates

Any form standards containing an interest rate for unpaid payment amounts cannot be higher than the rates provided in the 7 CFR 457.8 sections 24 and 26.

# **306** Required Statements

Unless otherwise indicated, required statements pertain to all insurance policies administered under the SRA, not only to those standards that appear in this handbook. All required statements must appear verbatim on the AIP generated form unless otherwise noted. See Parts 5 and 6 for applicable required statements and disclosures.

If a person refuses to acknowledge required statements, then the AIP representative should annotate such refusal; affix the AIP Representative's printed name and signature, the time, and date to the form where such statement(s) have been refused.

# <u>307-400 (Reserved)</u>

# PART 4 GENERAL FORM STANDARDS

#### 401 Form Style

## A. Format

Form standard item entries may be formatted as line entries, column headings, boxes, tables, or blocks, as appropriate. Headings for form entries may be abbreviated, provided an explanation is included in the form completion instructions. It is at the AIP's discretion whether the required headings are column headings or row headings.

#### **B.** Form Title

The Form Title and a Form Identification Number (alpha and/or numeric) must be on all forms. The Form Identification Number is to be developed according to the internal procedures of the AIP.

#### C. Font Size

The text for all documents should be developed with an 8-point font size when possible; however, font size shall not be less than 6-point. This will assist the applicants/insureds in reading documents presented to them.

# D. Page Numbering

If multiple pages are required for a particular form each page must be numbered as follows:

# E. Required Statements

If a statement is on the back of the form, add "See Reverse Side for Required Statements", or other similar reference, on the front of the form.

# **402 Identification Numbers**

Identification numbers include Social Security Number (SSN), Employer Identification Number (EIN) or RMA Assigned Number (RAN).

## **A. Form Completion Instructions**

Form completion instructions must:

- (1) Provide instruction to enter the appropriate identification number;
- (2) Provide instruction to enter the correct identification number type; and
- (3) Provide the applicant/insured the opportunity to verify that their reported identification number is correct.

# **402** Identification Number (Continued)

# **B.** Masking

Masking, also called "truncating", results in the 9 digit identification number being displayed as XXXXX1234, XX-XXX1234, XXX-XX-1234, or other variation on AIP generated forms for security.

AIPs must mask the identification number on AIP generated forms containing an identification number. This includes, but is not limited to, forms generated for such purposes as loss adjustment and underwriting reviews. Identification number must not be masked when reported by the person providing the identification number.

AIP must provide unmasked data when a Policy Transfer/Application from one AIP to another AIP to verify correct policy information.

If the identification number is unmasked in order to provide the applicant/insured an opportunity to verify whether the identification number, or to assist in a transfer, is true and accurate, the AIP must employ a method of protecting such number.

# C. Identification Number Type on Forms

Must contain the following, check one:	
□ SSN □ EIN □ RMA Assigned Number	

AIPs may use an alternate format for allowing the identification number type provided all identification number types are present (SSN/EIN/RAN).

# 403 Person Types

Form completion procedures must provide instructions to enter the specific person type, not the SRA Appendix III entity type code. This entry is verified for accuracy during applicable RMA, USDA oversight agencies, or AIP reviews, and during loss adjustment. See Part 2 of the GSH for person type descriptions and see also SRA Appendix III for applicable entity type codes.

## **404** Substantial Beneficial Interest Holder

For persons with a substantial beneficial interest in the insured as identified on the application: the person type, identification number and identification number type is required on each individual form unless it is collected on the Social Security Number and Employee Identification Number Reporting form. See Exhibit 23.

# 405 Agent/Loss Adjuster Code

If an AIP assigns a code for its agent or loss adjuster, that code is "Substantive". The assigned code number cannot be the individual's SSN or a variation thereof. The code number is required to be completed on the applicable form, as follows:

I.B. Agent 06/01/2017	12RMA34
(Agent's Signature) (Date)	(Code Number)

# **406** State and County Name

The entry for "State and County" must be the state and county name where insurance attaches. Form completion procedures must provide this information.

# **407 AIP Name and Address**

AIP's full name and address as specified in the SRA. The AIP may select item (1) or (2) to fulfill this "substantive" requirement where required on an individual form:

- (1) Provide the AIP's name and address with the policy or policy jacket at time of issue; or
- (2) Provide the AIP's full name and address on all forms.

**Note:** This exception does not circumvent the requirement for the Agent's company name and address to be provided where indicated on the form as substantive.

## 408 Street and/or Mailing Address

"Street and/or Mailing Address" are substantive items as indicated by the applicable form standard. When the street and mailing addresses are different, only the mailing address is the required entry.

## 409 City, State, Zip Code

"City", "State", "Zip Code" are substantive items as indicated by the applicable form standard when these items or the form requires "Street and/or Mailing Address". The AIP has discretion of whether to add these items as independent form entries or provide instruction that the "Street and/or Mailing address" form entry includes the "city, state, and zip code" as appropriate.

## 410 Added County Election

Guidelines to administer this election are found in the GSH. If AIPs elect to include this option on the application, one or both of the following statements must appear on the application as "Substantive": "□ Yes □ No I request insurance coverage for my share of the Category B crops (except forage production) specified below with a designated county in all added counties where the crops are insurable.  $\square$  Yes  $\square$  No I request insurance coverage for my share of the Category B crops (except forage production) specified below with a designated county in all added counties within the state where the crops are insurable. If your designated plan of insurance, level of coverage or price is not available in the added county, coverage will be provided through the Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement, if the crop is insurable in the actuarial documents for an added county." 411 Landlord/Tenant Insuring Other's Share Insuring a landlord/tenant is on a policy basis. The form must clearly state the tenant will insure the landlord's share or landlord will insure the tenant's share. Form completion instructions must provide an explanation of the landlord/tenant insuring the other's share and must require evidence of the non-insuring party's approval. AIPs may use the alternate language with the form's completion instructions providing explanations. Guidelines are found in the GSH. Suggested formats (Substantive): "Is applicant insuring the tenant's share?" "Yes □ No □" "Is applicant insuring the landlord's share?" "Yes □ No  $\square$ "; or, "In addition to my share on this policy, I am insuring: ☐ My landlord's share. I am providing a Power of Attorney or Lease Agreement as evidence of my authority to insure their share" ☐ My tenant's share under my crop policy. I am providing a Power of Attorney or Lease

(3) Enter statement in the Remarks section that landlord/tenant is insuring the other's share under the crop policy.

Agreement as evidence of my authority to insure their share". (Substantive); or,

## 412 Price Election

When Price Election appears on the application, it must be clearly indicated if "Additional Price or Established Price" is elected.

Price Election may be shown as "Price times Price Election Percentage", or in aggregate. If shown in aggregate, form completion standards must explain "Price times Price Election Percentage".

# 413 Options, Elections, or Endorsements

The policy may authorize options, elections and endorsements that require an insured to elect, add, exclude or otherwise modify coverage. If a form is specifically developed for (or a form is specifically modified to capture) an option, election or endorsement, it must be used by the AIP.

Otherwise, AIPs must use the following forms for an insured to elect, add, exclude or otherwise modify coverage:

- (a) Required on or before the SCD, AIPs must use the Application or the Policy Change form.
- (b) Required on or before the ARD or PRD, AIPs must use the Policy Change form.

## 414 Actuarial Fields

The actuarial documents and RMA processing systems include the following subfields under Type and Practice:

- (1) Type (Substantive)
  - (a) Commodity Type (Non-Substantive)
  - (b) Class (Non-Substantive)
  - (c) Subclass (Non-Substantive)
  - (d) Intended Use (Non-Substantive)
- (2) Practice (Substantive)
  - (a) Irrigation Practice (Non-Substantive)
  - (b) Cropping Practice (Non-Substantive)
  - (c) Organic Practice (Non-Substantive)
  - (d) Interval (Non-Substantive)

AIPs may add the additional fields to the applicable forms requiring the Type/Practice information; however, this is a non-substantive requirement. If AIPs choose to include these on the applicable form, the Type/Practice information must be developed to reflect the following:

ТҮРЕ			PRACTICE				
COMMODITY TYPE	CLASS	SUBCLASS	INTENDED USE	IRRIGATION PRACTICE	CROPPING PRACTICE	ORGANIC PRACTICE	INTERVAL

# 415-500 (Reserved)

# PART 5 GENERAL REQUIRED STATEMENTS AND DISCLOSURES

# 501 RMA Privacy Act Statement - Collection of Information and Data

The Privacy Act prohibits the disclosure of protected information absent the written consent of the individual. The Privacy Act statement is required for agents, loss adjusters and policyholders. This statement must be included on any form the person signs and a copy maintained by the AIP.

Protected information includes, but is not limited to, any personally identifiable information about a policyholder, agent, or loss adjuster; and information about the policyholder's farming operation or insurance policy. Such information is generally acquired from the policyholder, agent or loss adjuster, USDA, the Comprehensive Information Management System, or the insured's previous or current approved insurance provider or agent that is protected from disclosure by the Privacy Act, section 502(c) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (Act), or any other applicable statute. This includes all hard copy or electronic information. See also, Para. 603

If the Privacy Act statement is provided as a separate document, evidence of receipt of this statement must be shown by securing the signature of applicant/insured/agent/loss adjuster and the date at the time of collection. This process must be completed for each document that requires the Privacy Act statement. The AIP must be able to substantiate the statement was provided in accordance with the Privacy Act. If the AIP can substantiate with legal sufficiency the insured received and acknowledged these required statements by an alternative method, then such method is acceptable. See Exhibit 3.

# **502 RMA Certification Statement**

The Certification Statement must be included on any form that the person signs which collects information from the person, such as the application, acreage report, etc. The certification statement is not applicable to appraisal worksheets. See Exhibit 2.

If a form standards contain a modified certification statement, such as the Individual Conflict of Interest Disclosure, this certification statement is not required, unless otherwise noted by the form standards.

# **503** RMA Non-Discrimination Statement

It is the AIPs' responsibility to ensure that standards, procedures, methods and instructions, as authorized by FCIC in the sale and service of crop insurance contracts, are implemented in a manner compliant with Title VI. The Non-discrimination Statement must be included on any form the person signs or provided to the person on a separate form in which the person signs and a copy maintained by the AIP. Additionally, applicable AIP marketing materials must also include a non-discrimination statement. Refer to Exhibit 4 for the Non-Discrimination Statements. The RMA and USDA Non-Discrimination Statement is available on the RMA public website at:

- (1) RMA Non-Discrimination Statement: <a href="http://www.rma.usda.gov/web/nondiscrim.html">http://www.rma.usda.gov/web/nondiscrim.html</a>
- (2) Office of Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights: <a href="https://www.usda.gov/non-discrimination-statement">https://www.usda.gov/non-discrimination-statement</a>

# PART 5 GENERAL REQUIRED STATEMENTS AND DISCLOSURES

# 504 USDA Multiple Benefit Statement

AIPs must include the Multiple Benefit Statement on the acreage report. See Exhibit 5.

### 505 Native Sod

AIPs must provide the Native Sod Statement to insureds in the states of Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, and South Dakota, on or before the ARD for the current crop year. See Exhibit 6.

# **506** Conservation Compliance – Exception

A person (individual or legal entity) that began farming for the first time during the reinsurance year, must sign the applicable conservation compliance certification statement to be eligible for this one-time exception.

The certification statement must be signed by the later of the premium billing date or 60 days after a transfer is approved for transferees who are the beneficiaries of a Transfer of Coverage and Right to Indemnity or because of death, disappearance, or determined judicially incompetent.

The AIP must advise the insured that in order to qualify for the exemption, the insured is required to sign one of the applicable conservation compliance certification statements to qualify for the exemption. AIPs must maintain the signed certification statement in accordance with SRA record retention requirements.

## **507** Conditions of Acceptance Statement

The application is accepted and insurance attaches in accordance with the policy unless:

- (1) FCIC determines that, in accordance with the regulations, the risk is excessive;
- (2) Any material fact is omitted, concealed, or misrepresented in the application or in the submission of the application;
- (3) The applicant failed to provide complete and accurate information required by the application; or
- (4) An affirmative answer to any question appearing on the Conditions of Acceptance form.

# **508-600 (Reserved)**

# PART 6 AIP REQUIRED STATEMENTS AND DISCLOSURES

# **601** Anti-Rebating Certification Statement

In accordance with section 508(a)(9) of the Act and the SRA, a company and its affiliates are prohibited from providing a rebate, except as authorized in section 508(a)(9)(B). For more information regarding rebates, contact RMA Reinsurance Services Division.

The Anti-Rebating Certification is an individual certification of the applicant/insured and the agent required at the time liability is established. This certification is required for each crop year for the crop or crops contained on the application associated with the policy number. Furthermore, the agent is the agent who accepts and signs the applicable form in which liability is established. The time liability is established is the time specified by the applicable policy, e.g., at acreage reporting time. See Exhibit 9.

# 602 Covenant Not to Sue Statement (Covenant)

As defined in Section 1 of the SRA, before an agent is allowed to act on behalf of an AIP with respect to the sales or service of eligible crop insurance contracts, the AIP must obtain from such agent the written acknowledgement referred to in Section III(a) of the SRA.

If the agent fails to sign written acknowledgement to the Covenant by the deadline, any policies sold or serviced by such agent will be denied reinsurance by RMA. Exhibit 10 provides an example of the Covenant for use by the AIP, or any other Covenant utilized by the AIP which meets the standards required by Section III(a) of the SRA is acceptable.

# A. Incorporation

To the extent that an AIP has contracts with individual agents, the Covenant Not to Sue Statement (Covenant) must be incorporated into or appended to such contracts. If written acknowledgement was incorporated or appended to an agency contract covering multiple agents, it does not meet the requirement of Section III(a)(2)(K) of the SRA, unless such acknowledgement is signed individually by each agent within the agency.

The AIP is not required to certify to RMA that it has obtained written acknowledgement from each agent. However, AIPs will be required to provide RMA a copy of such acknowledgement for any agent upon request.

## **B.** Prior RY Covenant Acknowledgements

If existing Covenant acknowledgements executed in previous RYs did not have specific references, or any other terminology that would limit its effect to the previous RY only, such acknowledgement may be considered effective for future RYs.

However, if existing acknowledgements of the Covenant have a RY limitation, then a new acknowledgement without the RY limitation must be executed by the agent. If an agent executes, or has previously executed an acknowledgement of the Covenant with no date limitation, then no other acknowledgement is needed as long as the executed acknowledgement is provided to each AIP for which the agent acts.

#### A. AIP Annual Certification for Affiliates/Contractors

AIPs must notify contractors and affiliates regarding the requirement that all persons employed by or having a contract with the contractor or affiliate must have a signed NDS prior to obtaining access to Protected Information. By April 1 prior to the start of the reinsurance year, an AIP must obtain an Annual Certification from each of its contractors and affiliates certifying the respective contractor or affiliate has obtained a NDS from each person who has access to any Protected Information and who is employed by or has a contract with the contractor or the affiliate.

The certification must be signed and witnessed by an officer of the affiliate or contractor. The following statement must accompany the AIP Annual Certification to RMA:

"I hereby certify that [INSERT THE NAME OF THE AFFILIATE OR CONTRACTOR] has reviewed its files and, as of [INSERT DATE REVIEW WAS COMPLETED], all employees or other persons having access to Protected Information have signed a non-disclosure statement."

#### B. AIP Annual Certification to RMA

Annual Certification is required to ensure any new employee or other person having access to Protected Information has signed and executed a NDS. The AIP must provide an Annual Certification to RMA:

- (1) A NDS exists from all persons who have access to any Protected Information and who are employed by or have a contract with the AIP; and
- (2) In the case of persons employed by a contractor or affiliate, has obtained a certification from the contractor or affiliate that they have obtained a NDS from their employees with access to Protected Information.

The following certification must be signed by an officer of the AIP:

"I hereby certify that [INSERT AIP NAME] has reviewed its files and as of [INSERT DATE REVIEW WAS COMPLETED], all employees or other persons having access to Protected Information have signed a non-disclosure statement and all affiliates and contractors have certified that their employees and other persons having access to Protected Information have signed non-disclosure statements."

The AIP must provide this certification with the annual Plan of Operations, which is due no later than April 1 prior to the start of the reinsurance year and sent to:

Director, Reinsurance Services Division USDA/Risk Management Agency 1400 Independence Avenue SW Stop 0804 Washington, DC 20250-0804

# **B.** AIP Annual Certification to RMA (continued)

AIPs and their contractors and affiliates may use electronic versions of the NDS form which incorporates either a digital signature or an authentication system to properly identify the submitter. Electronic records of signed or authenticated NDS's must be retained by the respective AIP, contractor, or affiliate and be available for inspection. Additionally Para. 402 applies. See also Exhibit 11.

# C. Individual Certification

All persons who have executed an acceptable NDS will be provided access to Protected Information. If a person employed by or having a contract with the AIP has previously executed a NDS with another AIP, that person must:

- (1) Either submit a copy of the original NDS to the AIP; or
- (2) Sign and submit a new NDS to the current AIP.

If a new NDS is properly executed the original NDS with the previous AIP is nullified. The AIP must maintain copies of all such NDSs and make the documents available for inspection.

## 604 Conflict of Interest (COI) Disclosure Statements

All agents, loss adjusters, employees, and affiliates must submit an executed Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statement by the earliest applicable acreage reporting date. Any changes to a disclosure statement previously submitted in accordance with these procedures must be submitted within 15 days of entering a relationship requiring disclosure.

For each reinsurance year after the first disclosure, the form may contain a statement that allows the discloser to certify that no previously disclosed information has changed from the information contained in the previous year's disclosure. At the AIPs discretion, the COI may include additional information. When a revised COI is released or issued by RMA, all agents, loss adjusters, employees, and affiliates must submit a new COI in accordance with the terms and conditions of the newly issued statement.

When a claim is filed, the eligible crop insurance contracts associated with the discloser must be identified and the AIP must ensure that the mandatory reviews indicated on the conflict of interest reports provided by RMA are conducted. Agents are not permitted to assist the adjustor or assist the insured in any manner regarding preparation of the claim, including without limitation, providing production by unit for use in completing the MPCI claim forms. The agent is prohibited from accompanying the loss adjustor to the field during MPCI claim activities. Elective reviews may be conducted by the AIP on other business, financial, legal, or familial relationships not identified on the conflict of interest reports provided by RMA. The chart provides a general reference guide.

DISCLOSER IS AN AGENT			
Positive Responses to Questions in Disclosure	Prohibited Activity		
Discloser performs both agent and loss adjustment activities, possibly for different AIPs.	AIP must ensure the Agent does NOT perform loss adjustment activities in same or adjoining counties as those in which the agent performs sales activities, <u>regardless</u> of whether contracted with the AIP or another AIP.		
Discloser has a share in a crop insured under any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.		
Discloser has a relative with a substantial beneficial interest in any insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.		
Discloser has power of attorney to act on behalf of an insured or is an authorized representative of an insured on any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	The agent shall NOT perform those tasks in the loss adjustment process on behalf of an insured that are prohibited as specified by the GSH and SRA.		
Discloser has an ownership interest in a business (excluding stock in public corporations or entities in which the discloser owns less than a ten percent interest) with any insured by the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.		

DISCLOSER IS AN AGENT				
Positive Responses to Questions in Disclosure	Prohibited Activity			
Discloser has a rental or leasing arrangement for land, buildings, or equipment with any insured.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			
Discloser is an owner/operator of a business or a commission based employee of a business, that provides goods or services related to farming operations (custom farming, tractor sales, etc., but excluding insurance services) for which the discloser receives revenue as the owner/operator or a direct commission as an employee with respect to any insured whose policy the discloser services for the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			
Discloser is an owner/operator of a business or a commission based employee of a business, that provides goods or services not related to farming operations, excluding insurance services, for which the discloser receives revenue as the owner/operator or direct commission as an employee with respect to any insured whose policy the discloser services for the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			
Discloser is a financial institution employee and part of the approval decision-making process of financial arrangements for any insured by the AIP.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			
Discloser has an agent compensation, barter, or financial arrangement (excluding those reported under question 8. above) with any insured by the Company.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			
Discloser has a business, familial, financial, or legal relationship that has not been identified above with any insured by the Company.	Sales agents, owners or employees of sales agencies, sales supervisors, or any relative of the same shall not be involved in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data associated with any crop insurance policy written by such person.			

DISCLOSER IS AN ADJUSTER				
Positive Responses to Questions in Disclosure	Prohibited Activity			
Discloser performs both agent and loss adjustment activities, possibly for different AIPs.	AIP must ensure the Adjuster does NOT perform loss adjustment activities in same or adjoining counties as those in which the adjuster performs sales activities, <u>regardless</u> of whether contracted with the AIP or another AIP.			
Discloser has a share in a crop insured under any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a relative with a substantial beneficial interest in any insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has power of attorney to act on behalf of an insured or is an authorized representative of an insured on any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has an ownership interest in a business (excluding stock in public corporations or entities in which the discloser owns less than a ten percent interest) with any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a rental or leasing arrangement for land, buildings, or equipment with any insured.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser is an owner/operator of a business or a commission based employee of a business, that provides goods or services related to farming operations (custom farming, tractor sales, etc., but excluding insurance services) for which the discloser receives revenue as the owner/operator or a direct commission as an employee with respect to any insured whose policy the discloser services for the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser is a financial institution employee and part of the approval decision-making process of financial arrangements for any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a business, familial, financial, or legal relationship that has not been identified above with any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a relative who works with the Federal crop insurance program for the AIP or any of its affiliates.	Prohibited from conducting any loss adjustment activity on the associated crop insurance policy.			

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DISCLOSER IS AN EMPLOYEE WHO PERFORMS UNDERWRITING OR LOSS ADJUSTMENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE AIP				
Positive Responses to Questions in Disclosure	Prohibited Activity			
Discloser performs both agent and loss adjustment activities, possibly for different AIPs.	AIP must ensure the Employee does NOT perform both sales and loss adjustment activities in same or adjoining counties, regardless of whether contracted with the AIP or another AIP. The agent is not permitted to assist the adjustor or the insured in preparation of a claim. The agent is prohibited from accompanying the loss adjuster to the field during claim activities.			
Discloser has a share in a crop insured under any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a relative with a SBI in any insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has power of attorney to act on behalf of an insured or is an authorized representative of an insured on any eligible crop insurance policy insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has an ownership interest in a business (excluding stock in public corporations or entities in which the discloser owns less than a ten percent interest) with any insured.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a rental or leasing arrangement for land, buildings, or equipment with any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			

DISCLOSER IS AN EMPLOYEE WHO PERFORMS UNDERWRITING OR LOSS ADJUSTMENT ACTIVITIES FOR THE AIP				
Positive Responses to Questions in Disclosure	Prohibited Activity			
Discloser is an owner/operator of a business or a commission based employee of a business, that provides goods or services related to farming operations (custom farming, tractor sales, etc., but excluding insurance services) for which the discloser receives revenue as the owner/operator or a direct commission as an employee with respect to any insured whose policy the discloser services for the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser is an owner/operator of a business or a commission based employee of a business, that provides goods or services not related to farming operations, excluding insurance services, for which the discloser receives revenue as the owner/operator or direct commission as an employee with respect to any insured whose policy the discloser services for the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser is a financial institution employee and part of the approval decision-making process of financial arrangements for any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has an agent compensation, barter, or financial arrangement (excluding those reported under question 8. above) with any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a business, familial, financial, or legal relationship that has not been identified above with any insured by the AIP.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			
Discloser has a relative who works with the Federal crop insurance program for the AIP or any of its affiliates.	Prohibited from involvement in the acceptance and verification of underwriting data or processing and verification of claim data on the associated crop insurance policy.			

#### A. General Information

Section 508(a)(10) of the Act prohibits an individual from receiving compensation for the sale and service of a policy or plan of insurance, if the total compensation to be paid to the individual for policies in which the individual or an immediate family member has a substantial beneficial interest exceeds 30 percent of the total compensation for the sale and service of all policies or plans of insurance under the Act, or a lesser percentage, if the respective State has a lower limit for controlled business. Immediate Family Member is defined in the GSH.

AIPs must ensure that all individuals, including subagents, receiving compensation (including any salary commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit) for the sales and service of FCIC policies or plans of insurance through the AIP or any AIP affiliated entity have timely access to the certification form and have had a reasonable opportunity to complete and return the form to the AIP prior to 90 days following the annual settlement date for the reinsurance year. All certifications are to be retained by the AIP or its affiliate and not sent to RMA.

AIPs may use electronic versions of the certification forms that incorporate either a digital signature or an authentication system to properly identify the submitter. Electronic records of signed or authenticated certification forms must be retained by the respective AIP and be available for inspection.

If an AIP began collecting certification using procedures that differ from those below, the AIP must notify Reinsurance Services Division at the address listed in Para. 605E below.

# B. Compensation More than 30 Percent –Immediate Family Policies

If the amount of compensation to which the individual is entitled under its contract with the AIP or affiliate would result in the agent receiving more that 30 percent from immediate family polices, the individual is in violation of section 508(a)(10). An individual in violation cannot:

- (1) Pay back an amount necessary to be in compliance;
- (2) Defer payments to determine whether they will violate the provision; or
- (3) Take any other action to adjust the individual's compensation owed under the contract with the AIP or affiliate.

An individual in violation of section 508(a)(10) will be subject to disqualification and civil fines under the procedures implementing section 515(h) of the Act, and any other procedures approved by RMA implementing section 515(h). The gravity of the violation by the individual will determine whether a sanction is imposed and if so, the type and amount.

#### C. Individual Annual Certification to AIP or Affiliate

An individual subject to the certification requirement of the Act must submit an annual certification to each AIP with which he or she has an affiliation or from which he or she has received compensation; however, certification concerns the aggregate of all direct and indirect compensation from all AIPs with which the individual may have an affiliation.

**Example:** An agent may write FCIC policies for three AIPs, but have family members with substantial beneficial interests in policies written with one of the AIPs. Such an agent would be required to answer affirmatively to receiving compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit) for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which the agent's immediate family member has a substantially beneficial interest.

# D. Salary and Compensation.

Salary compensation must not be treated differently than commission or the percentage of compensation received from policies. Salary compensation shall be determined by:

- (1) Dividing the individual's salary by the total amount of premium written by the individual;
- (2) Multiplying the result of (1) by the amount of total premium from the policies in which the individual and any immediate family member(s) have a substantially beneficial interest; and
- (3) Dividing the results of (2) by the total premium written by the individual.

## E. Controlled Business Notification to RMA

Within 120 days following the annual settlement date for the reinsurance year, AIPs must notify RMA, from among all individuals who have received compensation (including any commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit) for the sales and service of an FCIC policy or plan of insurance, any specific individuals who either:

- (1) Have not certified to the AIP by properly completing and returning a signed form to the AIP for the reinsurance year; or
- (2) Have answered affirmatively to receiving compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which the individual or the individual's immediate family member have a substantial beneficial interest.

# 605 Annual Controlled Business Certification (Continued)

# E. Controlled Business Notification to RMA (continued)

This notification must be directed to:

Director, RMA/Reinsurance Services Division 1400 Independence Ave SW Room 6741-S, Stop 0804 Washington D.C. 20250-0804

# F. Individual Controlled Business Certification

If the AIP is collecting all of the Individual Controlled Business Certification, the AIP must certify to RMA that it has collected all forms from those individuals required to submit an Individual Controlled Business Certification.

# G. Affiliate Controlled Business Certification

An Affiliate Controlled Business Certification is required if an affiliate is responsible for collecting the individual certifications on behalf for the AIP. The AIP is not required to obtain a copy of the individual certifications if they have received the affiliate certification form for those individuals. The affiliate must retain the individual certifications for which they are certifying receipt.

## **606-700 (Reserved)**

# **Condition of Acceptance:**

This application is accepted and insurance attaches in accordance with the policy unless: (1) The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation determines that, in accordance with the regulations, the risk is excessive; (2) any material fact is omitted, concealed or misrepresented in this application or in the submission of this application; (3) you have failed to provide complete and accurate information required by this application; or (4) the answer to any of the following questions is "yes." An answer of "yes" to these questions does not automatically result in rejection of the application. For example, if you answer "yes" to question (a) but your debt was discharged in bankruptcy; the application would not be rejected.

Yes	No		
		(a)	Are you now indebted and the debt is delinquent for insurance coverage under the Federal Crop Insurance Act?
		(b)	Have you in the last five years been convicted under federal or state law of planting, cultivating, growing, producing, harvesting, or storing a controlled substance?
		(c)	Have you ever had insurance coverage under the authority of the Federal Crop Insurance Act terminated for violation of the terms of the contract or regulations, or for failure to pay your delinquent debt?
		(d)	Are you disqualified or debarred under the Federal Crop Insurance Act, the regulations of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, or the United States Department of Agriculture?
		(e)	Have you ever entered into an agreement with the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation or with the Department of Justice that you would refrain from participating in programs under the authority of the Federal Crop Insurance Act and that agreement is still effective?
		(f)	Do you have like insurance on any of the above crop(s)?
termin	nated e prov	for in	t if coverage for any crop is currently terminated or would have subsequently adebtedness had this application been filed after the termination date, no coverage and I am ineligible for any benefits under the Federal Crop Insurance Act until the ation is corrected.

We will notify you of rejection by depositing notification in the United States mail, postage paid, to the applicant's address. Unless rejected or the sales closing date has passed at the time you signed this application, insurance shall be in effect for the crop(s) and crop years specified and shall continue for each succeeding crop year, unless otherwise specified in the policy, until canceled, terminated or voided. The insurance contract, which includes the accepted application, is defined in the regulation published at 7 CFR chapter IV. No term or condition of the contract shall be waived or changed unless such waiver or change is expressly allowed by the contract and is in writing.

**Note:** For RI/VI Applications Only, remove the following statement: "The insurance contract, which includes the accepted application, is defined in the regulation published at 7 CFR chapter IV."

#### **Certification Statement**

I certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief all of the information on this form is correct. I also understand that failure to report completely and accurately may result in sanctions under my policy, including but not limited to voidance of the policy, and in criminal or civil penalties (18 U.S.C. §1006 and §1014; 7 U.S.C. §1506; 31 U.S.C. §3729, §3730 and any other applicable federal statutes).

# <u>Collection of Information and Data Statement – Privacy Act for Agents, Loss Adjusters, and Policyholders</u>

The following statements are made in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a): The Risk Management Agency (RMA) is authorized by the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1501-1524) or other Acts, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, to solicit the information requested on documents established by RMA or by approved insurance providers (AIPs) that have been approved by the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) to deliver Federal crop insurance. The information is necessary for AIPs and RMA to operate the Federal crop insurance program, determine program eligibility, conduct statistical analysis, and ensure program integrity. Information provided herein may be furnished to other Federal, State, or local agencies, as required or permitted by law, law enforcement agencies, courts or adjudicative bodies, foreign agencies, magistrate, administrative tribunal, AIP's contractors and cooperators, Comprehensive Information Management System (CIMS), congressional offices, or entities under contract with RMA. For insurance agents, certain information may also be disclosed to the public to assist interested individuals in locating agents in a particular area. Disclosure of the information requested is voluntary. However, failure to correctly report the requested information may result in the rejection of this document by the AIP or RMA in accordance with the Standard Reinsurance Agreement between the AIP and FCIC, Federal regulations, or RMAapproved procedures and the denial of program eligibility or benefits derived therefrom. Also, failure to provide true and correct information may result in civil suit or criminal prosecution and the assessment of penalties or pursuit of other remedies.

#### A. Forms - Non-Discrimination Statement

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.)

#### To File a Program Complaint

If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at <a href="https://www.ascr.usda.gov/ad-3027-usda-program-discrimination-complaint-form">https://www.ascr.usda.gov/ad-3027-usda-program-discrimination-complaint-form</a>, or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter by mail to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at program.intake@usda.gov.

#### Persons with Disabilities

Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities and wish to file either an EEO or program complaint please contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339 or (800) 845-6136 (in Spanish).

Persons with disabilities, who wish to file a program complaint, please see information above on how to contact the Department by mail directly or by email. If you require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g., Braille, large print, audiotape, etc.) please contact USDA's TARGET Center at (202) 720-2600 (voice and TDD).

#### B. AIP Marketing Materials – Non-Discrimination Statement

"This institution is an equal opportunity provider" or "[AIP NAME] is an equal opportunity provider. The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities).

**Exception:** If the literature is too small to accommodate the statement in B above, the AIP may use, "[T]his institution is an equal opportunity provider" or "[AIP NAME] is an equal opportunity provider."

#### **USDA Multiple Benefit Certification Statement**

I understand that obtaining multiple Federal benefits for the same loss, such as a Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) payment(s) and a Federal crop insurance indemnity, is prohibited by law. I certify that I have, or will disclose any other USDA benefit; including any NAP benefit, received for this crop. Failure to disclose the receipt of multiple Federal benefits, or failure to repay one of the multiple Federal benefits such as either the NAP benefit or the Federal crop insurance indemnity for the same crop, may result in my being disqualified from receiving Federal crop insurance benefits, as well as being ineligible for various programs administered by the Farm Service Agency for up to five (5) years.

#### **Native Sod**

I understand that if I till native sod acreage, I will be assessed a reduction in yield guarantee and premium subsidy, these reductions apply in the crop year that my total native sod acreage tilled exceeds 5 acres in the county (cumulated across crops and crop years), and these reduction in benefits may be retroactively applied within a crop year.

For the purposes of the conservation compliance statements, "farmed" means engaging in farming activities as an owner, operator, tenant, or sharecropper and excludes others who do not meet these requirements such as persons who solely participated in a farming operation as laborers or equipment operators. Information about identifying and transmitting data regarding persons who meet this exception is available in Appendix III.

1	General In	formation	
A		Insured Name"	Substantive
В	"Policy Nur		Substantive
C	"Agent's Na		Substantive
D	"Agent Cod		Substantive
E	"Crop Year	,	Substantive
F	"Check One □A □ B □ C	calact any statement that is anniverable the nerson must only	may Substantive/ select Non-
2	Conservat	on Compliance Statements	
	applicable r	ng statement applies to either an individual that has not previously farreinsurance year or a legal entity in which none the SBIs of the legal entity that applicable reinsurance year.  "By signing below, I certify that:  I (name of individual or name of legal entity), hereafter referred the policyholder, began farming for the first time on (month and 20;	d to as
A	Statement A	The policyholder, if an individual, had no interest, as an individual legal entity, in any land or commodity subject to the Highly Er Land Conservation (HELC) or Wetland Conservation provisions prior to the date contained in paragraph (1);  The policyholder, if a legal entity, has no substantial ben interest holders, as defined in section 1 of the Common Insurance Policy Basic Provisions (7 C.F.R. § 457.8), that for prior to the date contained in paragraph (1);  The policyholder had no substantial beneficial interest, as defined in 7 CFR Part 400, in any person who was subject to the HELC of provisions prior to the date contained in paragraph (1);	rodible (WC)  deficial Crop Farmed  and in Substantive
		(5) The policyholder understands the Risk Management Agency a Farm Service Agency may review historical records to determine participation in any USDA program or prior interest in any crop or person that was subject to the HELC or WC provisions.  The policyholder understands that if this certification is determined.	ermine y land, ;; ined to
		be false, the policyholder will be subject to sanctions under the pincluding but not limited to voidance of the policy, an policyholder may be subject to criminal or civil penalties (18 § 1006 and §1014; 7 U.S.C. §1506; 31 U.S.C. §3729, §3730 an other applicable Federal statutes)."	nd the U.S.C.

2	Conservati	on Compliance Statements (continued)
		The following statement applies to a newly formed legal entity in which at least one of the SBIs of the legal entity has farmed preceding the applicable reinsurance year. For a newly formed legal entity to qualify for this exception, the legal entity must have been created for legitimate businesses purposes.
		"By signing below, I, (name of individual), on behalf of (name of legal entity), hereafter referred to as the policyholder, certify that:
		At least one substantial beneficial interest holder, as defined in section 1 of the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions (7 C.F.R. § 457.8), in the legal entity has farmed prior to signing this certification;
		(2) The policyholder began farming for the first time on (month and day), 20;
В	Statement B	The policyholder was organized as a legal entity such as a joint venture, partnership, corporation, etc., for legitimate business reasons such that its assets and liabilities generate economic value regardless of USDA program benefits, and not to avoid legal mandates regarding USDA program benefits including, but not limited to, Highly Erodible Land Conservation (HELC) or Wetland Conservation (WC) provisions;
		(4) The policyholder understands the Risk Management Agency and the Farm Service Agency may review historical records to determine prior participation in any USDA program or prior interest in any land, crop or person that was subject to the HELC or WC provisions; and
		The policyholder understands that if this certification is determined to be false, the policyholder will be subject to sanctions under the policy(s), including but not limited to voidance of the policy(s), and the policyholder may be subject to criminal or civil penalties (18 U.S.C. §1006 and §1014; 7 U.S.C. §1506; 31 U.S.C. §3729, §3730 and any other applicable Federal statutes)

2	2 Conservation Compliance Statements (continued)					
		The following statement applies to either an individual or legal entity that has never participated in a USDA benefit program subject to the HELC or WC provisions, did not participate in Federal crop insurance in the 2015 or subsequent reinsurance years as applicable, and has no prior interest in land subject to HELC or WC provisions. In addition, the person cannot have an SBI or be an SBI who participated in Federal crop insurance in the 2015 or subsequent reinsurance years, or in any other USDA benefit program(s) subject to the HELC or WC provisions. Persons who received notification from the Risk Management Agency or the Farm Service Agency that form AD-1026 may not be on file with USDA are not eligible for this exception				
		"By signing below, I certify that:				
		(1) I (name of individual or name of legal entity), hereafter referred to as the policyholder, have never participated in any USDA benefit program(s) subject to the Highly Erodible Land Conservation (HELC) or Wetland Conservation (WC) provisions;				
		The policyholder has not participated in the Federal crop insurance program in the 2015, or subsequent reinsurance years prior to signing this certification;				
	Statement C	The policyholder, if an individual, had no prior interest, as an individual or legal entity, in any land or commodity subject to the HELC or WC provisions;	Substantive			
С		The policyholder has no substantial beneficial interest holder, as defined in section 1 of the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions (7 C.F.R. § 457.8) who participated in the Federal crop insurance program in the 2015 or subsequent reinsurance years prior to signing this certification, or in any other USDA benefit program(s) subject to the HELC or WC provisions prior to signing this certification;				
		The policyholder had no substantial beneficial interest, as defined in section 1 of the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions (7 C.F.R. § 457.8), in any person who participated in Federal crop insurance in the 2015 or subsequent reinsurance years prior to signing this certification, or who was subject to the HELC or WC provisions prior to signing this certification;				
		The policyholder has not received notification from the Risk Management Agency or the Farm Service Agency that form AD- 1026 may not be on file with USDA certifying compliance with the highly erodible land conservation HELC and WC provisions;				
		(7) The policyholder understands the Risk Management Agency and the Farm Service Agency may review historical records to determine prior participation in any USDA program(s), including Federal crop insurance, or prior interest in any land, crop or person who participated in Federal crop insurance or who was subject to the HELC or WC provisions; and				

2	Conservati	on Compliance Statements (continued)		
C	Statement C	The policyholder understands that if this certification is to be false, the policyholder will be subject to sanctions policy, including but not limited to voidance of the policyholder may be subject to criminal or civil penaltic §1006 and §1014; 7 U.S.C. §1506; 31 U.S.C. §3729, §3 other applicable Federal statutes)."	s under the cy, and the es (18 U.S.C.	Substantive
D	Statement D	The following statement applies to an individual (including a may or may not have been part of another legal entity engage preceding the applicable reinsurance year, who was an SB1 to a subject to the HELC or WC provisions, but who was no complete an AD-1026 by FSA as an affiliated person on or beginning of the reinsurance year. Persons who received notified may not be on file with USDA are not eligible for this emby signing below, I certify that:  (1) I (name of individual), hereafter referred to as the policy of farming as an individual for the first time on (month and the policyholder has, or has previously held, a substant interest, as defined in 7 CFR Part 400, in a person who we the HELC or WC provisions prior to the date contained (1), but was not previously required to sign form AD-10. The policyholder has not participated in the Federal croprogram as a primary insured in the 2015 reinsurance years as applicable, prior to sign certification;  The policyholder has not received notification from Management Agency or the Farm Service Agency the 1026 may not be on file with USDA certifying complishighly erodible land conservation HELC and WC provisions prior participation in any USDA program or prior interest crop or person that was subject to the HELC or WC provisions to be false, the policyholder will be subject to sanctic policy, including but not limited to voidance of the policyholder may be subject to criminal or civil penaltic \$1006 and \$1014; 7 U.S.C. \$1506; 31 U.S.C. \$3729, \$1006.	ed in farming a policyholder to required to required to required to reprior to the diffication from that form AD-exception.  Tholder, begand day), 20; tial beneficial was subject to a in paragraph 026; up insurance ear, or ming this to determine the to determine to determine to determine to determine the to determine the to determine the to determine the total in any land, ovisions; and its determined ons under the olicy, and the es (18 U.S.C.	Substantive
		other applicable Federal statutes)."	·	
3		ignature and Statement	T	
A	* *	sured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive
В	Privacy Act S		Exhibit 3	Substantive
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		Substantive	

## **Request for Administrative Reinstatement**

This form is to be completed by the ineligible person requesting reinstatement and submitted to the Approved Insurance Provider.

1 1	Appli	cant Information			
A	"Nar	ne of Person Requesting Reinstatement"		Substantive	
В	"Inel	ligible Person's Identification Number"		Substantive	
C	"Inel		Substantive		
D	"Inel	ligible Person's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive	
E	"City	y and State"		Substantive	
F	"Zip	Code"		Substantive	
G	"Inel	ligible Person's Telephone Number"		Substantive	
Н	"Stat	te and County"		Substantive	
I	"Poli	icy Number(s), if applicable"		Substantive	
J	"Insu	ured's Identification Number (if not the same as	the ineligible person)"	Substantive	
K	"Inst	ured's Identification Number Type (if not the sai	me as the ineligible person)"	Substantive	
2 ]	Reque	est Information			
A		p Year Reinstatement is Requested"		Substantive	
В		"Unavoidable or Unforeseen Event:"  "Weather Event"  "Medical Event"  "Other"  "Active Duty in U.S. Military"  "Failure to include All Amounts Due"  "Transposed Amount"	Note: Non-Substantive	Substantive	
		"7-day Transit Period"			
C	"I hereby request reinstatement of my policy. I understand that if my policy is reinstated I must adhere to all applicable policy provisions and I have paid any amounts due for the policy (ies) in which I requested reinstatement.  Note: Allow space for the Requestor to initial this statement.				
D	"Statement of why reinstatement should be granted including explanation of the circumstances which lead to your failure to pay your debt(s) timely. You must include facts that are relevant to the request and which can be substantiated further by the documentation provided with this request."				
E	I have attached the following documents:"  Note: Allow space to include a list of supporting documentation			Substantive	

3 1	3 Required Statements					
A	"If my policy is reinstated, I agree to present my reinstatement letter to my insurance provider and purchase the policy (ies) I have requested by the due date that will be established in my reinstatement letter.  I understand that failure to purchase the policies for which I have requested will result in my reinstatement being rescinded. In addition, I understand that the coverage provided under the reinstated policy will use the same plan of insurance, coverage levels, endorsements and options I had prior to termination, provided that I continue to meet all eligibility requirements and comply with the terms of the policy, and there is no preliminary evidence of misrepresentation or fraud."	Note: Insert the following statement above the Requestor's signature line. Allow space for the Requestor to initial this statement.		Substantive		
В	"I certify that [INSERT NAME OF REQUESTOR] has met all other program requirements under the authority of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (the Act) with the exception of being listed as ineligible. In addition, we certify that the reinstated policy will maintain all the same coverage levels and fund designation and comply with the terms of the policy, and there is no preliminary evidence of misrepresentation or fraud.	<b>Note:</b> Insert the following statement above AIP representative's signature line.		Substantive		
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive		
С	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive		
4 ]	Required Signatures					
A	"Requestor's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive		
В	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"					
С	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Street and/or Mailing Address"					
D	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Telephone Number"					
E	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature, and Date	<b>Note:</b> Provide instrusignature is to be obtained Requestor is not the I	ained if the	Substantive		

## **Anti-Rebating Certification**

The AIP has the discretion of developing either a combined certification for the applicant/insured and the agent or one form for the applicant/insured and one for the agent. The standards below reflect a combined form. See paragraph 601 for more information regarding this certification.

Ge	General Information					
A	"Applicant/Insured Na	me"	Substantive			
В	"Policy Number"		Substantive Substantive			
C	"Agent's Name"	-				
D	"Agent Code Number"		Substantive			
E	"Crop Year"		Substantive			
An	ti-Rebating Statemen	t(s)	T			
A	Applicant/Insured Statement	"I certify, for the crop year indicated, that I have not directly or indirectly received, accepted, or been paid, offered, promised, or given any benefit, including money, goods, or services for which payment is usually made, rebate, discount, abatement, credit, or reduction of premium, or any other valuable consideration, as an inducement to procure insurance or in exchange for purchasing this insurance policy after it has been procured. I understand that this prohibition does not include payment of administrative fees, performance based discounts, and any other payment approved by FCIC that are authorized under sections 508(a)(9)(B) and 508(d)(3) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (Act) (7 U.S.C. §§ 1508(a)(9)(B) and 1508(d)(3)). I understand that a false certification or failure to completely and accurately report any information on this form may subject me, and any person with a substantial beneficial interest in me, to sanctions, including but not limited to, criminal and civil penalties and administrative sanctions in accordance with section 515(h) of the Act (7 U.S.C. §1515(h)) and all other applicable federal statutes."	Substantive			
В	Agent Statement	"I certify, for the crop year indicated, that I have neither offered nor promised, directly or indirectly, any benefit, including money, goods, or services for which payment is usually made, rebate, discount, credit, reduction of premium, or any other valuable consideration to this person either as an inducement to procure insurance or in exchange for obtaining insurance after it has been procured. I understand that this prohibition does not include payment of administrative fees, performance based discounts, and any other payment approved by FCIC that are authorized under sections 508(a)(9)(B) and 508(d)(3) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (Act) (7 U.S.C. §§ 1508(a)(9)(B) and 1508(d)(3)). I understand that a false certification or failure to completely and accurately report any violation may subject me, and all agencies/companies I represent, to sanctions, including but not limited, to criminal and civil penalties and administrative sanctions in accordance with section 515(h) of the Act (7 USC §1515(h)) and all other applicable federal statutes."	Substantive			

# Anti-Rebating Certification (Continued)

Re	Required Signature						
A	A "Applicant/Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date" Substantive						
В	3 "Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date" Substantive						
Re	Required Statements						
A	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive				
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive				

#### **Covenant Not to Sue**

"Section III(a)(2)(K) of the Standard Reinsurance Agreement ("SRA") obligates us, [INSERT COMPANY NAME], to covenant not to sue the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Risk Management Agency, United States Department of Agriculture, or any officer, agent, or director thereof (collectively, "FCIC") in any judicial or administrative proceeding, or not to assist any third party that has instituted or filed any such proceeding, challenging the legality of the terms and conditions of the SRA Section III(a). Section III(a)(2)(K) also obligates us [Insert name of the Company] to obtain the following acknowledgement from you.

I agree to be and am bound by the above-stated covenant not to sue given to FCIC by you [INSERT COMPANY NAME] regarding the terms and conditions of Section III(a)."

1	General Information		
A	<ul> <li>"[INSERT COMPANY NAME] hereby agrees that it shall keepublish, use or disclose to any individual or entity, either direct Protected Information, except that it may:</li> <li>(1) Use such information as necessary to perform its duties Reinsurance Agreement, and in accordance with applicathe Risk Management Agency or the Federal Crop Insur</li> <li>(2) Disclose, or provide authorization to receive, such Proteits affiliates, employees or contractors who need such in performance of their duties and who have signed an Indistatement or who are employed by an entity that has cerhave signed Individual Non-Disclosure Statements; and</li> <li>(3) Disclose Protected Information pursuant to a subpoena, rule, regulation or other similar requirement (a "Legal R notice of such Legal Requirement shall be provided to the prior to its disclosure so they may seek an appropriate prappropriate remedy or waive compliance with the provise.</li> </ul>	under the Standard ble procedures issued by ance Corporation; cted Information only to formation in the vidual Non-Disclosure tified that its employees court order, statute, law, equirement"). Prompt he affected policyholders cotective order or other	Substantive
В	[INSERT COMPANY NAME] further agrees that it shall kee and hard copy Protected Information.	ep secure all electronic	Substantive
C	[INSERT COMPANY NAME] agrees that the obligation to sany Protected Information shall continue in perpetuity. Howe during which records are required to be retained under the Sta Agreement has ended, Protected Information may be properly destroyed.	Substantive	
D	[INSERT COMPANY NAME] certifies that it shall adhere to rules provided by RMA in handling USDA information and s		Substantive
E	[INSERT COMPANY NAME] certifies that it shall obtain fremployees and contractors who are to receive any Protected I source, including from policyholders, a properly executed Inc Statement or a certification from its contractors or affiliates the affiliates have obtained an Individual Non-Disclosure Statem will have access to any protected information and who are encontract with the contractor or the affiliate.	Substantive	
F	[INSERT COMPANY NAME] understands that violation of result in civil and criminal penalties under the Privacy Act or Food Security Act of 1985 (7 U.S.C. § 2276c)."	Substantive	
G	Include the following definitions.  "For the purposes of this document:"  "Protected Information means"  "Personally Identifiable Information means"  "RMA means"  "USDA means"	<b>Note:</b> See GSH for applicable definitions	Substantive

# Approved Insurance Provider Non-Disclosure Statement (Continued)

2	Required Statement				
A	"By having its authorized representative sign below, [INSERT COMPANY NAME] acknowledges that it will adhere to all requirements for non-disclosure contained herein."				
3	Required Signature				
A	"AIP Officer Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive			
В	"AIP Officer's Title"	Substantive			

1	General Information		
A	"I hereby agree that I shall keep private and not publish, use individual or entity, either directly or indirectly, Protected Infany:  (1) Make use of such information to the extent necessary in duties, as required under the Standard Reinsurance Agree accordance with applicable procedures issued by the Ris  (2) Disclose Protected Information only to employees or consurance provider or its affiliates authorized to receive who have signed an Individual Non-Disclosure Statement (3) Disclose Protected Information pursuant to a subpoena, rule, regulation or other similar requirement (a "Legal Repairement shall be provided to the prior to its disclosure so they may seek an appropriate propagation or waive compliance with the provise appropriate remedy or waive compliance with the provise individual complex provides and the provise appropriate remedy or waive compliance with the provise appropriate remedy or waive compliance with the provise individual contents.	Substantive	
В	"I hereby agree that I shall keep secure all electronic and hard Information and not provide access to any person not express approved insurance provider or its affiliate to receive such in	Substantive	
С	"I agree that my obligation to secure and not disclose any Proceedings on the properties, which includes the time I am employed an approved insurance provider and after I leave such employed under contract. I understand that I may fulfill this obligation. Protected Information for which retention requirements have	Substantive	
D	"I certify that I will adhere to all security policies and rules p handling USDA information and systems."	Substantive	
E	"I understand that violation of this agreement may result in c penalties under the Privacy Act or section 1770(c) of the Foo (7 U.S.C. § 2276c)."	Substantive	
F	Include the following definitions.  "For the purposes of this document:"  "Protected Information means"  "Personally Identifiable Information means"  "RMA means"	Substantive	
2	Required Statement		
A	Privacy Act	Substantive	
3	Required Signature		
A	"Individual's Printed Name and Signature and Date"		Substantive
	"Individual's Printed Name and Signature and Date"  "Individual's Title or Position"		Substantive Substantive

# **Conflict of Interest**

1	General Information					
A	"Name	and add	lress of	the discloser"	Substantive	
В	"Identi	fication	Numbe	er of the discloser"	Substantive	
C	"Name and address of the approved insurance provider to which you are providing the disclosure statement, all Federal crop insurance servicing activities conducted on behalf of the Approved Insurance Provider, or any other approved insurance provider. For example:  □ Policy Sales □ Loss Adjustment □ Other (specify activity)"					
	questio		nstructi	following questions, include a Yes $\square$ No $\square$ option at the end of each on to check one. At the AIPs discretion, this form may include .		
		Yes	No			
	(1)			Do you have a share in a crop insured under any eligible crop insurance contract insured by the AIP?		
	(2)			Do any of your relatives have a substantial beneficial interest in any eligible crop insurance contract insured by the AIP?		
	(3)			Do you have a power of attorney authorizing you to act as attorney-in- fact or are you an authorized representative of a policyholder with respect to any eligible crop insurance contract insured by the AIP?		
	(4)			Do you have an ownership interest in a business (excluding stock in public corporations or entities in which you own less than a ten percent interest) with any policyholder insured by the AIP?		
	(5)			Do you have a rental or leasing arrangement for land, buildings, or equipment with any policyholder insured by the AIP?		
D	(6)			Are you an owner/operator of a business or a commissioned based employee that provides goods or services related to farming operations (custom farming, tractor sales, etc., but excluding insurance services) for which you receive revenue as the owner/operator or a direct commission as an employee with respect to any policyholder insured by the AIP?	Substantive	
	(7)			Are you an owner/operator of a business or a commissioned based employee that provides goods or services not related to farming operations (excluding insurance services) for which you receive revenue as the owner/operator or a direct commission as an employee with respect to any policyholder insured by the AIP?		
	(8)			Are you a financial institution employee and part of the approval decision-making process of financial arrangements for any policyholder insured by the AIP		
	(9)			Do you have an agent compensation, barter, or financial arrangement (excluding those reported under question 8. above) with any policyholder insured by the AIP?		
	(10)			Do you have a business, familial, financial, or legal relationship that has not been identified above with any policyholder insured by the AIP?		
	(11)			Do you have a relative who works with the Federal crop insurance program, for the AIP, or any of its affiliates?		

# Conflict of Interest (Continued)

2	2 Required Statements					
A	"I, [INSERT DISCLOSER NAME] have been advised and agree to abide by conflict of interest rules of the Standard Reinsurance Agreement and its Appearapplicable policies, and procedures."	Substantive				
В	If a renewal COI the AIP may create a check box with the following statemer previously disclosed information has changed from the information contained disclosure"	Substantive				
C	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3					
D	"I certify that to the best of my knowledge all information provided is true and accurate, and that any false or inaccurate information may result in administrative, civil, and criminal sanctions under 18 U.S.C. §§ 1006 and 1014, 7 U.S.C. § 1506, 31 U.S.C. §§ 3729 and 3730 and any other applicable federal statutes or regulations."					
E	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4					
3	3 Required Signature					
A	"Discloser's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			

## **Individual Controlled Business Certification**

This form utilized by the AIP must at a minimum include the following.

1	General Information	
A	"Individual's Name"	Substantive
В	"Individual's Title or Position"	Substantive
C	"Identification Number"	Substantive
2	Certification Statement	
A	"For the [Insert the applicable reinsurance year] reinsurance year, beginning July 1, 20XX and ended June 30, 20XX."	Substantive
В	"This certification is required for all individuals (including subagents) who receive compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit) for the sale of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC."	Substantive
C	Include the following definition.  Note: See GSH for applicable definitions	Substantive
D	"I did not receive compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which I or an immediate family member (as defined) have a substantial beneficial interest."  "I did receive compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which I or an immediate family member (as defined) have a substantial beneficial interest."	Substantive
E	"If you did receive compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which you or your immediate family member have a substantially beneficial interest, please certify to the following as it applies to you:"  "The total amount of compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which I or an immediate family member (as defined) have a substantial beneficial interest, <b>does not</b> exceed 30 percent of the total compensation I have received for the sale or service of all FCIC policies or plans of insurance nor exceeds any applicable State specific limitation."  "The total amount of compensation (including any salary, commission, profit sharing, bonus, or any other direct or indirect benefit), for the sale or service of policies or plans of insurance reinsured by FCIC for which I or an immediate family member (as defined) have a substantial beneficial interest, <b>does</b> exceed 30 percent of the total compensation I have received for the sale or service of all FCIC policies or plans of insurance or exceeds any applicable State specific limitation."	Substantive

## **Individual Controlled Business Certification (Continued)**

3	Required Statements					
A	"I acknowledge that failure to timely provide the required certification, cert am not in compliance with the requirements of this paragraph, or certification compliance when I am not may result in disqualification and civil fines und 515(h) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act."	Substantive				
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Substantive				
4	4 Required Signature					
A	"Individual's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			

## Affiliate Controlled Business Certification

The AIP utilizing this form must at a minimum include the following.

1	General Information							
A	"Affiliate's Name"	Substantive						
В	"Officer or Owner's Title or Position"	Substantive						
2	Certification Statement							
A	"For the [INSERT THE APPLICABLE REINSURANCE YEAR] reinbeginning July 1, 20XX and ended June 30, 20XX."	nsurance year, Substantive						
В	"The officer or owner of the affiliate who affixes their signature to this the authority to sign on behalf of the affiliate, and has been designated THE NAME OF THE AIP] to receive all certifications required under 508(a)(10(C) of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (Act)."	by the [INSERT Substantive						
С	"All individuals (including subagents), who received, directly, of compensation through the affiliate for the service or sale of any insurance policy/contract in the above reference reinsurance year certifications and all individuals certified that the total amount of they received did not exceed the amount allowed under section the Act; or"  "One or more individuals are not in compliance with the require 508(a)(10)(B) of the Act because:  The individual did not submit an "Individual Controlled Certification";  The individual certified the total amount of compensation amount allowed under section 508(a)(10)(B) of the Act;  The affiliate has discovered the individual incorrectly cercompliance with the compensation limitation under section of the Act."	eligible crop ar, have submitted of compensation 508(a)(10)(B) of  ements of section  Substantive  Business  n exceeded the or  rtified to being in						
D	"If the affiliate has certified that one or more individuals are not in co requirement of section 508(a)(10)(B) of the Act, a list of all individual compliance, separated in to each of the 3 categories specified above n [INSERT THE NAME OF THE AIP] no later than [INSERT DEADIESTABLISHED BY THE AIP]."	Is not in ust be provided to Substantive						
3	Required Signature							
A	"Affiliate Officer's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive						
В	"Affiliate Officer's Title"	Substantive						

#### **Application**

The Application is used to request insurance and must contain all of the information required by the policy. If the required information is not contained on the application, the application is not acceptable and insurance will not be provided. The standards below represent all Application elements for standards identified in the CIH and GSH. The AIP may use all terms for one Application type or only those standards that are applicable for the applicable policy (e.g., multiple Application types). A new Application or Policy Change is required to change coverage level, prices etc. See GSH for further information.

1	Applicant Information			
A	"Applicant's Name"	Substantive		
В	"Applicant's Authorized Representative"	Substantive		
C	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive		
D	"City and State"		Substantive	
E	"Zip Code"		Substantive	
F	"Applicant's Telephone Number"		Substantive	
G	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
H	"Identification Number"		Substantive	
I	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive	
J	"Person Type"		Substantive	
K	"Spouse's Name"		Substantive	
L	"Spouse's Identification Number"	Substantive		
M	"Is applicant at least 18 years old? Yes □ No	Substantive		
N	"Landlord/Tenant insuring other's share"	See Para. 411	Substantive	
2	Crop Information			
A	"Effective Crop Year"		Substantive	
B	"Crop"		Substantive	
C	"State and County"		Substantive	
D	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"		Substantive	
E	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"	<b>Note</b> : Substitute "Productivity Factor" for RI/VI applications. AIPs may include the applicable term for the appropriate plan of insurance.	Substantive	
F	"Coverage Level"		Substantive	
G	"Practice"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive, if coverage level	Substantive	
H	"Type"	varies by practice/type	Substantive	
I	"Plan of Insurance"		Substantive	
J	"Added County Election"	See Para. 410	Substantive/Non-Substantive	
K	"Designated County" [for added county election only]	See Para. 410	Substantive/Non-Substantive	

# Application (Continued)

2	Crop Information (continued)				
L	"Grid ID"	Note: Substa	antive for API and PRF	Substantive/Non-	
		Applications	Applications only		
M	"Index Interval"		antive for RI/VI	Substantive/Non-	
N	"Percent of Value"	Applications	s only	Substantive	
3	Other Information			_	
A	"Name of Previous AIP (if any)"			Substantive	
В	"Policy Number under Previous AIP (if any)"			Substantive	
C	"List all person(s) with a substantial beneficial you as defined in the applicable policy provisio landlords or tenants insured under the applicant state NONE."  Required Information: (Title and Items 1-6 are Substantive)  1. Name 2. Address 3. Telephone number 4. Identification Number 5. Identification Number Type 6. Person Type	ons (include c). If none,	Note: Include a note regarding additional space if needed to complete lists, e.g., (See reverse side for additional space)	Substantive	
D	"I grant the person(s) listed below the authority to sign any and all crop insurance documents on my behalf. I understand that by authorizing such persons to sign documents on my behalf I am legally bound by all terms and conditions of such documents and of the crop insurance contract. I also understand that granting the following person(s) the authority to sign on my behalf does not obligate that person(s) to the terms and conditions of my crop insurance contract. I further understand that this authorization may be revoked by me at any time upon written notice, signed and delivered to my Approved Insurance Provider."		Note: Allow space for the applicant to list all person(s) designated to sign crop insurance documents on the applicant's behalf.	Non- Substantive	
4	Required Statements				
A	Conditions of Acceptance Statements		Exhibit 1; See 3C above	Substantive	
В	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive	
C	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive	
D	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive	
5	Required Signatures				
A	"Applicant/Insured's Printed Name, Signature a	and Date"		Substantive	
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"			Substantive	

## **Supplemental Coverage Option Endorsement**

Insured's who wish to insure under the Supplemental Coverage Option (SCO) Endorsement may amend their policy by signing and submitting the SCO Endorsement Application, developed according to these standards on or before the SCD for the first crop year the insured wishes to elect the Endorsement.

Insured Information	
"Insured's Name"	Substantive
"Underlying Policy Number"	Substantive
"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
"City and State"	Substantive
"Zip Code"	Substantive
"Identification Number"	Substantive
"Identification Number Type"	Substantive
Crop Information	
"County Name"	Substantive
"Crop(s)"	Substantive
"Crop Year"	Substantive
"Underlying Plan of Insurance"	Substantive
"Coverage Level"	Substantive
"SCO Plan of Insurance"	Substantive
"ARC Coverage □ Yes □ No"	Substantive
Terms and Conditions	
Coverage Option Endorsement, and by this election I understand:  I must have purchased a policy under the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions and applicable Crop Provisions to elect this Endorsement and must also purchase this Endorsement with the same Approved Insurance Provider as my Common Crop Insurance Policy.  I may elect coverage under this Endorsement and the Farm Service Agency's Agriculture Risk Coverage Program, but the same acreage of the crop cannot be covered under both programs.  I may elect coverage under this Endorsement and Stacked Income Protection Plan for the upland cotton, but the same acreage cannot be insured under both.  If at any time my Common Crop Insurance Policy for the crop is cancelled or terminated, coverage under this endorsement is automatically cancelled or terminated.  That by electing this Endorsement, it will continue from year to year unless I or you cancel or change my election by written notice on or before the cancellation date or my coverage is otherwise canceled or terminated under the terms of my policy.  Separate Administrative Fees will be assessed for each crop insured under this	Substantive
	"Insured's Name"  "Underlying Policy Number"  "Street and/or Mailing Address"  "City and State"  "Zip Code"  "Identification Number"  "Identification Number Type"  Crop Information  "County Name"  "Cropy Year"  "Underlying Plan of Insurance"  "SCO Plan of Insurance"  "SCO Plan of Insurance"  "ARC Coverage Level"  "SCO Plan of Insurance"  "In addition to Section 3B(2) of the Basic Provisions, I hereby elect this Supplemental Coverage Option Endorsement, and by this election I understand:  I must have purchased a policy under the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions and applicable Crop Provisions to elect this Endorsement and must also purchase this Endorsement with the same Approved Insurance Provider as my Common Crop Insurance Policy.  I may elect coverage under this Endorsement and the Farm Service Agency's Agriculture Risk Coverage Program, but the same acreage of the crop cannot be covered under both programs.  (3) I may elect coverage under this Endorsement and Stacked Income Protection Plan for the upland cotton, but the same acreage cannot be insured under both.  If at any time my Common Crop Insurance Policy for the crop is cancelled or terminated, coverage under this endorsement is automatically cancelled or terminated.  That by electing this Endorsement, it will continue from year to year unless I or you cancel or change my election by written notice on or before the cancellation date or my coverage is otherwise canceled or terminated under the terms of my policy.

# Supplemental Coverage Option Endorsement (Continued)

4	Required Statements		
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Substantive	
5	Required Signature		
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive

## STAX Application

Insured's who wish to insure under the STAX Plan of Insurance must sign and submit the STAX Application, developed according to these standards on or before the SCD for the first crop year the insured wishes to elect STAX.

1	Applicant Information					
A	"Applicant's Name"					
В	"Applicant's Authorized Representative"			Substantive		
C	"Street and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive		
D	"City and State"			Substantive		
E	"Zip Code"			Substantive		
F	"Applicant's Telephone Number"			Substantive		
G	"Policy Number"			Substantive		
H	"Identification Number"			Substantive		
I	"Identification Number Type"			Substantive		
J	"Person Type"			Substantive		
K	"Spouse's Name"			Substantive		
L	"Spouse's Identification Number"			Substantive		
	"Is applicant at least 18 years old? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ "			Substantive		
M						
N	"Landlord/Tenant insuring other's share"	Substantive				
2	Crop Information					
A	"Crop"			Substantive		
B	"Effective Crop Year"		Substantive			
E	"State and County"  "Companion Policy Plan of Insurance, if applicable"	,		Substantive		
F	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"			Substantive		
G	"Coverage Range"			Substantive		
H	"Practice"	Note	: Substantive if coverage varies	Substantive		
Ι	"Type"		ractice/type.	Substantive		
J	"Area Loss Trigger			Substantive		
K	"STAX Plan of Insurance"			Substantive		
L	"STAX Protection Factor"			Substantive		
N/T	"Added County Fleetien"		Saa Paga 410	Substantive/		
M	"Added County Election"		See Para. 410	Non- Substantive		
				Substantive/		
N	"Designated County" [for added county election only	y]	See Para. 410	Non-		
			Substantive			
O	"SCO Coverage □ Yes □ No"			Substantive		
P	"If yes, identify by APH Database whether SCO or STAX applies. If land is added to this operation after the Sales Closing Date and reported by the Acreage Reporting Date, such acreage will be covered by $\square$ SCO $\square$ STAX."					

# STAX Application (Continued)

3	Other Information				
A	"Name of Previous AIP, if any"		Substantive		
В	"Policy Number under Previous AIP, if any"		Substantive		
C	"List all person(s) with a substantial beneficial interest in you as defined in the applicable policy provisions (include landlords or tenants insured under the applicant). If none, state NONE."  Required Information: (Title and Items 1-6 are Substantive)  1. Name 2. Address 3. Telephone number 4. Identification Number 5. Identification Number Type 6. Person Type		Substantive		
4	Terms and Conditions				
A	"I may not elect coverage under this plan of insurance on the same acres I elect coverage for the Supplemental Coverage Option Endorsement (SCO) if I participate in the SCO.  I understand that by signing this application, the coverage under this plan of insurance it will continue from year to year unless I or you cancel or change my election by written notice on or before the cancellation date or my coverage is otherwise canceled or terminated under the terms of my policy."				
5	Required Statements				
A	"I grant the person(s) listed below the authority to sign any and all crop insurance documents on my behalf. I understand that by authorizing such persons to sign documents on my behalf I am legally bound by all terms and conditions of such documents and of the crop insurance contract. I also understand that granting the following person(s) the authority to sign on my behalf does not obligate that person(s) to the terms and conditions of my crop insurance contract. I further understand that this authorization may be revoked by me at any time upon written notice, signed and delivered to my Approved Insurance Provider."		Non- Substantive		
В	Conditions of Acceptance Statements	Exhibit 1; See 3C above	Substantive		
B	Conditions of Acceptance Statements  Certification Statement		Substantive Substantive		
	•	above Exhibit 2 Exhibit 3	Substantive Substantive		
C D E	Certification Statement Privacy Act Statement Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	above Exhibit 2	Substantive		
C D E	Certification Statement Privacy Act Statement Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Required Signature	above Exhibit 2 Exhibit 3	Substantive Substantive Substantive		
C D E	Certification Statement Privacy Act Statement Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	above Exhibit 2 Exhibit 3	Substantive Substantive		

## **BFR Application**

A BFR Application is completed when an individual initially applies for BFR status; chooses to modify the crop year(s) of insurable interest exceptions; or to correct a previously submitted BFR Application. The BFR Application is required to be submitted by the applicable SCD. BFR status will not apply to any crops with a SCD prior to completion of the BFR Application.

1	Applica	nt Inform	ation						
A	"Applicant's Name"								
В	"Applicant's Street and/or Mailing Address"							Substantive	
С	"City and	State"						Substantive	
D	"Zip Code	"						Substantive	
E	"Applicant's Telephone Number"								
F	"Crop Year"								
G	"Applican	t's Identific	cation Nu	ımber"				Substantive	
Н	"Applican	t's Identific	cation Nu	ımber Type"				Substantive	
2	Beginni	ng Farme	r/Rancl	her Certificat	ion				
A	"I have produced the following crop(s) and/or livestock in the identified State(s)/County(ies) during the time periods provided:"    Dates Producing Any Crop or Livestock						Substantive		
В	of producing crop(s) or livestock. AIPs must assist the applicant in identifying appropriate crop year for the dates producing the crop/livestock.  "I request the following Beginning Farmer/Rancher authorized exclusions from consideration as crop years producing crop(s) or livestock. I certify that I was:"    DATES OF EXCLUSION   TO								

2	Beginning Farmer/Rancher Certification (continued)									
C	"I am/am not (circle one) requesting to use the production history for a farm/ranch for which I was involved in the decision making or the physical activities necessary to produce the crop or livestock on the farm.  If I have elected to use the production history, I will identify the applicable crop years that I qualify to use the production history, whose production history will be used and the Farm/Tract and Field number of the acreage for the APH information being transferred."									
3	Additional Information									
A	To be completed by the AIP "Eligible Number of Crop Years the BFR applicant qualifies to receive BFR benefits, this number includes the crop year of BFR Application."  CROP YEARS CROP/LIVESTOCK PRODUCING PRODUCING CROP/LIVESTOCK PRODUCING CR									
A							Substantive			
	Total Years									
	More spaces are authorized to allow multiple States and Counties and time periods of producing crop(s) or livestock and multiple time periods of exclusion due to post-secondary studies or active duty in the U.S. Military.									
В	"Comments"			llow space for n the form.	comments to be		Substantive			
4	Required Stateme	ents	Witten o	ii tiic ioiiii.						
A	"As provided by me on this form, I certify that I have not had an interest in any crop(s) or livestock for more than 5 crop years, nationwide, excluding time periods that I was under the age of 18, in post-secondary studies or serving in active military service. I understand that an interest in crops or livestock includes an interest:  (1) as an individual; (2) as an interest holder of at least 10 percent interest in another person; and/or (3) of any person(s) with an interest of at least 10 percent in me.  I understand that any inaccurate certification or BFR benefits beyond 5 crop years will result in recalculation of my yield guarantees, administrative fee, premiums and any applicable loss									
В	payments."  "I understand that I must only complete one application for BFR; no amendment is necessary unless I choose to cancel the benefits, correct a previously submitted form or amend my exceptions for consideration. I also understand that I must provide the application for BFR to any other AIPs that I may have a policy with in the current or subsequent years.  Lunderstand that if at any time following this application, any changes are made to the									

# **BFR Application (Continued)**

4	Additional Information (continued)					
C	"New $\square$ , Amended Application $\square$ , or Cancellation $\square$ ."					
D	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
E	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
F	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			
5	5 Other Information and Required Signatures					
A	"Applicant's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"					
В	"Approved Insurance Provider's (AIP) Name"					
C	"AIP Representative's Name, Signature, and Date"		Substantive			

## **Policy Cancellation**

The Policy Cancellation is to be used if and when the insured decides to cancel insurance coverage and is not transferring coverage to another AIP.

1	Insured Information					
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive				
В	"Insured's Authorized Representative"			Substantive		
C	"Street and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive		
D	"City and State"			Substantive		
E	"Zip Code"			Substantive		
F	"Insured's Telephone Number"			Substantive		
G	"Policy Number"			Substantive		
Н	"Identification Number"			Substantive		
I	"Identification Number Type"			Substantive		
J	"Person Type"			Substantive		
K	"Spouse's Name"			Substantive		
L	"Spouse's Identification Number"			Substantive		
2	Crop Information					
A	"Effective Crop Year"			Substantive		
В	"Crop"			Substantive		
C	"State and County"	Substantive				
D	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"			Substantive		
E	"Plan of Insurance"			Substantive		
3	Cancellation Information					
A	"I hereby request cancellation of my crop insurance policy for the crop(s) and crop year shown on this cancellation. I understand that if this form is not executed on or before the cancellation date for any crop year listed, the cancellation of insurance on such crop(s) will not become effective until the following crop year."	the crop(s) and crop year shown on this cancellation. I derstand that if this form is not executed on or before the incellation date for any crop year listed, the cancellation of urance on such crop(s) will not become effective until the		Substantive		
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement Exhibit 2			Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3		Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		Substantive			
5	Required Signature					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive		
В	"AIP Authorized Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"			Substantive		

## **Policy Transfer/Application**

This Policy Transfer and Application must be designed and/or have explicit form completion instructions that provide the applicant's original signature is on the application portion that is retained by the assuming AIP. The form should be designed to allow the application information to appear in duplicate form with the duplicate copy provided to the ceding AIP.

1	Applicant Information		
A	"Applicant's Name"	Substantive	
В	"Applicant's Authorized Representative"	Substantive	
C	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive	
D	"City and State"		Substantive
E	"Zip Code"		Substantive
F	"Applicant's Telephone Number"		Substantive
G	"Policy Number"		Substantive
H	"Identification Number"		Substantive
I	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive
J	"Person Type"		Substantive
K	"Spouse's Name"		Substantive
L	"Spouse's Identification Number"		Substantive
M	"Is applicant at least 18 years old? Yes □ No	o □"	Substantive
N	"Landlord/Tenant insuring other's share"	•	
2	Crop Information		Substantive
A	"Effective Crop Year"	Substantive	
B	"Crop"	Substantive	
C	"State and County"	Substantive	
D	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"		Substantive
E	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"	<b>Note</b> : Substitute "Productivity Factor" for RI/VI applications. AIPs may include the applicable term for the appropriate plan of insurance.	Substantive
F	"Coverage Level"		Substantive
G	"Practice"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive, if coverage varies by	Substantive
H	"Type" practice/type.		Substantive
I	"Plan of Insurance"	Substantive	
J	"Added County Election"	Substantive	
K	"Designated County" [for added county elect	Substantive	
L	"Grid ID"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive for API and PRF Applications only	Substantive/ Non- Substantive
M	"Index Interval"	Note: Substantive for RI/VI	
N	"Percent of Value"	Applications only	Non- Substantive

# **Policy Transfer/Application (Continued)**

3	Required Language for Request				
A	"Part I  I hereby request cancellation of my insurance policy with [INSERT CEDI for the crop(s) and crop year(s) shown below because I have applied for ir with another Approved Insurance Provider. I understand that if this form executed on or before the established cancellation date for any crop listed, cancellation of insurance on such crop(s) will not become effective until the following crop year."	Substantive			
В	"Crop(s)" to be canceled and transferred		Substantive		
C	"Crop Year" of crops being canceled and transferred		Substantive		
4	Required Language to Authorize and Signatures				
A	"I hereby authorize and direct the [INSERT CEDING AIP PROVIDER] sto furnish any information relative to my insurance policy to the Assumin Insurance Provider listed below. I understand that if coverage for any createrminated or would have subsequently terminated for delinquent debt has transfer not occurred, no coverage can be provided by the [ASSUMING A	Substantive			
В	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive		
C	"Policy Number"		Substantive		
5	Required Language to Provide Insurance and Signatures				
A	"Part II  By submission of this form, we agree to provide crop insurance to this app the crop(s) and crop year specified above unless this form is not executed the established cancellation date for any of the crop(s) shown, in which cas will be provided for such crop(s) for the following crop year."	Substantive			
В	"Name of Assuming Agent"	G 1			
			Substantive		
C	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code"		Substantive Substantive		
D D	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code" "Signature of Approved Insurance Provider Representative Authorized to	Accept			
	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code"	Accept	Substantive		
D	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code" "Signature of Approved Insurance Provider Representative Authorized to Applications"	•	Substantive Substantive		
D E	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code"  "Signature of Approved Insurance Provider Representative Authorized to Applications"  "Date of Acceptance by Assuming Approved Insurance Provider"	•	Substantive Substantive Substantive		
D E F	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code" "Signature of Approved Insurance Provider Representative Authorized to Applications" "Date of Acceptance by Assuming Approved Insurance Provider" "Assuming Approved Insurance Provider and Policy Issuing Company Co	•	Substantive Substantive Substantive		
D E F 6	"Assuming Agent's Address, City, State and Zip Code"  "Signature of Approved Insurance Provider Representative Authorized to Applications"  "Date of Acceptance by Assuming Approved Insurance Provider"  "Assuming Approved Insurance Provider and Policy Issuing Company Co  Required Statements	de"	Substantive Substantive Substantive Substantive		

## **Policy Change**

This form is to be used to make changes to the insurance policy without creating a new application. Some changes can be made after the sales closing date, such as changing an insured's physical address. Refer to the GSH.

1	Applicant Information			
A	"Insured's Name"			Substantive
В	"Insured's Authorized Representative"			Substantive
$\frac{\mathbf{C}}{\mathbf{C}}$	"State and County"			Substantive
D	"Policy Number"			Substantive
E	"Identification Number"			Substantive
F	"Identification Number Type"			Substantive
G	"Person Type"			Substantive
Н	"List all person(s) with a substantial beneficial interest in you as defined in the applicable policy provisions (include landlords or tenants insured under the applicant). If none, state NONE."  Required Information: (Title and Items 1-6 are Substantive)  1. Name 2. Address 3. Telephone number 4. Identification Number 5. Identification Number Type 6. Person Type	<b>Note:</b> Include a note regarding additional space if needed to complete lists, e.g., (See reverse side for additional space)		Substantive
Ι	"Added County Election"	See Para. 410		Substantive
J	"Designated County" [for added cou	nty election only] See Para. 410		Substantive
2	<b>Changes to Insurance Coverage</b>	2		
A	"Change Insurance □"	<b>Note:</b> Form completion procedures must provide instructions to check this box when appropriate.		Substantive
В	"Effective Crop Year"		Substantive	
C	"Crop"	<b>Note:</b> For identification purposes only, a crop cannot be added using a Policy Change.		Substantive
D	"Practice"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive, if coverage varies by		Substantive
E	"Type"	practice/type.		Substantive
F	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"	<b>Note</b> : Substitute "Productivity Factor" for RI/VI applications. AIPs may include the applicable term for the appropriate plan of insurance.		Substantive
G	"Coverage Level"		Substantive	
Н	"Plan of Insurance"	<b>Note:</b> Plan of insurance cannot be changed using a Policy Change between different plans of insurance that have different Basic Provisions.		Substantive

# Policy Change (Continued)

2	2 Changes to Insurance Coverage (continued)					
Ι	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"	See Para. 413.		Substantive		
J	"Grid ID"	Note: Substantive for API and PRF Applications only		Substantive/ Non- Substantive		
K L	"Index Interval" "Percent of Value"	Note: Substantive for the RI/VI Policy Change only		Substantive/ Non- Substantive		
3	Cancellations					
A	"Cancel Insurance □"	<b>Note:</b> Form completion procedures must provide instruct to check this box when appropriate.		Substantive		
В	"Effective Crop Year"				Substantive	
C	"Crop"				Substantive	
D	"Options, Elections, or Endorse	ements"  Note: The AIP must meet the standards that are set forth in the policies, options and endorsements as issued by RMA. See Para. 413.		Substantive		
E	"Practice"				Substantive	
F	"Type"				Substantive	
G	"Reasons for Cancellation"	similar to the completion per cancellation in form. The form. The form. The form. The form.	e example below rocedures which is must be explained orm must explain the One)  ed's Request  etence, or	r Reason of Cancellation, r. Provide form and enstruct that the reason for in the remarks section of the the effective crop year.  (Explain in Remarks)  - Mutual Consent  - Other	Substantive	

4	Other	Changes			
		em entries are required in order to mpletion procedures must provide			
	(1) 🗆	"Add or remove SBI"			
	(2) 🗆	"Add/change/correct insured's au	thorized representative"		
	(3) 🗆	"Correct insured's identification number"	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for enter previous identification item (3) is checked.		
	(4)	"Correct spelling of insured's nar	ne"		
	(5) 🗆	"Correct SBI's identification number"	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for enter previous identification item (5) is checked.		
	(6) □	"Correct the spelling of SBI's na	me"		
A		"Add authority for designated person(s) to sign crop insurance documents on behalf of the insured."  "I grant the person(s) listed below the authority to sign any and all crop			Substantive; except for sub-items 7 and 8 are Non-
	insurance documents on my behalf. I understand that by authorizing such persons to sign documents on my behalf I am legally bound by all terms and conditions of such documents and of the crop insurance contract. I also understand that granting the following person(s) the authority to sign on my behalf does not obligate that person(s) to the terms and conditions of my crop insurance contract. I further understand that this authorization may be revoked by me at any time upon written notice, signed and delivered to my Approved Insurance Provider."			Substantive	
	(8)   "Remove authority for designated person(s) to sign crop insurance documents on behalf of the insured."				
	<b>Note:</b> For items 7 and 8, allow space for the insured to list all person(s) designated to sign crop insurance documents on the applicant's behalf. Indicate if person's authority is granted or removed.				
5	Rema	rks			
A	Create a	space to enter explanations and/or	remarks		Substantive
6		red Statements			
A		tion Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive
В	•	Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive
C		rimination Policy Statement	I	Exhibit 4	Substantive
7		ired Signatures			
A		ant/Insured's Printed Name, Signa			Substantive
В	3 "Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive		

# Social Security Number and Employer Identification Number Reporting

1	Applicant/Insured's Information					
A	"Applicant/Insured's Name"	"Applicant/Insured's Name"				
В	"Applicant/Insured's Authorized Representative"			Substantive		
C	"Applicant/Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive		
D	"City and State"			Substantive		
E	"Zip code"			Substantive		
F	"[YEAR] and Succeeding Crop Years"			Substantive		
G	"Policy Number"			Substantive		
H	"Identification Number"			Substantive		
I	"Identification Number Type"			Substantive		
J	"Person Type"			Substantive		
K	"Spouse's Name"			Substantive		
L	"Spouse's Identification Number"			Substantive		
2	Other Person(s) Information					
A	"List all person(s) with a substantial beneficial interest in you as defined in the applicable policy provisions (include landlords or tenants insured under the applicant). If none, state NONE."  Required Information: (Title and Items 1-6 are Substantive)  1. Name 2. Address 3. Telephone number 4. Identification Number 5. Identification Number Type 6. Person Type	Note: Include a note regarding additional space if needed to complete lists, e.g., (See reverse side for additional space)		Substantive		
3	Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive		
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"			Substantive		
C	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive		
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive		
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive		
	Substantive					

#### Acreage Report

The Acreage Report is required annually and determines the number of reported acres, liability, or amount of insurance provided, premium, and establishes the insurable share at the time insurance attaches. The standards below represent all Acreage Report elements for standards identified in the CIH and GSH. The AIP may use all terms for one Acreage Report type or only those standards that are applicable for the applicable policy (e.g., multiple Acreage Report Types). See the GSH and CIH for further completion and application instructions.

1	Insured Information			
A	"Insured's Name"			Substantive
В	"Insured's Authorized Representative"			Substantive
C	"Street and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive
D	"City and State"			Substantive
E	"Zip Code"			Substantive
F	"Insured's Telephone Number"			Substantive
G	"Policy Number"			Substantive
Н	"Identification Number"			Substantive
I	"Identification Number Type"			Substantive
J	"Person Type"			Substantive
K	"Landlord/Tenant insuring other's share" See Para. 411			Substantive
L	"Spouse's Name"			Substantive
M	"Spouse's Identification Number"			Substantive
N	"Spouse's Identification Number Type"		Substantive	
2	Crop Information			
A	"Crop Year"			Substantive
В	"Crop"			Substantive
C	"State and County"			Substantive
D	"Plan of Insurance"			Substantive
E	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"			Substantive
F	"Type"			Substantive
G	"Practice"			Substantive
H	"Unit Number"			Substantive
Ι	"Unit Structure Code"			Substantive
J	"Coverage Level"			Substantive
K	"Acreage Type"	Note: Non-Substantive for Reports only	or RI Acreage	Substantive/ Non- Substantive

# Acreage Report (Continued)

2	<b>Crop Information (continued)</b>	)		
L	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:" "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"		Note: Non-Substantive for RI Acreage Reports only.	Substantive/ Non- Substantive
M	"Field Location Identification"		Note: See CIH Para.1211	Substantive/ Non- Substantive
N	"Approved APH Yield"	Note: Su APH yield	bstantive for those plans that use approved ds.	Substantive
О	"Reported Acres"		"Number of Trees", "Number of Pounds," ad Acres by Grid"	Substantive
P	Divide column and label "Whole Acres/Number of Trees or Poun		hs or 100ths" underneath "Reported	Non- Substantive
Q	"Measurement Service"			Substantive
R	"Insured's Share"			Substantive
S	"Name of Other Person(s) Shari	ng in the Ci	rop"	Substantive
T	"Date Planting Completed"			Substantive
U	"Area Classification"		<b>Note:</b> Non-Substantive for RI Acreage Reports only.	Substantive/ Non- Substantive
V	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, or Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"		Substantive	
W	"Grid ID"			Substantive/
X	"Intended Use"	Note: Sub	ostantive for RI/VI Acreage Reports only.	Non- Substantive
Y	"Total Insurable Acres"	Only: Tot	<b>Note:</b> Substantive for Pasture, Rangeland, Forage Only: Total Insurable Acres of the crop in which the insured has a share.	

2 (	2 Crop Information (continued)					
Z	"Total Number of Colonies in the U.S."		ubstantive for Apiculture Only. Tof colonies in which the insured h		Substantive/ Non- Substantive	
AA	"Total Number of Hives of Insured Colonies"		<b>Note:</b> Substantive for Apiculture Only. Number of Hives of insured colonies assigned to the Grid ID.		Substantive/ Non- Substantive	
BB	"Remarks"				Substantive	
3	Required Statements					
A	Provide the following question above the Certification Statement.  "I have verified my identification number affixed to this Acreage Report is true and accurate.   "Yes   No. If the affixed identification number is not correct or you have not had an opportunity to verify your identification number please contact [INSERT AIP CONTACT POINT] and submit a Policy Change."			Non- Substantive		
В	"I certify that I am responsible for establishing the approved APH yields that are used to calculate the production guarantees contained in this acreage report and that such approved APH yields are correct to the best of my knowledge."  Note: Provide the following Certification Statement above the Agent's signature. Substantive only for those policies that use an approved APH yield to establish the guarantee		Substantive/ Non- Substantive			
C	"I   HAVE or   HAVE NOT broken following Statement about the state		Note: Substantive only for stat to Native Sod provisions. Prov following Statement above the signature for States subject to the Sod Provisions:	ide the Insured's	Substantive/ Non- Substantive	
D	"The colonies noted above qualify as apiculture and the selected index intervals support the vegetation production necessary for the colonies."  Note: Substantive for Apiculture Only. Provide the following Statement above the Insured's signature on Acreage Reports subject to the Apiculture Provisions:		Substantive/ Non- Substantive			
E	"To the best of my knowledge, the Grid ID accurately identifies the location of the insured acreage; and acreage assigned to each Grid ID is accurate."  Note: Substantive for Apiculture Only. Provide the following Statement above the Insured's signature on Acreage Reports subject to the Apiculture Provisions:		Substantive/ Non- Substantive			
F	USDA Multiple Benefit Certification Statement Exhibit 5		Exhibit 5	Substantive		
G	Certification Statement Exhibit		Exhibit 2	Substantive		
Н	Privacy Act Statement			Exhibit 3	Substantive	
I	Nondiscrimination Policy Staten	nent		Exhibit 4	Substantive	

# Acreage Report (Continued)

4	Required Signatures			
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive		
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Date and Code Number"	Substantive		

#### **Summary of Coverage (Schedule of Insurance)**

This form is issued to the insured after the crop(s) is planted, reports his/her acreage, and the AIP has calculated the associated premium and liability. The AIP has the election of titling this form either the Summary of Coverage or the Schedule of Insurance.

1	Insured Information		
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
C	"City and State"		Substantive
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive
G	"Identification Number"		Substantive
Н	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive
Ι	"Person Type"		Substantive
J	"SBI's Name"	Note: If the Policy Confirmation (Declaration) is sent every year to the insured; then this item is non-substantive.	Substantive
K	"SBI's Identification Number"		Substantive
L	"SBI's Identification Number Type"		Substantive
M	"SBI Person Type"		Substantive
2	Crop Information		
A	"Crop Insured"		Substantive
В	"Crop/Practice/Type"		Substantive
C	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"	<b>Note</b> : Substitute "Productivity Factor" for RI/VI applications. AIPs may include the applicable term for the appropriate plan of insurance.	Substantive
D	"Coverage Level"		Substantive
E	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"		Substantive
F	"Effective Crop Year"		Substantive
G	"Plan of Insurance"		Substantive
H	"State and County"		Substantive
I	"Guarantee or Amount of Coverage"		Substantive
J	"Liability"		Substantive
K	"Insured's Premium"		Substantive

# Summary of Coverage (Schedule of Insurance) (Continued)

2	<b>Crop Information (continued)</b>		
L	"Insurable Acres"		Substantive/Non
	11301401011		-Substantive
$\mathbf{M}$	"Insured Acres"		Substantive/Non
			-Substantive Substantive/Non
N	"Insured's Share"		-Substantive
_	// C 11 TO 11		Substantive/Non
O	"Grid ID"		-Substantive
P	"Index Interval"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive for RI/VI Only	Substantive/Non
1	muca mervar		-Substantive
Q	"Trigger Grid Index"		Substantive/Non
~			-Substantive
R	"FSA Farm Number, Tract, and Field"		Substantive/Non -Substantive
			Substantive/Non
S	"Policy Protection per Unit"		-Substantive
T	"D		Substantive/Non
T	"Percent of Value"		-Substantive
U	"Intended Use"		Substantive
3	Agent Information		
A	"Agent's Name"		Substantive
В	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
C	"Agent's City and State"		Substantive
D	"Agent's Zip Code"		Substantive
E	"Agent's Code Number"		Substantive
F	"Agent's Telephone Number"		Substantive
4	Other Information		
A	The AIP shall display the A&O subsidy amound but shall include a footnote stating the follows:  "*Note: This amount may increase by 1.15 area plans of insurance) if the loss ratio in the change if required by the Standard Reinsuran premium you are required to pay will not change and the 1.15 percent reduction may percent of net book premium" in the above	percent of net book premium (except for ne State exceeds 1.20 or may otherwise nce Agreement. However, the amount of lange."  is the difference between the 2.3 percent y be substituted for the phrase "1.15	Substantive
В	"Date Issued"		Substantive
C	"Amount of Administrative Fee Due the Appr	roved Insurance Provider"	Substantive
D	"Amount of Subsidy Paid by RMA"		Substantive

#### **Policy Confirmation (Policy Declaration)**

This form is issued to the insured after the AIP accepts the completed application. The AIP has the election of titling this form the Policy Confirmation or the Policy Declaration.

1	Insured Information		
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
C	"City and State"		Substantive
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive
G	"Identification Number"		Substantive
Н	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive
I	"Person Type"		Substantive
J	"Spouse's Name"		Substantive
K	"Spouse's Identification Number"		Substantive
L	"SBI's Name"		Substantive
M	"SBI's Identification Number"		Substantive
N	"SBI's Identification Number Type"		Substantive
O	"SBI Person Type"		Substantive
2	Crop Information		
A	"Crop Insured"		Substantive
В	"Crop/Practice/Type"		Substantive
С	"Percentage Price Election, Projected Price, Amount of Insurance, or Protection Factor"	Note: Substitute "Productivity Factor" for RI/VI applications. AIPs may include the applicable term for the appropriate plan of insurance.	Substantive
D	"Coverage Level"		Substantive
E	"Options, Elections, or Endorsements"		Substantive
F	"Effective Crop Year"		Substantive
G	"Plan of Insurance"		Substantive
H	"State and County"		Substantive
I	"Grid ID"	Note: Substantive for RI/VI	Substantive/Non
J	"Index Interval"	Applications only.	-Substantive
K	"Percent of Value"		
3	Agent Information		G 1:
A	"Agent's Name"		Substantive
B	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"  "Agent's City and State"		Substantive Substantive
D	"Agent's City and State  "Agent's Zip Code"		Substantive
E	"Agent's Code Number"		Substantive
F	"Agent's Code Number"		Substantive
Г	Agent 8 relephone number		Buostantive

#### **Power of Attorney**

A personal power of attorney created by an attorney for an insured does not have to adhere to form standards issued by RMA. However, if an AIP chooses to develop a Power of Attorney form for use by their insureds, such forms should comply with the "Substantive" standards listed below and also the applicable state laws that govern power of attorney documents. Agent and loss adjuster use of a power of attorney form may be limited by conflict of interest requirements contained in the SRA. Refer to GSH.

1	Required Language				
A	"The undersigned does hereby make, constitute and appoint [INSERT NAME OF APPOINTEE] in the County of [INSERT COUNTY OF EXECUTION] and State of [INSERT STATE OF EXECUTION], the true and lawful attorney, for and in the name, place and stead of the undersigned in connection with Insurance Policy and/or Policy Number [INSERT POLICY OR POLICY NUMBER].  The undersigned gives and grants unto said attorney full authority and power to do and perform actions as initialed below fully ratifying and confirming all that said attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof:  (1) Making application for insurance. (2) Making crop acreage reports. (3) Giving notice of damage or loss. (4) Making claim for indemnity. (5) Making policy change. (6) Making transfers and cancellations. (7) Providing program required production reports.  (8) Taking all actions related to the insurance coverage provided under the above identified policy and/or policy number.  This Power of Attorney shall be filed at the office where the official insurance file is maintained and shall remain in full force and effect until written notice of its revocation has been received by the office maintaining the official insurance file folder (such revocation shall be placed in the official insurance file folder).  This Power of Attorney is signed and dated at [CITY], [STATE] this [DAY] day of [MONTH], [YEAR]."	Substantive			
2	Required Signatures	G 1			
A	"Witness's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"	Substantive			
В	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"	Substantive			
C	"I hereby accept the foregoing appointment"	Substantive			
D	"Appointee's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"	Substantive			

3	Acknowledgement Block			
A	Example:  ACKNOWLEDGMENT  [For use by Notary Public] State of [INSERT STATE OF EXECUTION]  County of [INSERT COUNTY OF EXECUTION]  On this, the [DAY] day of [MONTH], [YEAR], before me a notary public, the undersigned officer, personally appeared [INSERT NAME OF INSURED], known to me (or satisfactorily proven) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that [HE OR SHE] executed the same for the purposes therein contained.  In witness hereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.	Note: Use the acknoblock if required by the where acknowledgment. This statement appear example acknowledg statement. The AIP is similar statement it eleaccordance with state existing and/or executable. Attorney documents at to be revised.  The acknowledgement modified for various e.g., corporation, part LLC, to be contractuated consistent with state I signatures of the insurappointee must be no required by law. With signatures are not required by state law.	he State ent is taken.  Its only as an ement may use any lects in law. Any ted Power of do not need  In may be person types, mership, ally law.  Itered and the tarized when ness uired, if erwise	Substantive
В	"Notary Seal and Signature of Notary"	<b>Note:</b> Substantive, as state law.	required by	Substantive
4	Required Statements			
A	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive

#### **Assignment of Indemnity**

An insured may assign the right to an indemnity payment for a crop(s) under a policy to a creditor(s) or other persons to whom the insured has a financial debt or other pecuniary obligation by using an Assignment of Indemnity. The assignment(s) applies for all acreage of the crop covered by the policy. Refer to the GSH.

1	Insure	d Information		
A	"Inst	ured's Name"		Substantive
В	"Inst	"Insured's Authorized Representative"		
C	"Stre	eet and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
D	"City	and State"		Substantive
E	"Zip	Code"		Substantive
F	"Pol	icy Number"		Substantive
G	"Effe	ective Crop Year"		Substantive
2	Terms	and Conditions		
A	"The [MA and i paya coun ANI NAN		Note: The Name and Address of Creditor must be contained in above statement unless listed on the form.	Substantive
В	(1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6)	"This assignment will be binding upon the person(s) who interest in the insurance policy."  "Indemnity payments made under the insurance policy wi deduction for any indebtedness due this Approved Insurar insured."  "This assignment will not grant the Creditor any greater ri held by the insured."  "The Creditor's interest will be recognized upon Approve approval of this assignment and the Creditor will have the loss notices and other forms as required by the insurance pure indemnity payment(s) and the payment(s) will be by joint "Cancellation of this assignment prior to and during the cryear stated above will be accepted by the Approved Insurance Provider only upon notification in writing by the above identified Creditor(s). It is understood and agreed this assignment will be subject to the terms and conditions the insurance policy."  "If the assignment is not canceled according to item (6), the state of the first o	Il be subject to a acce Provider by the ghts than originally d Insurance Provider's right to submit the policy."  son(s) entitled to any check."  Note: Followed by signatures of the Insured, Creditor and Witnesses)	Substantive
С	(7) cease at the end of the effective crop year."  "This assignment was filed with the Approved Insurance Provider on [MONTH], [DAY], [YEAR] at [INSERT HOUR] a.m. /p.m."			Substantive

# **Assignment of Indemnity (Continued)**

3	Required Statements				
A	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive	
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4			Substantive	
4	Required Signatures				
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive	
В	"Creditor's Authorized Representative Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive	
C	"Creditor's Authorized Representative's Telephone Number"			Substantive	
D	"Witness Printed Name, Signature and Date"  Note: Both the Insured's and Creditor's signature and date as provided in item A & B must contain a Witness signature and date.		Substantive		
E	"AIP's Authorized Representative Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive	

# **Continuous Hail and Fire Exclusion Option**

1	Insured Information	
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Non- Substantive
2	Crop Information	
A	"The Hail and Fire Exclusion Option applies to the following crop(s):"	Substantive
В	"State and County Where Insurance Attaches"	Substantive
C	"Policy Number"	Substantive
D	"First Effective Crop Year"	Substantive
3	Terms and Conditions	
A	"Hail and Fire will be excluded on a crop basis as insured causes of loss from your [ENTER CROP INSURANCE POLICY] for a reduced premium for each crop year the following terms and conditions are met."  "The terms of this option apply to the first crop year it is requested and to each succeeding crop year as provided below. Crops can be added to this option if a writter request is submitted on or before the date crop insurance coverage attaches for the crop(s). To cancel this option or delete a crop(s), you must submit a request in writing on or before the applicable cancellation date for the crop(s)."	
В	<ul> <li>"The Hail and Fire Exclusion Option must be signed within 72 hours of the dat a private Hail and Fire policy is first in effect. If a multi-season hail and fire policy in effect, after the first crop year the multi-season hail and fire policy in effect, you may sign the Hail and Fire Exclusion Option on or before the dat coverage attaches for a crop year."</li> <li>"This option is effective only if the crop has not been damaged to the extent the a crop insurance indemnity may be claimed on any unit of the insured crop."</li> <li>"For each crop year, Hail and Fire insurance coverage must be in effect (and premiums earned) on all planted insurable acreage of the crop insured under the crop insurance policy and the total dollar amount of hail and fire insurance liability must equal or exceed the total crop insurance policy liability for that crop acreage. To determine if sufficient hail and fire liability is in place for a revenue protection plan of insurance policy, the amount of liability (for this purpose only) will be computed based upon the projected price."</li> <li>"For each crop year, you must provide a copy of the annual hail and fire declaration sheet showing you have purchased the minimum amount of hail and fire coverage for the crop year to cover your liability or provide other acceptab proof that the minimum amount of hail and fire coverage has attached for the crop year."</li> </ul>	is e  nt  e  Substantive  s  d  le
	"An appraisal for uninsured causes will be made if the crop is damaged by hail and/or fire, and the average percent of damage to the crop insurance unit exceeds the deductible percentage for the crop insurance policy."	

# **Continuous Hail and Fire Exclusion Option (Continued)**

3	Terms	and Conditions (continued)	
		The appraised amount of production is determined by:	
		(a) Subtracting the crop insurance policy coverage level from 1.00	
В	(6)	(b) Subtracting the result of (a) from the percentage of hail and/or fire damage;	
		(c) Multiplying the result of (b) by the production guarantee per acre for the applicable crop insurance policy; and	
		(d) Dividing the result of (c) by the crop insurance policy coverage level percentage."	
		<b>ple:</b> The average percentage hail damage to the crop insurance unit = 45%. op insurance policy coverage level = 65%. Per-acre guarantee = 100.0 bu.	
	STEP 1	1.00 - 0.65 (coverage level percentage) = 0.35 (deductible)	
C	STEP 0.45 (average percentage hail damage) - 0.35 (deductible) = 0.10 (excess percentage)		Non- Substantive
	$\frac{\text{STEP}}{3}$ 0.10 (excess percentage) x 100.0 bu. (per-acre guarantee) = 10.0 bushels		
	STEP 4		
	"Excep	t that:	
D	If hail and/or fire occurs and the original hail and fire liability under a private hail and fire policy has been reduced below the crop insurance coverage, due to another cause of loss insured under the crop insurance policy, the hail and/or fire indemnity will be divided by the original hail and fire liability. This result will be multiplied by the crop insurance guarantee per acre and divided by your coverage level percentage. The result will be the appraisal for uninsured causes."		Substantive
4	Other	Information	
A	"Inform (1) (2)	Substantive	
В	(2) "Name of Hail and Fire Insurance Company (ies) and Policy Number(s)" "Name and Address of Approved Insurance Provider"		Substantive
С	Approve Approve Approve and fire	insured, certify that the information reported above is d accurate. I will provide any information the red Insurance Provider (or Authorized entative(s) of the Approved Insurance Provider) may is required above the insurance Provider may require regarding any hail expolicy(ies) I have in effect for any crop year that this is in force."	Substantive

# Continuous Hail and Fire Exclusion Option (Continued)

5	Required Statements			
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive	
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive	
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Exhibit 4 Substantive	
6	Required Signatures			
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive	
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive	

# **Annual Request to Exclude Hail and Fire**

1	Insure	ed Information	
A	"Insu	red's Name"	Substantive
В	"Stre	et and/or Mailing Address"	Non- Substantive
2	Crop 1	Information	
A	"The	Annual Request to Exclude Hail and Fire applies to the following crop(s):"	Substantive
В	"Stat	e and County Where Insurance Attaches"	Substantive
С	"Poli	cy Number"	Substantive
D	"Effe	ective Crop Year"	Substantive
3 '	Terms	and Conditions	
A	[INS	l and Fire will be excluded on a crop basis as insured causes of loss from your ERT NAME OF CROP INSURANCE POLICY] for a reduced premium for the tive crop year provided the following terms and conditions are met."	Substantive
В	(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	the effective crop year of this request:"  "The Request to Exclude Hail and Fire must be signed within 72 hours of the date a private hail and fire policy is in effect. If a multi-season hail and fire policy is in effect, after the first crop year the multi-season hail and fire policy is in effect, you may sign the Annual Request to Exclude Hail and Fire on or before the date your crop insurance coverage attaches for a crop year."  "Hail and Fire insurance coverage must be in effect (and premiums earned) on all planted insurable acreage of the crop insured under the crop insurance policy and the total dollar amount of hail and fire insurance liability must equal or exceed the total crop insurance liability for that crop acreage."  "To determine if the minimum required hail and fire liability is in place for a revenue protection plan of insurance policy, or revenue protection with the harvest price exclusion plan of insurance policy, the amount of liability (for this purpose only) will computed based upon the projected price."  "You must provide a copy of the private hail and fire declaration sheet showing you have purchased at least the required minimum amount of hail and fire coverage for the effective crop year to cover your liability or other acceptable proof coverage has attached."  "An appraisal for uninsured causes will be made when the crop is damaged by hail and/or fire, and the average percent damage to the crop insurance unit exceeds the deductible percentage for the crop insurance policy."  "The appraised amount of production is determined by:  (a) Subtracting the crop insurance policy coverage level from 1.00  (b) Subtracting the result of (b) by the production guarantee per acre for the crop insurance policy; and	Substantive

# Annual Request to Exclude Hail and Fire (Continued)

3	Terms	and Conditions (continued)			
	"Exam	ple: The average percentage hail damage to the crop in op insurance policy coverage level = 65%. Per-acre gua			
	STEP $1.0065$ (coverage level percentage) = 0.35 (deductible)				
C	STEP 0.45 (average percentage hail damage) - 0.35 (deductible) = 0.10 (excess percentage)			excess	Non- Substantive
	STEP 3	0.10 (excess percentage) x 100.0 bu. (per-acre guarante	ee) = 10.0 b	ushels	
	STEP 4	$10.0 \text{ bu.} \div 0.65 \text{ (crop insurance coverage level)} = 15.4 \text{ for uninsured causes."}$	bu. per-acr	e appraisal	
	"Excep	t that:			
D	If hail and/or fire occurs and the original hail and fire liability under a private hail and fire policy has been reduced below the crop insurance coverage, due to another cause of loss insured under the crop insurance policy, the hail and/or fire indemnity will be divided by the original hail and fire liability. This result will be multiplied by the crop insurance guarantee per acre and divided by your coverage level percentage. The result will be the appraisal for uninsured causes."				Substantive
4	Other I	nformation			
A	"Information for the first-year hail and/or fire exclusion request."  (1) "Hail and Fire Coverage Effective Date"  (2) "Name of Hail and Fire Insurance Company (ies) and Policy Number(s)"			er(s)"	Substantive
В		and Address of Approved Insurance Provider"		•1(5)	Substantive
С	"I, the insured, certify that the information reported above is true and accurate. I will provide any information the Approved Insurance Provider (or Authorized Representative(s) of the Approved Insurance Provider) may require. I will provide access to any information that the Approved Insurance Provider may require regarding any hail and fire policy(ies) I have in effect for any crop year that this option is in force."  Note: This statement is required above the insured's signature line.		Substantive		
5 l	<b>_</b>				
A	Certification Statement Exhibit 2		Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3		Substantive		
С	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		Substantive		
		d Signatures			
A		ed's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"			Substantive	

#### **High-Risk Land Exclusion Option**

The BP provides insurance coverage on all insurable acres planted to a crop in the county. When coverage and rates are provided in the actuarial documents for high-risk land, insureds are required to insure the high-risk land at an increased cost reflective of the increased risk. Insureds who do not wish to insure high-risk land on an additional coverage policy may amend the BP by signing and submitting the High-Risk Land Exclusion Option (by crop(s) and policy) to the AIP. See CIH for further instruction regarding this option.

1	Insured Information					
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive				
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive				
C	"City and State"	Substantive				
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive				
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"	Substantive				
F	"Policy Number"	Substantive				
G	"State and County"	Substantive				
H	"Identification Number"	Substantive				
I	"Identification Number Type"	Substantive				
2	Crop Information					
A	"Crop(s)"	Substantive				
В	"Crop Year"	Substantive				
3	Terms and Conditions					
A	Policy Basic Provisions to exclude from crop insurance coverage all high-risk land the identified crop(s) and county(ies) in which you have a share, subject to the folterms and conditions:  (1) "The option must be submitted to us on or before the final date for accepting applications for the initial crop year in which you wish to exclude high-risk used in this option, you are declining crop insurance coverage under the Common Crop Insurance Policy Basic Provisions and the applicable crop provisions on your high-risk land."  (3) "As used in this option, high-risk land is any land to which a high risk classification applies as contained in the actuarial document(s)."  "This option may be canceled by either you or us for any succeeding crop y giving written notice on or before the applicable cancellation date provided policy, preceding such crop year."  (4) "You must report, on the acreage report for each crop year, the acreage of the planted on high-risk land."  "In the event of a loss on any insured unit, you must provide separate production for any acreage is excluded from crop insurance coverage under this option."  (6) "All other provisions of the policy not in conflict with this option are applications."	Illowing  Ing Is land."  The  Substantive  Year by I by the  The crop  Illuction In which				

# High-Risk Land Exclusion Option (Continued)

4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			
5	5 Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive			

#### **Transfer of Coverage and Right to an Indemnity**

Use a Transfer of Coverage and Right to an Indemnity to transfer insurance coverage and the right to any subsequent indemnity from one insured person to another person. The transfer is used when a transfer of part or all of the ownership/share of the insured crop occurs during the insurance period. See GSH for further instruction regarding this form.

1 '	Transferor Information			
A	"Transferor's Name"		Substantive	
В	"Transferor's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive	
C	"City and State"		Substantive	
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive	
E	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
F	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:"			
	——"Range:" ——"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land gran	nts, metes and bounds, etc.):"		
2	Crop Information			
A	"Crop(s)"		Substantive	
В	"Crop Year"		Substantive	
C	"Unit Number"		Substantive	
D	"Is the entire insured acreage and the entire insured share on this unit being transferred? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ "			
E	Note: Statement "(1)" below may be used alone. If both statements are used the form should indicate "Check one of the boxes".  "(1)			
F G H	"FSA Farm, Tract, Field Number"  "Grid ID"  "Index Interval"  Note: Substantive for RI/VI Only.			
3	Transferee Information			
A	"Transferee's Name"			
В	"Transferee's Street and/or Mailing Address"			
C	"City and State"		Substantive	
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive	
E	"Policy Number"		Substantive	

# Transfer of Coverage and Right to an Indemnity (Continued)

3	Transferee Information (continued)	
F	"Transferee's Identification Number"	Substantive
G	"Transferee's Identification Number Type"	Substantive
Н	"Person Type"	Substantive
Ι	"Acreage Transferred"	Substantive
J	"Share Transferred"	Substantive
K	"Effective Date of Transfer"	Substantive
L	"Nature of Transfer"	Substantive
4	Terms and Conditions	
	"Acceptance by the Approved Insurance Provider of the above-described transfer shall transfer the insured's right to an indemnity to the above-named transferee subject to:"	
A	"Receipt by the Approved Insurance Provider of satisfactory evidence that said transfer occurred before the end of the insurance period; i.e., (a) the date harvest was completed on the unit, (b) the calendar date for the end of the insurance period, or (c) the date the entire crop on the unit was destroyed, as determined by the Approved Insurance Provider."	Substantive
	<ul> <li>"The terms of the above-identified insurance contract, including any outstanding assignment of indemnity made by the transferor prior to the date of transfer."</li> <li>"All other terms and provisions set forth herein."</li> </ul>	
В	"The Approved Insurance Provider shall not be liable for any more indemnity than existed before the transfer occurred."	Substantive
С	"The insurance policy of the transferor covers the share hereby transferred only to the end of the insurance period for the current crop year."	Substantive
D	"The "Transferee" and the "Transferor" shall be jointly and severally liable for any unpaid premium earned for the current crop year on the acreage and share transferred.  The premium for the unit has been paid: Yes   No  "	Substantive
E	\$ "Total premium on this unit"	Substantive
F	\$ "Premium on acreage transferred"	Substantive
G	\$ "Premium on retained acreage"	Substantive
Н	\$ "Premium paid with transfer"	Substantive

# Transfer of Coverage and Right to an Indemnity (Continued)

5	5 Required Statements					
A	"I, [INSERT TRANSFEREE'S NAME], the Transferee, understand that all billing statements and due process letters will only be issued to [INSERT TRANSFEROR'S NAME], the Transferor. Any unpaid premium and/or administrative fees on the termination date of the policy will make both the transferee and the transferor ineligible for the crop insurance program."	Note: This statement must appear above the signature line	Substantive			
В	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
C	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
D	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		Substantive			
6	6 Required Signatures					
A	"Transferor's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			
В	"Transferee's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive				
C	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"					

# Withdrawal Claim for Indemnity

1	1 Insured Information				
A	"Insured's Na	ame"		Substantive	
В	"Claim Num	ber"		Substantive	
F	"Policy Num	ber"		Substantive	
C	"Crop(s)"			Substantive	
D	"Unit Numbe	er(s)"		Substantive	
2	Terms and C	onditions			
A	Withdrawal Statement  "For the unit number(s) listed above, I withdraw this claim for indemnity against the Approved Insurance Provider on this policy as of this date. I agree and understand that signing this withdrawal in no way changes the terms of the policy, or affects any other loss that may subsequently occur."			Substantive	
В	"□ I am electing benefits under another USDA program."			Non- Substantive	
3	Required Sta	tements			
A	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3				
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4			Substantive	
4	4 Required Signatures				
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive	

#### **Request for RMA Assigned Identification Number**

Applicable to insured individuals or individuals with an SBI in the insured that are not legally required to have a SSN or EIN number as defined in the applicable policy provisions and GSH procedures. Such individuals may be assigned an identification number that can be used for insurance purposes.

Individuals requesting an assigned number must be eligible to receive Federal benefits and must meet the requirements as provided in the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (PRWORA), 8 U.S.C. § 1611, which provides, with certain exceptions, only United States citizens, United States non-citizen nationals and "qualified aliens" (and sometimes only particular categories of qualified aliens) are eligible for Federal, State, and local public benefits. Refer to GSH for documentation requirements for non-citizens and AIP instructions.

1	Applicant Information		
A	"[YEAR] and Succeeding Crop Years"		Substantive
В	"Applicant's Name"		Substantive
C	"Applicant's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
D	"City and State"		Substantive
E	"Zip code"		Substantive
F	"State and County"		Substantive
G	"Policy Number (if applicable)"		Substantive
H	"Identification Number of Insured (if reques	t is for SBI)"	Substantive
I	"Identification Number Type of Insured (if r	request is for SBI)"	Substantive
J	"Insured's Person Type (if request is for SBI	()"	Substantive
K	"Documentation Type"	Note: For example, Admitted for Permanent Residence, Admitted as a Refugee, Asylee, etc. Provide instruction to "include a brief list of all attached documentation, e.g., INS Form I-94". Refer to GSH.	Substantive
L	"Is this request to renew a previously issued	RMA Assigned Number? Yes □ No □"	Substantive
M	"If yes, list the previously issued RMA Assi expiration date."	gned Number, the issue date, and the	Substantive
2	Required Signatures		
A	"Applicant's Printed Name, Signature and D	Pate"	Substantive
В	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date	e"	Substantive
C	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Printed	Substantive	
D	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Street and/or Mailing Address"		
E	"AIP's Authorized Representative's Telepho	one Number"	Substantive

# Request for RMA Assigned Identification Number (Continued)

3	3 Required Statements						
A	"I certify that [INSERT NAME OF APPLICANT] has met all other program requirements under the authority of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (the Act) with the exception of providing a SSN/EIN."	Note: This statement must appear above the AIP representative's signature line	Substantive				
В	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive				
C	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive				
D	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive				

#### **Request to Waive Administrative Fee for Limited Resource Farmer**

The administrative fee for the Catastrophic Risk Protection Endorsement and additional coverage may be waived for insureds who qualify as a limited resource farmer. See GSH for further information regarding the waiver of administrative fees.

1	Insured	Information			
A	"Insure	ed's Name"			Substantive
В	"Insure	ed's Authorized Representative"			Substantive
C	"Street	t and/or Mailing Address"			Substantive
D	"City a	and State"			Substantive
E	"Zip C	ode"			Substantive
F	"Coun	ty"			Substantive
G	"Identi	ification Number"			Substantive
Н	"Identi	ification Number Type"			Substantive
Ι	"Policy	y Number''			Substantive
2	Terms a	nd Conditions			
A	_	SURED'S NAME], request that the adm ved for the [YEAR] crop year."	Note: The following statements are required.		Substantive
В			as specified at <a href="https://lrftool.sc">https://lrftool.sc</a> this statement m "sales not mo specified by the Conservation Sea <a href="https://lrftool.sc">https://lrftool.sc</a> ar, or was insured	.egov.usda.gov/"  for the 2005 crop year	Substantive
		"I was insured prior to the 2005 crop year, or was insured for the 2005 crop year for a crop with a contract change date prior to August 31, 2004, and administrative fees were waived for one or more of those crop years because I qualified as a limited resource farmer under the limited resource farmer definition in effect at the time, and that I remain qualified as a limited resource farmer under the definition that was in effect at the time the administrative fee was waived.  If requested, I agree to provide records of income and acreage needed to document my qualification as a limited resource farmer."			

#### Request to Waive Administrative Fee for Limited Resource Farmer (Continued)

3	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			
4	4 Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			
В	"AIP Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"		Substantive			

#### **Unit Division Option**

Agents will prepare a Unit Division Option and transmit to the AIP for verification. See also, CIH for form completion instructions.

1	nsured Information	
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
C	"City and State"	Substantive
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive
G	"State and County"	Substantive
E	"Plan of Insurance"	Substantive
F	"Policy Number"	Substantive
Н	"Crop Year"	Substantive
2	Terms and Conditions	
A	"Upon our verification of this option, we agree to amend the definition of optional units when your Federal Crop Insurance Policy(ies) permit optional units by section subject to the following terms and conditions:"  "You are allowed one Option per county that covers all applicable insured crops. The Option must be submitted to us on or before the applicable acreage reporting date for the crop before it is effective for that crop. If it is determined you have two or more Options, the Option with the earliest date will be applicable to all crops and the other Options(s) will be void."  "You must aggregate legally identifiable parcels of land into parcels that contain a minimum of 640 acres. The aggregation of parcels for optional units will be established at the time you complete and sign this Option. Optional units are established on the attached sketch map(s)."  "For each optional unit you must have available written verifiable records of acreage and production for the previous crop year and maintain records for the current crop year, and succeeding crop year's in which this option remains in effect."  (4) "Upon our request, if you fail to provide to us such records, optional units created under this Option will revert to the basic unit(s)."  (5) "Determination of your optional units will be made at the time you report your acreage of the insured crop."  "For crop(s) requiring production reports, to retain such optional units, acceptable production reports must be filed by the Production Report Date, annually, for each optional unit."  "This is a continuous option which may be canceled by either you or us for any succeeding crop year by giving written notice on or before the cancellation date. All other provisions of the policy not in conflict with this Option are applicable."	Substantive

# **Unit Division Option (Continued)**

3	3 Other Information					
A	"Optional Units"			Substantive		
В	"Descriptions of Designated Parcels of Land"	<b>Note:</b> Create a table with the columns for A-C.	efollowing	Substantive		
C	"Acres"			Substantive		
D	"Note: A map identifying the above must be attached and numbered as of"	<b>Note:</b> Include this note below	w the table.	Substantive		
4	4 Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Certification Statement Exhibit 2				
В	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3			Substantive		
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive		
5	Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Dat	te"		Substantive		
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"					
C D	Verified by □  "AIP Authorized Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"  Note: Affix item C above AIP Authorized Representative's Signature:			Substantive		

#### **New Producer Certification**

Form is completed when an insured initially requests new producer status for APH Database Establishment. This form is non-substantive; however, if AIPs elect to use this form, all elements are substantive.

1	Insured Information				
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive		
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive			
C	"City and State"		Substantive		
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive		
E	"Telephone Number"		Substantive		
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive		
G	"State and County"		Substantive		
Н	"Crop Year"		Substantive		
Ι	"Identification Number"		Substantive		
J	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive		
K	"SBI Identification Number"		Substantive		
L	"SBI Identification Number Type"		Substantive		
2	Crop Information				
A	"Crop"		Substantive		
В	"Practice/Type"		Substantive		
3	New Producer Certification Statement				
A	"I certify that I have not produced the insured crop in the county for more the crop years  I certify that I was not a member of another insured entity as a substantial be interest holder, which produced the insured crop in the county for more that crop years.  I certify that any substantial beneficial interest holders for the policy in whi producer status is requested, have not produced the insured crop in the count than two APH crop years."	eneficial n two APH ch new	Substantive		
В	"Comments:"		Substantive		
4	Required Statements				
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive		
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive		
_	5 Required Signatures				
3	Required Signatures				

# RMA Regional Office Determined Yield Request

1 (	General Information		
A	"Agent's Name"		Substantive
В	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
C	"City and State"	Substantive	
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive	
В	"Agent Code Number"		Substantive
E	"Telephone Number"		Substantive
	•		Non-
F	"Email"		Substantive
G	"Insured Name (as shown on the Application	n)"	Substantive
Н	"Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive
Ι	"City and State"		Substantive
J	"Zip Code"		Substantive
K	"State and County"		Substantive
L	"State"		Substantive
M	"Policy Number"		Substantive
N	"Crop Year"		Substantive
О	"Identification Number"		Substantive
P	"Identification Number Type"	<b>Note:</b> To become Substantive requirement in next issuance of DSSH	Non- Substantive
Q	"Insured is:  ☐ Landlord ☐ Operator ☐ Owner/Operator"		Substantive
2	Request Information		
A	"Provide the following information for the request:"	<b>Note:</b> Create a table with the following column in B-N	Substantive
В	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:" "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land)	nd grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Substantive
C	"Crop"	Substantive	
D	"Unit Number"		Substantive
E	"Whole Acres"		Substantive
F	"Plant Date"		Substantive
G	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"		Substantive
H	"Practice"		Substantive

# RMA Regional Office Determined Yield Request (Continued)

2	Request Inform	nation (continued)	
Ι	"Type/Class/Vari	ety"	Substantive
J	"Insured Share"		Substantive
K	"Name of Other I	Person(s) Sharing in the Crop"	Substantive
	"Request Type (c	heck one):	
L		Category B Crop(s)	Substantive
		Category C Crop(s)"	
	"Reason for this Request:"	<b>Note</b> : Create a checklist with the following columns for items (1)-(9). Instruct the requestor to select one of the reasons.	
	(1)   (2)   (3)	"Master Yield (Category B Crop(s))"  "Underage Crop (Category C Crop(s))"	
	(2) □	Underage Crop (Category C Crop(s))	
	(3) □	"Higher Yield Request (Category C Crop(s), Pecan Revenue)"	
	(4) 🗆	"Change in Practice or Production Methods (Category C Crop(s), Pecan Revenue)"	
M	(5) □	"High Variability Yield Adjustment (Category C Crop(s))"	Substantive
	(6) □	"Minimum Production Requirement (Category C Crop(s))"	
	(7) 🗆	"Other When Authorized in writing by RMA for Category C"	
	(8) □	"Productivity is Reduced (Category C Crop(s), Florida Citrus, Pecan Revenue)"	
	(9) 🗆	"New Producer and Variable T-Yield Exception (Category B Crop(s))"	
	(10) □	"Irrigation Supply is Not Adequate (Category C Crop(s))"	
N	"Explain Reason(	s) for Regional Office Determined Yield Request"	Substantive

# RMA Regional Office Determined Yield Request (Continued)

3	3 Submission Documentation					
A	"Check all that apply"  "Check all that apply "C		Non- Substantive			
	(1)   "Application/Policy Confirmation"					
	(2)   "Current APH Database, including	Production Reports for unit(s)'	,			
	(3) "Copy of Production Records subst that have been met – Category C C		minimums			
	(4)   "APH Block Production – Category C Crops Only"					
В	(5)  "Weighted Average Age/Density Worksheet(s) – Category C Crops Only"			Substantive		
	(6) □ "Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet(s) – Category C Crops Only"					
	(7)   "Perennial Crop Pre-Acceptance Inspection Report– Category C Crops Only"					
	(8)   "Master Yield Summary APH Database"					
	(9)   "Other"	<b>Note:</b> Including other re documents per the current Insurance Handbook.				
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive		
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4			Substantive		
5 1	5 Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Dat	e"		Substantive		
В	"AIP Authorized Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"			Substantive		
C	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"					

#### **Production Report**

The purpose of a production report is to collect the prior crop year(s)' production from the insured and the information contained within the production report is used to establish the approved APH yield for the current year. An annual production report is required for all crops with a yield-based plan of insurance that is required to establish the approved APH yield. For form completion instructions, see also the CIH.

1 1	Insured Information	
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
C	"City and State"	Substantive
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"	Substantive
F	"Policy Number"	Substantive
G	"Crop Year"	Substantive
Н	"Identification Number"	Substantive
I	"Identification Number Type"	Substantive
J	"Plan of Insurance"	Non- Substantive
2	Crop Information	Buostantive
A	"Crop"	Substantive
В	"Practice/Type/T-yield Map Area/Other Characteristics"	Substantive
C	"Unit Number"	Substantive
D	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:"	Substantive
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Cultate
E	"Other Person(s)"	Substantive
F	"Other"	Substantive

# Production Report (Continued)

2	2 Crop Information (continued)				
G	"Record Type"	Record Type"			
Н	"Processor Number/Name"		Substantive		
Ι	"Number Trees or Vines"	<b>Note:</b> Items G-Q are require		Substantive	
J	"Insurability"	applicable crop year's produc		Substantive	
K	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	These items are not required years within the base period		Substantive	
L	"Cropland Acres"	insured reports production fo		Non-	
	•	crop years. The AIP develop		Substantive	
M	"Crop Year of History"	have single crop year reporting		Substantive	
N O	"Total Production" "Acres"	AIP may adapt these standard		Substantive	
P	"Yields"	for multiple crop year reporti applicable.	ng, when	Substantive Substantive	
		аррисавіе.		Non-	
Q	"Insured Share"			Substantive	
R	"Multi Crop Year Reporting Reason"	<b>Note</b> : Provide instruction for to indication the applicable r is reporting a crop year other most recent APH crop year.	eason he/she	Substantive	
S	"New Producer  "I certify I have not produced the insured crop in the county for more than two years."	Note: Non-Substantive, if the Producer Certification Form is used, i.e., The Insured (inc SBI) has produced the crop leyears. Refer to CIH.	in Exhibit 37 luding the	Substantive	
T	Added Land/New Crop/Practice/Type/TMA	`□"		Substantive	
U	"State and County"			Substantive	
V	"Area Classification"			Substantive	
3	Required Statements				
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive	
В	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3			Substantive	
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4			Substantive	
4	Required Signatures				
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Dat	te"		Substantive	
В	"Comments"			Non- Substantive	

#### **Actual Production History Database**

The production reports provided by the insured are used by the verifier to establish the APH database. The APH database consists of all years of production (within the base period) reported by the insured and is used to calculate the approved APH yield.

1	Insured Information			
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive		
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive		
C	"City and State"		Substantive	
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive	
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive	
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
G	"Crop Year"		Substantive	
H	"Identification Number"		Substantive	
2	Crop Information			
A	"Crop"		Substantive	
В	"Practice/Type/T-yield Map Area/Other Cha	aracteristics"	Substantive	
C	"Unit Number"		Substantive	
D	"State and County"		Substantive	
E	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:" "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish la	Substantive		
F	"Other Person(s) Sharing in the Crop"		Substantive	
G	"Other"		Substantive	
H	"T-Yield"		Substantive	
I	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"		Substantive	
J	"Crop Year of History"		Substantive	
K	"Total Production"	<b>Note:</b> For items I-N, allow space to	Substantive Substantive	
L		"Acres" provide the appropriate years of the		
M	"Yields"	base period.	Substantive	
N	"Yield Descriptors"	Substantive		
0	"Total"	Substantive Substantive		
P	"Preliminary Yield"			
Q	"Prior Yield"	Substantive		
R	"Average Yield"	Substantive		

# **Actual Production History Database (Continued)**

2	Crop Information (continued)		
S	"Adjusted Yield"		Substantive
T	"Rate Yield"		Substantive
U	"Approved Yield"		Substantive
$\mathbf{V}$	"Yield Indicator"		Substantive
$\mathbf{W}$	"Required: □Field Review □Inspection"		Substantive
3 1	Required Statements		
A	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		
4 1	Required Signatures	·	
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"  YE/YO require when You insured excluding eligible.	Substantive if Insured elects opt out. An insured is only d to sign the APH database YE/YC is elected and the has chosen to opt-out of ng an actual yield(s) in crop year(s), and/or elected to not apply to the APH se.	Substantive
В	"Comments"		Non- Substantive

#### **Summary of Revenue History Database**

For Pecan Revenue only, the Summary of Revenue History Database consists of all years of production, within the base period, reported by the insured and is used to calculate the approved SRH yield.

1	Insured Information				
A	"Insured's Name"				
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive			
C	"City and State"		Substantive		
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive		
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive		
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive		
G	"Crop Year"	Note: First Year Coverage Module	Substantive		
H	"Identification Number"		Substantive		
I	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive		
J	"State and County"		Substantive		
2	Crop Information				
A	"Practice/Type/Map Area/Other Characterist	ics"	Substantive		
В	"Unit Number"		Substantive		
С	"Section:""Township:""Range:""Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land)	Substantive			
D	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	Substantive			
E	"Other Person(s) Sharing in the Crop"		Substantive		
F	"T-Revenue"		Non- Substantive		
G	"Crop Year of History"		Substantive		
H	"Gross Sales"		Substantive		
I	"Total Pound Production"	<b>Note:</b> For items F-L, allow space to	Non-		
		provide the appropriate years of the	Substantive		
J K	"Acres" "Yield in Pounds"	base period.	Substantive Substantive		
L	"Average Gross Sales per Acre"		Substantive		
M	"Yield Descriptor"		Substantive		
N	"Total Number of Years"		Substantive		
0	"Total Average Gross Sales per Acre"	<b>Note:</b> For items N-R, ensure the rows	Substantive		
P	"Approved Average Revenue per Acre"	directly follow the columns in F-L	Substantive		
Q	"Yield Indicator"	above.	Substantive		
R	"Required PAIR"		Substantive		

# **Summary of Revenue History Database (Continued)**

3	Other Information		
A	"Comments"		Substantive
4	Required Statements		
A	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive
В	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive

#### Revenue Report

For Pecan Revenue, to collect the prior crop year(s)' production and gross sales from the insured for the prior two-year coverage module. The information contained in the revenue report is used to establish the approved SRH yield for the current coverage module. A revenue report is required at the beginning of a two-year coverage module.

1	Insured Information				
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive		
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive		
C	"City and State"	Substantive			
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive		
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive		
F	"Policy Number"		Substantive		
G	"Crop Year"		Substantive		
Н	"Identification Number"		Substantive		
Ι	"Identification Number Type"		Substantive		
2	Crop Information				
A	"Practice/Type"		Substantive		
В	"State and County"		Substantive		
C	"Unit Number"		Substantive		
	"Legal Description:"				
	"Section:"				
	Section.				
D	"Township:"	"Township:"			
	"Range:"				
	Kange.				
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land	grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"			
E	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"		Substantive		
F	"Other Person(s) Sharing in the Crop"		Substantive		
G	"Record Type"		Substantive		
H	"Contract Number"		Substantive		
I	"Number of Trees"		Substantive		
J	"Insurability"	<b>Note:</b> Items G-P, are required for the	Substantive		
K	"Gross Sales"	most recent two crop year's revenue report. These items are not required for	Substantive		
$\mathbf{L}$	"Total Pound Production"	all crop years within the base period	Non-		
	"Acres"	unless the insured reports production for	Substantive Substantive		
M		multiple crop years.	Substantive		
N O	"Yield Descriptor"  "Yield in Pounds"	-	Substantive		
		-			
P	"Average Gross Sales per Acre"		Substantive		

# Revenue Report (Continued)

2	2 Crop Information (continued)					
Q	"Multi Crop Year Reporting Reason"  Note: Provide instruction for the insured to indication the applicable reason he/she is reporting a crop years other than the most recent two crop years in the coverage module.			Substantive		
R	"Added Acreage"	•		Substantive		
3 (	Other Information					
A	"Comments"					
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement Exhibit 3					
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4					
5	5 Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature, and Date'	,		Substantive		

#### **Agreement to Combine Optional Units**

Use this form to allow a producer to combine multiple optional units into one optional unit. See also the CIH.

1 l	1 Insured Information				
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive			
В	"Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive			
C	"City and State"	Substantive			
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive			
E	"Agent's Name"	Substantive			
F	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive			
G	"State and County"	Substantive			
H	"Initial Crop Year"	Substantive			
I	"Policy Number"	Substantive			
2 1	2 Unit Information				
A	"Applicable Crops"	Substantive			
В	"Units Numbers Combined (Identify units by unit number)"	Substantive			
С	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:"  "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Substantive			
D	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	Substantive			

#### **Terms and Conditions** "This is a continuous agreement." "Upon our verification and approval of this Agreement, we agree to combine the acreage and production history from separate APH databases for the combined (1) optional units for the insured crop(s) listed, into a single APH database by practice, type or transitional yield map area, as applicable." "By signing this Agreement, you agree to farm two or more optional units as a combined unit. Once approved, this option is continuous and remains in effect (2) unless the crop's basic unit structure changes and those changes cause the combined unit structure to be invalid or if the crop's insurance policy is cancelled and continuity of insurance coverage is broken." "The Agreement must be submitted to us on or before the production reporting date for the applicable crop(s) and approved by us to be effective for the crop year. If (3) not submitted on or before the crop's production reporting date, the option (if approved) will be effective the succeeding crop year." "The optional units being combined must be located in the same county and in (4) separate sections, section equivalents or Farm Service Agency Farm Numbers (FSA FNs), whichever is applicable." "The sections, section equivalents, or FSA FNs containing the optional units being combined must adjoin (lie next to or be in contact with each other). A copy of an aerial photograph or other map that clearly identifies the sections, section (5) equivalents or FSA FNs containing the optional units being combined that demonstrates they adjoin must be attached." Substantive A "If you transfer a crop's policy on which the Agreement is in force to a different insurance agency/AIP, the Agreement transfers with the crop's policy and remains in effect and you are not permitted to separate the combined units into additional optional units. You must provide a copy of this Agreement to your new insurance agency/AIP. If the Agreement is not transferred and you divide the combined unit into optional units and the new insurance agency/AIP discovers that you have divided a combined unit listed on this agreement into optional units: (6)The acreage and production history from the separate optional unit APH databases will be combined according to this Agreement, beginning with the (a) crop year that the combined units were separated; and If any indemnities were paid on the optional units, the approved APH yield will be corrected for such crop years as indicated in a. above and the indemnity will be recalculated. If the recalculated indemnity is less than the (b) indemnity that was paid when you violated the terms of this agreement, you must pay the AIP the difference." "If the basic unit structure changes after this Agreement is approved, and the combined unit must be divided into more than one basic unit, you must notify us and recertify the acreage and production according to the land that is contained in each basic unit no later than the crop's production reporting date. If you fail to do (7) so, we will assign yields for such crop years that have planted acreage for the applicable crops. The acreage and production and/or assigned yield applicable to

the land contained in each basic unit will be used to establish separate APH

databases for the new basic units."

# Agreement to Combine Optional Units (Continued)

4	4 Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			
5	Required Signatures					
A	A "Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"					
В	B "AIP Authorized Representative's Printed Name, Signature, and Date"					
C	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive			

#### **Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet**

This worksheet applies to Category C Crops; refer to the CIH for form completion instructions. Some standards below are crop specific modify this worksheet in crop information to the specific Category C crop.

1	General Information			
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Nar	ne"	Substantive	
В	"Applicant's/Insured's Pol	Substantive		
C	"Unit Number"		Substantive	
D	"Crop"		Substantive	
E	"State and County"		Substantive	
F	"Legal Description:""Section:""Township:""Range:""Other Land Identifie	r (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Substantive	
G	"Crop Year"		Substantive	
Н	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Nu	mber"	Substantive	
2	Crop Information			
	<b>Note:</b> Create a table for th			
A	"Block Number"		Substantive	
В	"Line Number"		Non-Substantive	
C	"Type"		Substantive	
D	"Practice"		Substantive	
E	"Variety"		Substantive	
F	"Rootstock"	Note: N/A cranberry, blueberries, and avocado.	Substantive	
G	"Month/Year Planted"		Substantive	
Н	"Month/Year Grafted"	<b>Note:</b> Includes dehorned, buckhorned, stumped, etc as applicable to crop provision reporting requirements.	Substantive	
I	"Number of Plants"	<b>Note:</b> Or, "Number of trees, vines, bushes". N/A cranberries or lowbush blueberries"	Substantive	
J	"Plant Spacing"		Substantive	
K	"Planting Pattern"	Substantive		
L	"Interplanted with another	Substantive		
M	"Acres" Substantive			
N	"Percent Stand"		Substantive	
0	"Density"	Note: N/A cranberries or lowbush blueberries	Substantive	
P	"Insurable or Uninsurable"		Substantive	
Q	"Totals:"	Note: "For Acres and Number of Plants"	Substantive	

# Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet (Continued)

3	Requi	red Q	uestions			
	Yes No Create a block for the following questions, include a Yes □ No □ option at the end of each question with instruction to check one.					
		(1) "Has damage (e.g., disease, hail, freeze) occurred to Trees/Vines/Bushes/Bog that will reduce the insured crop's production from previous crop years? If yes to disease, list type."				
A			<ul> <li>(2) "Have practices or production methods (e.g., removal, de grafting, transitioning to or from organic) been performed reduce the insured crop's production from previous crop a. "Is acreage transitioning from conventional to the first year?"</li> <li>b. "Is acreage changing from organic to conven first year?"</li> </ul>	I that will years?" o organic for	Substantive	
			(3) "Organic: has the acreage been affected by a Prohibited 9 (biological, chemical, or other agent) which results in a cle practice? If yes select: □ Organic to Transitional □ Organic Conventional"	hange in		
			(4) "Is the current water supply (surface allotment/well) adeq produce a normal crop for the crop year being certified about the control of the crop year being certified about the control of the crop year being certified about the control of the			
			(5) "Is any of your crop direct marketed or vertically integra	ated?"		
4	Required Statements					
A	Certifi	cation	Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive	
В	Privac	y Act	Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive	
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4			Substantive		
5	Requi	red Si	gnatures			
A				Substantive		

# Perennial Crop Pre-Inspection Report

This report is to be completed by the AIP. See also, the CIH for form completion instructions.

1 (	General Information	
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Applicant's/Insured's Telephone Number"	Substantive
C	"Applicant's/Insured's Policy Number"	Substantive
D	"Applicant's/Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
E	"City and State"	Substantive
F	"Zip Code"	Substantive
G	"State and County"	Substantive
Н	"Name of Owner"	Substantive
I	"Name of Operator"	Substantive
J	"Crop"	Substantive
K	"Crop Year"	Substantive
L	"Unit Number"	Substantive
M	"Legal Description:""Section:""Township:""Range:""Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Substantive
N	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	Substantive
0	"Location Description"	Substantive
2	Required Questions for Inspector	
	<b>Note:</b> Create a question section, include items A-AB to be completed by the Inspector.	
A	"Number of Years Insured has operated this unit. If less than 3 years, include previous owner's name and address, if known."	Substantive
В	"Has this unit been insured in previous years? If yes, include the number of year's insured and prior policy number(s)."	Substantive
C	"Describe weed control measures used for the unit. Include a description of the orchard/vineyard/plantation/bog floor management: (e.g., sterile/sod/cover crop)."	Substantive
D	"Describe the fertilization program used for the unit. Include the insured's method of monitoring soil fertility (e.g., soil analysis, foliar analysis, or both):"	Substantive
E	"Describe in detail insect control measures used (i.e., integrated pest management/calendar spray program): Evidence of disease/insects (check one):  □ Rare □ Moderate □ Severe"	Substantive

# Perennial Crop Pre-Inspection Report (Continued)

2   I	Required Questions for I	nspector (conti	nued)			
F	"Describe wildlife control	measures:"	<b>Note:</b> As applicable to the crop provision reporting requirements.	Substantive		
G	and location:"	"Describe in detail the use and placement of bees for pollination. Include type, quality, and location:"				
Н	"Describe in detail the vari quantity, density and conf		as pollinizer(s). Include variety/location,	Substantive		
I	"Is a tree/vine/bush/bog re	eplacement progra	m being carried out?"	Substantive		
J	"Describe the trellis type a	and condition:"		Substantive		
K	"Describe in detail the pru whether pruning is annual		ed; date normally completed, and indicate	Substantive		
L	<ul> <li>"Surface:percentage of total supply         <ul> <li>Irrigation district name;</li> <li>Allocation last year:percentage of normal</li> <li>Expected allocation this year;percentage of normal"</li> </ul> </li> <li>"Irrigation Well(s):percentage of normal         <ul> <li>How many wells?</li> <li>Total gallons per minute?GPM"</li> <li>"Water obtained through water transfer:acre feet per acre"</li> <li>"acre feet per acre f</li></ul></li></ul>		Substantive			
M	"Is the unit subject to abo	ve normal flood ha	azards? If so, explain:"	Substantive		
N	"Describe the type of frost protection used including the average times used."			Substantive		
О	"Are there soil limitations (i.e., slope, depth, drainage, ph, saline/alkali, toxicity)? If so, explain:"					
P	"What date is/was harvest complete(d) for the unit under normal conditions?"			Substantive		
Q	"Remarks:"			Substantive		
	Substantive for Low Bush	Blueberries Only	·:			
R	"Type of mulch used and percent of bare surface covered:"			Substantive		
	Substantive for Cranberry Only:					

2 I	Required Questions for Inspector (continued)					
S	"Specific Management practices utilized each year of operation on this bog:"  Note: Create a table with the following: Column	Substantive				
T	"Bog manager's prediction of expected yield of this bog for the next 4 years:"	Substantive				
U	"Explain previous bog manager's experience:"	Substantive				
V	"Describe the use of frost warning system for the bog:"	Substantive				
W	"Describe the presence or absence of a backup power source for irrigation system and type of system."	Substantive				
X	"Describe the backup security systems utilized for irrigation equipment:"	Substantive				
Y	"List by Block: Time needed to flood bog, and time needed to remove the water from the bog."	Substantive				
Z	"Describe the general condition of bog dikes and banks:"	Substantive				
AA	"Describe the pruning/sanding practices used, include the percentage of the bog pruned and sanded last year, and the percentage of the bog pruned and sanded in the last five years."	Substantive				
AB	"Harvesting Method: Include the method of harvest percentage of wet and dry last year and the percentage of wet and dry for the next year."	Substantive				
3 A	creage/Inspection Information					
A	"Measured or Determined Acres of Unit, Total Unit Acreage Insurable, and Uninsurable, and Method of Measurement"	Substantive				
В	"Measured or Determined Acres of Unit, and Total Unit Acreage Insurable"	Substantive				
С	"Determine whether current observed conditions reconcile to prior records"	Substantive				

<b>3</b> A	Acreage/Inspection Information (continued)				
D	<ul> <li>"Percent Stand"</li> <li>"Less than 50%</li> <li>50-60%</li> <li>61-70%</li> <li>71-80%</li> <li>81-90%</li> <li>91-100%"</li> <li>"Based on original planting pattern</li> <li>Spaces occupied by live trees/vines/bogs/bushes</li> <li>Bearing trees/vines/bogs/bushes (percent stand)</li> <li>Insurable Stand"</li> </ul> Note: Add the following rows to the table created.	Substantive			
E	"Describe the previous loss/damage history."	Substantive			
F	"Determine the current Unit potential (check one): □Stable □ Declining □ Increasing"	Substantive			
G	"Do trees/vines/bushes/plant have sufficient vigor to produce the Preliminary APH yield computed for this unit? □Yes □ No (check one)"	Substantive			
Н	"Plant Vigor (check one): □ Good □ Average □ Poor"				
Ι	"Determine if the rootstock variety is adaptable to the area and resistant to disease."	Substantive			
J	"If applicable, provide inside bin measurements:"				
K	"Insurable acreage and tree/vine/bush/bog information: Verify and/or correct Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet(s)"				
L	"Uninsurable acreage and tree/vine/bush/bog information: Verify and/or correct Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet(s)."	Substantive			
M	"Obtain and attach aerial photo(s)/map(s)"	Substantive			
N	"Additional information and comments (attach additional sheets if necessary):"	Substantive			
o	"Your evaluation of the management of the operation (check one and explain your choice if below average):  □ Above Average □ Average □ Below Average"	Substantive			
P	"Your evaluation of the orchard/vineyard/bog/grove conditions(check one and explain your choice if below average):  □ Above Average □ Below Average"	Substantive			
Q	"Action Recommended:  □ Acceptance □ RMA RO Determined Yield Request □ Rejection"	Substantive			
4	Required Signatures				
A	Adjuster Printed Named, Signature and Date	Substantive			
В	Adjuster Telephone Number and Contact Point				
C	Supervisor Printed Name, Signature and Date	Substantive			
D	Supervisor Telephone Number	Substantive			

# **Macadamia Orchard Inspection Report**

1 (	General Information			
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Name"		Substantive	
В	"Applicant's/Insured's Street and/or Mailing Add	ress"	Substantive	
C	"Applicant's/Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive	
D	"County or Island"		Substantive	
E	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
F	"Agent Name"		Substantive	
G	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive	
Н	"Agent's City and State"		Substantive	
I	"Agent's Zip code"		Substantive	
J	"Check and verify all entries on the acreage report. If any entries are questionable, determine accuracy and correct, if necessary"	<b>Note:</b> Include the following instruction.	Substantive	
2	Orchard Information		•	
	<b>Note:</b> Create a section for the following question	s		
A	"Describe the condition of other macadamia orchards owned or managed by Applicant/Insured, if none, state none, if additional space is needed, enter additional information in the Remarks section"			
В	"Is the orchard managed by owner, yes or no, if no, specify who manages the orchard, include manager's name, address, and telephone number?"			
С	"Is the orchard located in an established macadamia area, yes or no, if no explain the general growing conditions and where the orchard is physically located. If additional space is needed, enter additional information in the Remarks section"			
	<b>Note:</b> Create a table with the following columns.			
D	"Unit Number"		Substantive	
E	"Variety"		Substantive	
F	"Acres in Plot"		Substantive	
G	"Tree Spacing"		Substantive	
Н	"Tree Count"			
Ι	"Month and Year Set"			
J	"Tree Condition, Enter 'Acceptable' or 'Unacceptable', as applicable, explain any unacceptable tree condition in the Remarks section."			
K	"Rate Area"			
L	"Weed Control Measures: Enter one of the follow Weed Control Without Chemicals (W/O CWC), of	<b>C</b> ;	Substantive	
M	"Excluded Acreage, explain why acreage is excluded in the Remarks section"			

# Macadamia Orchard Inspection Report (Continued)

3	3 Other Information					
A	"The acreage covered by the above contract was inspected on the date shown below with the following results:  (1) □ Nothing found to require a change in data reported.  (2) □ Data reported was found to be such thatwas prepared."					
В	<b>B</b> "Is the application/acreage report recommended for acceptance, check Yes, or NO"					
C	C "Remarks:"					
4	4 Required Signature					
A	"Inspector's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive				
В	"Inspector's Code Number"	Substantive				
C	"Date of Inspection"	Substantive				

#### Florida Citrus Fruit Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet

This worksheet applies to the Dollar Plan, Category D Crop, and Florida Citrus Fruit; refer to the CIH.

1 (	1 General Information						
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Nan	ne"	Substantive				
В	"Applicant's/Insured's Stre	et and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive				
C	"City and State"		Substantive				
D	"Zip Code"	"Zip Code"					
E	"Applicant's/Insured's Tele	ephone Number"	Substantive				
F	"Applicant's/Insured's Poli	cy Number"	Substantive				
	"Legal Description:"						
	"Section:"						
G	"Township:"		Substantive				
	"Dangar"						
	"Range:"						
	"Other Land Identifier (	(e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"					
Н	"Crop Year"						
I	"State and County"		Substantive				
2	Crop Information						
	<b>Note:</b> Create a table for the	e following columns in A-Q.					
A	"Block Number"		Substantive				
В	"Unit Number"		Substantive				
C	"Crop"		Substantive				
D	"Date Set Out/Grafted"		Substantive				
E	"Month/Year Topworked/E	Buckhorned"	Substantive				
F	"Type"		Substantive				
G	"Number of Trees"		Substantive				
H	"Number of Trees Topwork	ked/Buckhorned"	Substantive				
I	"Planting Pattern"						
J	"Acres in Block"		Substantive				
K	"Tree Spacing"		Substantive				
L	"Percent Stand"						
M	"Number of Trees per Acre						
N	"Practice"						
O	"Insurable or Uninsurable"		Substantive				
P	"Totals:"	<b>Note:</b> Acres in Block, Number of Trees per Acre and Number of Plants	Substantive				
Q	"Estimated Production Box	es"	Substantive				

# Florida Citrus Fruit Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet (Continued)

3	3 Orchard Information					
	<b>Note:</b> The following questions are to be completed by the insured with the the AIP representative. Create a list of the following questions, and instruct to check/circle either "Yes" or "No" and fill in the blank, where applicable	et the insured				
A	"Date of Last Inspection"		Substantive			
В	"Has the dollar amount of insurance for the insured crop been previously a a reduction of the crop's production potential?"	djusted due to	Substantive			
С	"Has an adjustment been applied to the crop's insurable acres resulting in a comparable reduction in yield?"					
D	"Has damage (e.g., disease, hail, freeze) occurred to the trees that will reduce the insured crop's production?"					
E	"Have cultural practices or production methods (e.g., heavy pruning, transitioning to organic) been performed that will reduce the insured crop's production?"					
F	"Have trees been removed, buckhorned, topworked or replaced with uninsurable trees resulting in a change of the original plant stand for any reported insurable acreage?"					
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			
5	Required Signatures					
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive			

# Florida Citrus Fruit Perennial Crop Pre-Acceptance Inspection Report

This report is to be completed by the AIP. Refer to CIH for form completion instructions.

1 (	General Information	
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Applicant's/Insured's Telephone Number	Substantive
С	"Applicant's/Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
D	"City and State"	Substantive
E	"Zip Code"	Substantive
F	"State and County"	Substantive
G	"Policy Number"	Substantive
H	"Name of Owner"	Substantive
Ι	"Name of Operator"	Substantive
J	"Crop Year"	Substantive
K	"Date Set Out/Grafted"	Substantive
L	"Month/Year Topworked/Buckhorned"	Substantive
M	"Planting Pattern"	Substantive
	"Legal Description:"	
	"Section:"	
N	"Township:"	Substantive
	"Range:"	
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	
2 1	ndividual Citrus Grove Data	
A	"Type"	Substantive
В	"Unit Number"	Substantive
C	"Block Number"	Substantive
D	"Acres in Block"	Substantive
E	"Tree Spacing"	Substantive
F	"Number of Trees"	Substantive
G	"Number of Trees per Acre	Substantive
H	"Tree Age in Years"	Substantive
I	"Insurable Condition"	Substantive
J	"Estimated Production Boxes"	Substantive
K	"Tree Condition"	Substantive

#### Florida Citrus Fruit Perennial Crop Pre-Acceptance Inspection Report (Continued)

2	Indi	vidual Cit	rus Grove	e Data (co	ntinue	d)			
L	1	otals:"							Substantive
M	"Ex	"Excluded Acreage"  Note: Include the following instruction: "Enter an (1) for Production less than 100 boxes per acre; enter (2) if trees are not of insurable age."					Substantive		
N	"Fr	esh Fruit R	ecords Ver			<u></u>			Substantive
3	Othe	r Informa	tion						
A	Note: At minimum, map should be 8 rows by 8 columns. The AIP can choose to develop the block map on a form separate from the report or use GPS in conjunction with aerial photos or satellite imagery and overlay with the information contained on the plat map.					Substantive			
4	Requ	iired Ques	stions						
	Note: The following questions are to be completed by the insured with the assistance of the AIP representative. Create a list of the following questions, and instruct the insured to check/circle either "Yes" or "No" and fill in the blank, where applicable.								
A	"Has the dollar amount of insurance for the insured crop been previously adjusted due to a reduction of the crop's production potential?" If yes, list block(s) and explain:"  Substantial					Substantive			
В	"Has an adjustment been applied to the crop's insurable acres resulting in a comparable reduction in yield?" If yes, list block(s) and explain:"					Substantive			

# Florida Citrus Fruit Perennial Crop Pre-Acceptance Inspection Report (Continued)

4	<b>Required Questions</b>	(continued)			
С	"Has damage (e.g., disease crop's production? If yes, 1	, hail, freeze) occurred to the trees that will reduce the insured ist block(s) and explain:"	Substantive		
D		production methods (e.g. buckhorning, transitioning to at will reduce the insured crop's production? If yes, list	Substantive		
E		buckhorned, topworked or replaced with uninsurable trees original plant stand for any reported insurable acreage? If in:"	Substantive		
F	"Describe weed control me floor management: (e.g., st	easures used for the unit. Include a description of the orchard erile/sod/cover crop)"	Substantive		
G		program used for the unit. Include the insured's method of g., soil analysis, foliar analysis, or both)"	Substantive		
Н	"Describe in detail insect of management/calendar spray  Evidence of disease/insects	Substantive			
I	"Is a tree replacement program being carried out?"				
J	"If applicable, is fumigation used in the replacement program?"				
K	"Describe in detail the irrigation water source:"	<ul> <li>Surface:percentage of total supply         <ul> <li>Irrigation district name;</li> <li>Allocation last year:percentage of normal</li> <li>Expected allocation this year;percentage of normal</li> </ul> </li> <li>Irrigation Well(s):percentage of normal         <ul> <li>How many wells?</li> <li>Total gallons per minute?GPM</li> </ul> </li> <li>Water obtained through water transfer:acre feet per acre"</li> </ul>	Substantive		
L	"Is the unit subject to above	e normal flood hazards? If so, explain:"	Substantive		
M	explain:"	(i.e., slope, depth, drainage, Ph, saline/alkali, toxicity)?" If so,	Substantive		
N		op protection according to Citrus Health Management Area one):   Yes  No If yes, list CHMA District."	Substantive		

# Florida Citrus Fruit Perennial Crop Pre-Acceptance Inspection Report (Continued)

5	Acreage/Inspection Information				
A	"Determine whether current observed condit	ions reconcile to prior records	"	Substantive	
В	"Percent Stand by Block"		Substantive		
C	<ul> <li>"Less than 50%</li> <li>50-60%</li> <li>61-70%</li> <li>71-80%</li> <li>81-90%</li> <li>91-100%"</li> </ul>	e following	Substantive		
D	<ul> <li>"Based on original planting pattern</li> <li>Spaces occupied by live trees</li> <li>Bearing trees (percent stand)</li> <li>Insurable Stand"</li> </ul> Note: Add the following rows to the table created in item C above				
E	"Determine the current Unit potential: □Stab	ole   Declining   Increasing	(check one)"	Substantive	
F	"Measured or Determined Acres of Unit, and			Substantive	
G	"Do trees have sufficient vigor to produce th unit? □Yes □ No (check one)"	e amount of insurance compu	ted for this	Substantive	
H	"Plant Vigor: □ Good □ Average □ Poor"				
I	"Verify and/or correct Producer's Pre-Acceptance Worksheet(s)"."				
J	"Attach aerial photo(s)/map(s)"				
K	"Additional information and comments (attach additional sheets if necessary):"				
L	"Your evaluation of the management of the	operation:"		Substantive	
M	"□ Above Average □ Average □ F	Below Average (check one)"		Substantive	
N	"Your evaluation of the grove conditions:"			Substantive	
O	"□ Above Average □ Average □ F	Below Average (check one)"		Substantive	
P	"Action Recommended:"			Substantive	
Q	"□ Acceptance □ RMA RO Determined Yi	eld Request □ Rejection"		Substantive	
6	Required Signatures				
A	"Inspector's Printed Name, Signature and Da	ate"		Substantive	
В	"Inspector's Code Number"			Substantive	
C	"Date of Inspection"			Substantive	
D	"Supervisor Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive	
E "Supervisor Telephone Number"				Substantive	
	Required Statements				
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive		
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive	
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive	

# Weighted Average Age/Density Worksheet

See the CIH for form completion instructions.

1	General Information				
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Nan	ne"	Substantive		
В	"State"		Substantive		
C	"County"		Substantive		
D	"Crop"		Substantive		
E	"Practice"		Substantive		
F	"Type"		Substantive		
G	"Variety/Other"		Substantive		
H	"Crop Year"		Substantive		
I	"Unit Number"		Substantive		
J	"Policy Number"		Substantive		
	"Legal Description:"				
	((G, .; ., m)				
	"Section:"				
K	"Township:"	Substantive			
	"Range:"				
	Kalige.				
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"				
L	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"				
2	Crop Information				
	<b>Note:</b> Create a table for the	e following columns in A-L.			
A	"Block"		Substantive		
В	"Month/Year"		Substantive		
C	"Set Out Year"		Substantive		
D	"Acres"		Substantive		
E	"Set Out Year Extensions"		Substantive		
F	"Density"				
G	"Acres"				
Н	"Density Extensions"	Substantive			
Ι	"Totals:"  Note: Develop a Row for the Totals for Density x Acres and Set Out Year x Acres		Substantive		
J	"Weighted Average Set Ou	t Year"	Substantive		
K	"Weighted Average Density"				
L	"Transitional Yield"	Substantive			

# Forage Production Underwriting Report

1	General Information					
A	"Applicant's/Insured's Name"		Substantive			
В	"State"	Substantive				
C	"County"	Substantive				
D	"Crop Year"		Substantive			
E	"Policy Number"		Substantive			
2	Crop Information					
A	"Line Number"		Substantive			
В	"Unit Number"		Substantive			
C	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"		Substantive			
	"Legal Description:"					
	"Section:"					
D	"Township:"		Substantive			
	"Range:"					
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds,	etc.):"				
E	"Acres"					
F	"Share"		Substantive			
G	"Shareholder/Farm Name"		Substantive			
	"Forage Plants per Sq. ft.?"					
Н	(1) "Alfalfa"		Substantive			
	(2) "Clover"					
	(3) "Other"					
	"Percentage of Ground Cover"					
I	(1) "Alfalfa" (2) "Clover"	Substantive				
	(2) "Clover" (3) "Other"					
J	"Crop Practice"					
K	"Plants Other than Alfalfa"					
L	"Uninsurable Acres"					
M	"Acres Seeded with Another Crop"					
N	*					
3	Required Signatures					
A						
В	B "Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"					
4	Required Statements					
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive			

#### **Hybrid Seed Yield Request**

This request is to be completed by the Agent/AIP representative and submitted to the applicable RO for approved yield requests. Refer to the CIH.

1	General Information					
A	"Agent's Name"	Substantive				
В	"AIP Name"	Substantive				
C	"Seed Company Name"	Substantive				
D	"Facility/Plant Location"	Substantive				
E	"Seed Company Representative"	Substantive				
2	Crop Information					
	Note: Create a table for the following columns					
A	"Insured Name"	Substantive				
В	"State and County of Insured Crop"	Substantive				
C	"Number of Acres"	Substantive				
D	"Hybrid Identification"	Substantive				
E	"Crop"	Substantive				
F	"Type"	Substantive				
$\mathbf{G}$	"Practice"	Substantive				
3	Required Signatures					
A	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"	Substantive				
В	"AIP Representative's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive				

#### **Irrigated Practice Guidelines**

In accordance with the instructions in the Crop Insurance Handbook, FCIC-18010, approved insurance providers (AIPs) are to provide a copy of the following Irrigated Practice Guidelines to all insureds for whom the irrigated practice may apply.

These guidelines are provided to enable insureds to properly report planted or perennial acreage insured under an irrigated practice consistent with their crop insurance policy. It is important that these guidelines be utilized to document whether, at the time insurances attaches, there is a reasonable expectation of receiving adequate water to carry out a good irrigation practice for acreage reported under the irrigated practice. The guidelines, in entirety, are substantive and are to be given to the insured in administration of their crop insurance policy.

1	Definitions	
	<b>Note:</b> The following definitions are provided to facilitate a uniform understanding of the standards and guidelines for insuring an irrigated practice for planted or perennial crop acreage.	
A	Adequacy of Irrigation Facilities— Irrigation facilities are considered adequate if it is determined that, at the time insurance attaches to planted or perennial acreage, they will be available and usable at the times needed and have the capacity to timely deliver water in sufficient quantities to carry out a good irrigation practice for the acreage insured under the irrigated practice.	Substantive
В	<ul> <li>Efficient Irrigation — Carrying out a good irrigation practice using a lesser amount of irrigation water than historically applied, but still achieving the irrigated APH yield by implementing enhanced management practices to increase efficiency of irrigation water use.</li> <li>Enhanced management practices to increase efficiency of irrigation water use include, but are not limited to, the following:         <ul> <li>Irrigation Method - Employing an irrigation water distribution technique or technology that has demonstrated greater efficiency (e.g. converting gravity flood irrigation to a center pivot or underground drip tape).</li> <li>Converting high pressure impact sprinklers to low pressure impacts under center pivot irrigation.</li> <li>Soil Moisture Monitors - Using soil moisture monitor output to set the schedule and amount of irrigation water applied.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Substantive
C	Good Irrigation Practice – The application of adequate water in an acceptable manner, at the proper times, to allow production of a normal crop which is often identified as the approved APH yield for crops.	Substantive
D	Irrigation Equipment and Facilities – The physical resources, other than water, used to regulate the flow of water from a water source to the acreage. This includes pumps, valves, sprinkler heads, and other control devices. It also includes pipes or pipelines which: (1) are under the control of the insured; or (2) routinely deliver water only to acreage which is owned or operated by the insured. A center pivot system is considered irrigation equipment and facilities.	Substantive

# **Irrigated Practice Guidelines (Continued)**

1	<b>Definitions (continued)</b>	
E	Irrigation Water Supply – The water source and means for supplying irrigation water, not including equipment or facilities. This includes the water source and dams, canals, ditches, pipelines, etc., which contain the water for movement from the water source to the acreage that (1) are not under the control of the insured; or (2) routinely deliver water to acreage in addition to that which is owned or operated by the insured.	Substantive
F	Reasonable Expectation of Adequate Water – The insured had no reason to know at the time coverage began the amount of irrigation water may be limited or reduced. No reasonable expectation exists if the insured knew, or had reason to know, the amount of irrigation water may be reduced before coverage begins.	
G	Water Source – The source from which water is made available. This includes wells, lakes, reservoirs, streams, aquifers, etc.	Substantive

2	Require	ments						
	For planted must:	d or perennial acreage to be insured under and irrigated practice, the insured						
	(1)	(1) be able to document and demonstrate that there is a reasonable expectation of adequate water (refer to section 3);						
	(2)	able to document and demonstrate good irrigation practices;						
A	(3)	(3) be able to demonstrate that they have adequate irrigation equipment and facilities;						
	(4)	provide verifiable documentation to their AIP by the ARD that the irrigation water supply has replenished after a failure of the irrigation water supply prevented the insured from planting or the insured had a failure of irrigation water supply; and						
	(5)	keep separate production records for acreage insured under an irrigated practice from acreage insured under a practice other than irrigated (or with no practice applicable) and uninsured acreage.						

3	<b>Determination of Reasonable Expectation of Adequate Water</b>	
A	Factors to be considered (applicable to both the AIP and the insured) when determining and documenting whether a reasonable expectation of adequate water existed include, but are not limited to the following:  (1) Most recent 10-year historical average of available water and any applicable forecasting data from a credible authority responsible for monitoring and forecasting such conditions such as Irrigation Districts, State Department of Water Resources, Bureau of Reclamation, Water Boards, etc.	Substantive

3	<b>Determi</b>	nation of Reasonable Expectation of Adequate Water (continued)	
		<b>Examples</b> : Current Federal, state, or local water district allocations, historical inflows, current water levels, expected inflows resulting from snowpack, expected rainfall, etc.;	
	<b>(2)</b>	Water supply availability, quality, and usage;	
	<b>(3)</b>	Pump efficiency and capacity;	
	<b>(4)</b>	Water requirements (amount and timing) for all irrigated crops;	
	(5)	Water rights available to the insured (primary, secondary, urban versus agricultural use, etc.);	
	<u>(6)</u>	Contingency plans to handle water shortages;	
	<del>(7)</del>	Acres to be irrigated;	
	(8)	Ownership of the water source including the legal entitlement or rights to the water (state or Federal versus landowner or other private party);	
	(9)	Meters, measuring devices, and methods used to monitor good irrigation practice;	
A	<b>(10)</b>	Soil types, soil moisture levels, and pre-plant irrigation needs;	Substantive
	<b>(11)</b>	Water conservation methods, devices used, and plans utilized (if applicable);	
	(12)	Past crop planting history and tillage methods;	
	(13)	Supplemental water availability and usage including return flow or any precipitation which would normally be received, after insurance attaches;	
	(14)	Recommendations from local Cooperative Extension Service (CES), National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), or other source recognized by CES or NRCS to be an expert in the area regarding irrigation and crop production;	
	(15)	Decreased water allocation resulting from the diversion of water for environmental, public use or priority, or other reasons.	
		Note: Not an insurable cause of loss (COL) unless the diversion is	
	<mark>(16)</mark>	made necessary due to an insured COL; and  Management practices used or to be used to carry out efficient irrigation, as	
	(10)	applicable.	

4	Failure to Qualify or Carry Out a Good Irrigation Practice								
A	If the acreage fails to qualify for insurance under the irrigated practice, it will result in such acreage being insured under a practice other than irrigated. If no other appropriate practice is available for the acreage, insurance will not be considered to have attached on the acreage.	g insured under a practice other than irrigated. If no other appropriate							
В	Failure to carry out a good irrigation practice on acreage properly insured under the irrigated practice will result in an appraisal for uninsured causes on such acreage, unless:  (1) the failure was caused by unavoidable failure of the irrigation water supply after insurance attached; or  2) failure or breakdown of the irrigation equipment or facilities due to an insured COL, provided all reasonable efforts to restore the irrigation equipment facilities to proper working order within a reasonable amount of time, unless the AIP determines it is not practical to do so.  Note: Cost will not be considered when determining whether it is practical to restore the equipment or facilities.	Substantive							
С	If a loss is evident, any reported acreage qualifying as an irrigated practice at the time insurance attaches cannot be revised to a non-irrigated practice after the acreage reporting date, even if liability stays the same or decreases or if the insured failed to carry out a good irrigation practice.	Substantive							

5	Prevented Planting Coverage	
A	Insureds may be eligible for a prevented planting payment for acreage historically grown under an irrigated practice for which the insured had no reasonable expectation of adequate water by the final planting date (or within the late planting period, if applicable). This applies even if the acreage could have been planted with a non-irrigated practice and the insured elects not to plant, provided all other prevented planting provisions have been met, including that an insured COL must have occurred within the PP insurance period.	Substantive
В	Insureds must provide, upon the AIP's request, documentation of the factors which were considered in reporting that there was no reasonable expectation of adequate water for the acreage reported as prevented planting under an irrigated practice.	Substantive

#### **Loss Adjustment Certification Form**

This form must be titled "Certification Form" and should be completed and returned by the insured to the AIP within five days (or within the timeframe specified by the AIP) after all acreage in the unit has been put to another use, completion of replanting on the unit for replanting payments, or any action to which is certified as indicated by the form\*. See the LAM for form completion instructions. The following statement must appear below the form title:

"Complete and mail this form within (5) days (or within the timeframe specified by your Approved Insurance Provider) after: (1) all acreage in the unit has been put to another use, (2) completion of replanting on the unit for replanting payment, (3) For nursery, all Zero Market Value (ZMV) plants on the unit have been destroyed, or (4) any action to which you have certified as stated on this form."

1	General Information				
	Note: The following statement must appear below the form title:				
A	"Complete and mail this form within (5) days (or within the timeframe specified by your Approved Insurance Provider) after:  (1) All acreage in the unit has been put to another use, (2) completion of replanting on the unit for replanting payment, (3) for nursery, all Zero Market Value (ZMV) plants on the unit have been destroyed,				
	(3) or (4) any action to which you have certified as stated on this form."				
В	"Insured's Name"	Substantive			
C	"Policy Number"	Substantive			
D	"Date Originated"	Substantive			
E	"Return To: (include Adjuster's Name, AIP Name, Mailing Address, City, State, Zip code)"	Substantive			
2	Crop Information				
A	"Crop Year"	Substantive			
В	"Crop"	Substantive			
C	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	Substantive			
D	"Unit Number"	Substantive			
E	"Unit Acres"	Substantive			
3	Replant/Other Uses of Acreage Information				
	<b>Note:</b> Added the following Statement above the table.				
A	"Replant, destruction, or other use of acreage (plants for nursery) identified was completed on the date(s) shown."	Substantive			
	<b>Note:</b> Create a table with the following columns in the exact order listed below from left to right.				
В	"Field Identification Symbol (Plant Location for Nursery)"	Substantive			
C	"Intended Use"	Substantive			
D	"Acres (Number of Plants for Nursery)"	Substantive			
E	"Actual Use"	Substantive			
F	"Acres (Number of Plants for Nursery"	Substantive			
G	"Date"	Substantive			

# **Loss Adjustment Certification Form (Continued)**

3 ]	Replant/Otl	her Uses of	Acre	age	Informa	ation	ı (co	ntinue	ed)		
H	"Replant Cost per Acre"								Substantive		
I	"Practice/Type or Class"								Substantive		
	Note: Crea	te one row fo	r the	follo	owing:						
J	"Totals"										Substantive
	Note: Allo	w additional	space	for	or provide	e a se	epara	te form	for		
K	"Remarks:"	,									Substantive
	Note: Inser	t the following	ng foo	otnot	te						
L	"Refer to th	e crop policy	qual	ifica	tions for r	epla	nting	payme	ents."		Substantive
	Example:										
	"Replant, destruction, or other use of acreage (plants for nursery) identified was completed on the date(s) shown."  Field ID Intended Use Acres Actual Use Acres Date Replant Costs per Acre or Class								-		
M		ne crop policy o				lantin	g pa	yments.			Substantive
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	Note: Include a list of the following required certification statements. The AIP has the discretion of either creating an individual certification form and affixing one of the appropriate loss adjustment statements below, as required by procedure, or creating the multiple statement list on a single form as shown below, and providing instruction to the loss adjuster/AIP representative. All statements are Substantive and must appear in its entirety. The AIP is not to instruct the loss adjuster/AIP representative to handwrite any of the statements below to a form that the insured must sign. The statements are to appear either as a single statement on the certification form; therefore, generating multiple certification forms, or as a general certification form containing a checklist of the statements listed below.  If a list is created the loss adjuster/AIP representative must check those applicable required statements in accordance with loss adjustment procedures.										

# **Loss Adjustment Certification Form (Continued)**

4 ]	Required Loss Adjustment Statements (continued)								
A	"I certify that the damaged acreage cannot be mechanically harvested with normal harvest equipment and will not be harvested. If the crop is harvested after this certification, I understand I may be subject to the misrepresentation provisions in the crop insurance policy."  "I certify that the acreage in Unit [INSERT UNIT NUMBER] will not be harvested and that the acreage will be put to the use as stated in [insert appropriate item location] when there is sufficient soil moisture. I understand the acreage will not be reappraised by the AIP."  "I certify that the damaged acreage that cannot be mechanically harvested with normal harvest equipment will not be harvested and if the acreage is gleaned it will be gleaned by the organization shown in the narrative of the claim form (or other USDA approved charitable organizations) and the insured will not receive any compensation from the organization. If I harvest the crop after this certification or receive compensation from the charitable organization, I understand I may be subject to the misrepresentation provisions in the crop insurance policy."								
	Required Statements								
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive					
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive					
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	T	Exhibit 4	Substantive					
D	"I understand that the information on this form may be used for processing the claim which I previously signed."	<b>Note:</b> Include statement abovinsured's signa	e the	Substantive					
6 I	Required Signatures								
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"			Substantive					
В	"Loss Adjuster's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number	and Date"		Substantive					
7 (	Other Information								
	<b>Note:</b> Include the following checklist and title "For Office should appear next to the Loss Adjuster's Signature.	e Use Only". Thi	s checklist						
	□ "Accepted"								
A	□ "Rejected"			Substantive					
	☐ "Second Inspection"								

#### **Loss Adjustment Self-Certification Replant Worksheet**

This form must be titled "Self-Certification Replant Worksheet". This worksheet can be used only: (1) when the AIP authorizes its use, (2) for authorized crops listed in the LAM, and (3) when the acreage of the authorized crop to be replanted is 50 acres or less for a unit and the unit acreage qualifies for a replanting payment in accordance with the policy/endorsement replanting provisions. See the LAM for further completion instructions.

1	General Information	
	<b>Note:</b> The following statement must appear below the form title:	
A	"The Self-Certification Replant Worksheet may be used when the acreage to be replanted is 50 acres or less for the unit. Per the policy provisions, in order to qualify for a replant payment, the number of acres to be replanted must be at least the lesser of 20 acres or 20% of the insured planted acreage for the unit (as determined on the final planting date or within the late planting period if a late planting period is applicable). The potential for the acres to be replanted must not exceed the amount stated in the crop policy. A replant payment may be made only once on the acreage in the same location for the same crop year.	Substantive
	Complete and mail this form within five (5) days (or within the timeframe specified by your Approved Insurance Provider) after completion of replanting on the unit for replanting payment. If the crop provisions specify a replanting payment is based on actual cost, attach copies of receipts for replanting expenses actually incurred for the replanted acreage (those expenses you actually paid or are liable for). (Refer to your crop policy qualification for replanting payments)."	
В	"Insured's Name"	Substantive
C	"Policy Number"	Substantive
D	"Claim Number"	Substantive
2	Crop Claim Information	
A	"Crop Year"	Substantive
В	"Crop"	Substantive
C	"Share"	Substantive
D	"Unit Number"	Substantive
E	"FSA Farm/Tract/Field Number"	Substantive
F	"Unit Acres"	Substantive
G	"Replanted Acres"	Substantive
	"Legal Description:"	
	"Section:"	
H	"Township:"	Substantive
	"Range:"	
	"Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	
I	"Cause of Damage"	Substantive

# **Loss Adjustment Self-Certification Replant Worksheet (Continued)**

2 Crop Claim Information (continued)			
J	"Date of Damage"	Substantive	
K	"Original Plant Date"	Substantive	
L	"Replant Date"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Create an area for a field diagram allowing substantial room for a sketch of the field and replant acreage. The AIP has discretion on whether to provide a separate form for this sketch.		
M	"Field Diagram"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Add the following instruction to the field diagram:		
N	"Draw the field where the crop is planted. Shade the area actually replanted"	Substantive	
	Example:		
o	Replanted=====  W Corn	Non- Substantive	
P	"Indicate the practice/type utilized"  Note: Provide a checklist with two columns titled "Original" and "Replant" of the following practice/types:	Substantive	
	□ "Drilled" □ "Broadcast"		
	☐ "Airplane-seeded"		
	□ "Rowed"		
Q	□ "Dry Bean Type"	Substantive	
	□ "Tillage Method"  Note: Provide instruction to write-in tillage method used for original and replant acreage.		
	□ "Other" Note: Provide instruction to write in a practice/type if not listed.		
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction to answer the following questions:		
R	"My yield potential for acres to be replanted is per acre."	Substantive	
S	"Is damage on your farm similar to other farms in the area? Yes □ No □"	Substantive	

# **Loss Adjustment Self-Certification Replant Worksheet (Continued)**

2	2 Crop Claim Information (continued)		
	<b>Note:</b> Instruct that the Insured's total actual costs to replant acreage includes only the dollar amount the insured has paid or is liable to pay.		
Т	"The following represents my actual replant costs as:  Landlord Tenant Owner/Operator"	Substantive	
3 Other Information			
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for the reviewer to check when attached or accompanies the Self-Certification Replant Worksheet.		
A	"Special Report □"	Substantive	
В	"Reviewer's Remarks"	Substantive	
C	"Reviewer Code and Date"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for the reviewer to enter "O.K." if the reviewer verifies the field or subfield was initially planted timely and that the number of acres actually replanted agrees with the entry of the total number of replanted acres.		
D	"Actual/Replant Acres"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for the reviewer to enter "O.K." if the reviewer verifies the date of damage agrees with the date entered above.		
E	"Date of Damage"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for the reviewer to enter "O.K." if the reviewer verifies that the type or practice used agrees with the type/practice entry above.		
F	"Cause of Damage"	Substantive	
G	"Replant Practice"	Substantive	
Н	"Did acreage appear to quality? Yes □ No □"	Substantive	
	<b>Note:</b> Provide instruction for the reviewer to enter "O.K." if the reviewer verifies that the insured or the insured's authorized representative that the total cost incurred by the insured for the replanting operation is the same as entered above.		
I	"Actual Cost"	Substantive	

## Loss Adjustment Self-Certification Replant Worksheet (Continued)

4	4 Required Statements						
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive			
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive			
D	supporting papers are subject to audit and approval by the insurance provider and that my signature herein	Note: Include this statement above the insured's signature.		Substantive			
5	5 Required Signatures						
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"						
В	"Loss Adjuster's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and	d Date"		Substantive			

### **Loss Adjustment Claim Checklist**

This form must be titled "Claim Checklist". It is recommended that the AIP provides this or a similar checklist to loss adjusters for completion during each loss inspection. The AIP has the discretion to develop a similar checklist that been modified to fit their region and the crops insured. See the LAM for more information and completion instruction regarding this form.

1	Gener	al Inf	orma	tion	
_	"T.e av.	red's N	I		Non-
A	insu	rea s N	vame		Substantive
В	"Policy Number"				Non-
Ь	Polic	Jy Muli	noei		Substantive
C	"Clair	m Nun	nher"		Non-
	Cian	III I VUII	1001		Substantive
D	"Crop	)(s)—U	Jnits"		Non- Substantive
2	Claim	Infor	matic	on	
	Yes No Create a checklist for the following questions, include a Yes 2 No 2 option at the end of each question with instruction to check one and explain, as appropriate.				
A			(1)	"Insured Present"	Non- Substantive
В			(2)	"Insurable Entity Verified"	Non- Substantive
C			(3)	"Timely Notice"	Non- Substantive
D			(4)	"Share Verified"	Non- Substantive
E			(5)	"Companion Contract Verified (if applicable)"	Non- Substantive
F			(6)	"Legal Description Verified"	Non- Substantive
G			(7)	"Practice(s) Insurability Verified"	Non- Substantive
Н			(8)	"Insurable Type/Variety Verified"	Non- Substantive
I			(9)	"Unit/Unit Division Verified"	Non- Substantive
J			(10)	"Planting Dates Verified"	Non- Substantive
K			(11)	"Risk Area Verified"	Non- Substantive
L			(12)	"Insurable Causes of Loss"	Non- Substantive
M			(13)	"Similar Damage"	Non- Substantive
N			(14)	"Reasonable APH"	Non- Substantive
O			(15)	"Insurable Acreage"	Non- Substantive

# Loss Adjustment Claim Checklist (Continued)

2 C	laim	Infor	mation (continued)	
P			(16) "Sharing Interests"	Non-
			(1) 12 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12	Substantive
Q			(17) "Options/Endorsements"	Non- Substantive
_				Non-
R			(18) "Review Previous Report"	Substantive
S			(19) "Previous Appraisals"	Non-
<b>3</b>			(13) Thevious Apphaisais	Substantive
T			(20) "Quality Adjustment Eligibility Verified"	Non-
				Substantive Non-
U			(21) "Acreage Determined/Method"	Substantive
<b>T</b> 7			(20) ((A	Non-
$\mathbf{V}$			(22) "Acreage Replanted"	Substantive
W			(23) "Replanting Payment"	Non-
**			(23) Replanting Fayment	Substantive
X			(24) "Certification Form"	Non-
			· ,	Substantive
Y			(25) "Sold Production Verified"	Non- Substantive
				Non-
Z			(26) "Farm-Stored Production Verified"	Substantive
			(07) (07)	Non-
AA			(27) "Commingled Production"	Substantive
BB			(20) "End Draduction Varified"	Non-
DD			(28) "Fed Production Verified"	Substantive
CC			(29) "Other Names/Entities for Production Verified"	Non-
CC			(27) Other Names/Entitles for Floudetion Vermed	Substantive
DD			(30) "All Production Accounted For"	Non-
				Substantive Non-
EE			(31) Unusual/Controversial Circumstances"	Substantive
			(32) "Reviewed Completed Claim with Insured or Insured's	Non-
FF			Representative"	Substantive
GG			(33) "Obtained Signatures"	Non-
			(33) Cottined Signatures	Substantive
HH			(34) "Second Crop Acreage"	Non- Substantive
				Non-
II			(35) "Signatures"	Substantive
JJ			(36) "Other"	Non-
				Substantive
3 R	kequi	red Si	gnatures	
	Note	: Obta	aining a signature is optional unless otherwise instructed by the AIP; however,	
			nended that adjuster's sign the form to facilitate necessary follow-up actions.	
				Non-
A	"Los	s Adju	ster's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"	Substantive

### Loss Adjustment Simplified Claims Qualification Process and Notice of Loss

AIP and insured participation in SCP is voluntary. All SCP claims must be completed on a form developed by the AIP that captures all the required loss information from the insured. The AIP is also responsible for developing comprehensive completion instructions for the insured to complete the SCP form. See the LAM for further information.

1	1 General Information					
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive				
В	"Policy Number"					
C	"Agent Name"	Substantive				
D	"Insured's Telephone Number"	Substantive				
E	"Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive				
F	"City and State"	Substantive				
G	"Zip Code"	Substantive				
Н	"Crop (only one per form)"	Substantive				
Ι	"Crop Year"	Substantive				
J	"County Where Crop Is Grown (only one per form)"	Substantive				
K	"State Where the Crop Is Grown (only one per form)"	Substantive				
L	"Non-Loss (N-L) Units and Establish Production Per Acre"					
M	"Loss Unit Number"	Substantive				
	"Cause of Loss"					
N	(1) "Primary Cause/ Percentage"	Substantive				
	(2) "Secondary Cause/ Percentage"					
	"Date of Damage"					
O	(1) "Primary Cause Date of Damage"	Substantive				
	(2) "Secondary Cause Date of Damage					
P	"Harvest Completion Date"	Substantive				
Q	"Companion Contract Yes □ No □"	Substantive				
R	"Assignment of Indemnity Yes □ No □"	Substantive				
S	"Transfer of Right to an Indemnity Yes □ No □"	Substantive				

### Loss Adjustment Simplified Claims Qualification Process and Notice of Loss (Continued)

2	Loss Information					
	Yes	No	Note: Create a checklist with the following questions and instruct to answer Yes □ or No □, allow additional space for explanation where applicable. All questions are "Substantive"			
A			(1) "Has all acreage of the loss units listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] been harvested? If no, list the unit numbers(s) for which "No" applies."	Substantive		
В			(2) "Has all of the production from the loss unit(s) listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] been sold or commercially stored? If you answered no, list the applicable unit number for which "No" applies."	Substantive		
C			(3) "Have you completed harvest of all insurable acreage for all crops on your policy? (This includes the crop you listed above as well as any other crop you may have on your policy). If no, list the crops not harvested."	Substantive		
D			(4) "If you answered no to the above question, do you anticipate loss units for any crop not listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] for this crop year?"	Substantive		
E			(5) "Has any production from any acreage from the units listed in [insert location on the form the loss unit number information is referenced] been farm stored, fed to livestock, or saved for seed? If Yes, list the unit number(s) for which "Yes" applies."	Substantive		
F			(6) "Do you have third party written verification (i.e., summary /settlement sheets) available for 100 percent of the production from all unites listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] above? (This must include both landlord and tenant shares, when applicable)."	Substantive		
G			(7) "Is the damage for the loss units listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] similar to other farms in the area? If no, list the unit(s) for which "No" applies and explain:"	Substantive		
Н			(8) "Are you or any member of your household directly associated with the Federal Crop Insurance program (i.e., agent, agency owner, loss adjuster, FCIC employee, insurance provider employee or contractor)?"	Substantive		
Ι			(9) "Was all acreage of your insured crop(s) in the county, in which you have a share, reported by you on your acreage report? If no, list the unit or location where the acreage was not reported."	Substantive		

## Loss Adjustment Simplified Claims Qualification Process and Notice of Loss (Continued)

2	2 Loss Information (continued)							
	Yes No Note: Create a checklist with the following questions and instruct to answer Yes □ or No □, allow additional space for explanation where applicable. All questions are "Substantive"							
J				"On the specific loss unit(s) listed in [INSERT LOCAT FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION REFERENCED] above, is your Summary of Coverage Your share? If no, list the unit(s) and explain:  The legal description(s) and/or FSA farm serial number the unit(s) for which "No" applies.  The practice actually carried out by you (i.e., If you repractice is irrigated, was water applied at the proper till fino, list the unit(s) for which "No" applies,  The type or variety (if applicable)? If no, list the unit(s) "No" applies and enter the correct type or variety for each total acreage for each loss unit listed in [INSERT ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORREFERENCED] If no, list the unit(s) for which "No"  Will the acreage (if measured or re-measured) be with percent of what you reported on your acreage report? unit(s) for which "No" applies."	er? If no, list  ported your me and rate)?  ) for which ach unit listed.  LOCATION RMATION IS applies.  in five (5)	Substantive		
3	Requi	red St	tatem	ents				
A	Certification Statement Exhibit 2		Substantive					
В	Priva	cy Act	t State	ment	Exhibit 3	Substantive		
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement Exhibit 4		Substantive					

#### **Loss Adjustment Simplified Claims Qualification Process and Notice of Loss (Continued)**

## **3** Required Statements (continued)

Simplified Claims Qualification Process Statement

"This form serves as written verification of your notice of loss and as an aide in determining qualified insureds for the SCP. We may rely on the information you provide on (or attach to) this form in making material determinations in the preparation of your claim.

Once this completed Notice of Loss form and supporting documentation has been received by [INSERT AIP NAME], it will be determined whether or not your claim qualifies for the SCP. If it does qualify, the appropriate claim for indemnity form(s) will be prepared and may be sent to you for your signature if the insurance provider determines when reviewing this information with you that a correction is needed. Otherwise, the signature on this SCP form will serve as the signature for each Claim for Indemnity form to which this information was transferred, and a copy will be mailed to you. The claim form(s) will contain all the necessary data and production information to complete your claim. If qualified, you will have your claim processed in the most expedient manner possible. You will not need to wait for an adjuster. The SCP is subject to an infield review for compliance with established policies and procedures. If any of the unit(s) listed in [INSERT LOCATION ON THE FORM THE LOSS UNIT NUMBER INFORMATION IS REFERENCED] does not qualify for SCP, you will be contacted by a claims representative to set up an appointment to adjust your loss on that or all units listed above."

Substantive

"Supporting documentation must be attached to this form and delivered to the address provided by your agent or insurance provider. You must attach either a copy of settlement sheet(s), summary sheet(s), or similar third party ledger(s) that accounts for all production from any crop unit you have listed above. Individual load tickets will not qualify. Individual loads on any settlement/summary sheet(s) must be clearly marked to indicate which unit they came from. If you have FSA or similar measurement service for determining acreage, such as Global Positioning Systems, remote sensing devices, etc., for the current crop year, please attach copies and indicate who made the acreage measurement. If you have met the requirements of precision farming and want to use those records to establish production, you must attach yield maps and planting and harvesting summary repots generated from the precision farming technology system. The per unit acreage used in calculating any indemnity will be the lesser of your reported acres or your actual planted acres. In all cases you must attach copies of maps identifying each field, crop and acreage by loss unit."

#### 4 Required Signatures

D

A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"	Substantive
В	"AIP Verifier's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"	Substantive

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### **Loss Adjustment Notice of Damage or Loss**

The Notice of Damage or Loss is used to record loss and provide notice to the AIP for planted acres. These standards may be combined with the Notice of Prevented Planting if the form is utilized to record the notice. See the LAM for form completion instructions.

1	General Information			
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive	
В	"Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive	
C	"City and State"		Substantive	
D	"Zip Code"		Substantive	
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"		Substantive	
F	"Best Time to Contact: [INSERT TIME] am	/pm''	Non- Substantive	
G	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
Н	"Claim Number"		Non- Substantive	
Ι	"Agent's Name"		Substantive	
J	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"		Substantive	
K	"Agent's City and State"		Substantive	
L	"Agent's Zip Code"		Substantive	
M	( "Agent's Telephone Number"			
2	<b>Crop Information</b>			
A	"Crop Year"		Substantive	
В	"Crop"		Substantive	
C	"Unit Number"	Substantive		
D	"Acres"		Non- Substantive	
E	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:" "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Note: See associated required statement in item 4D below. This statement is Substantive when this item appears on the form.	Non- Substantive	
F	"Date of Damage"			
G	"Cause of Damage"			
Н	"Estimated Production"		Non- Substantive	
Ι	"Expected Harvest Date"		Non- Substantive	

## Loss Adjustment Notice of Damage or Loss (Continued)

3	Notice Information						
	Include the following instruction: "Refer to the applicable Basic Provision or Crop	Non-					
	Provisions for more information regarding damage or loss notice reporting requirements."	Substantive					
A	"This is a notice of:"  "Damage Only: At this time, it appears that the damage will exceed the guarantee."  "Probable Loss"  "Immediate Inspection Requested. If checked, explain why in the comments section"  "If you have less than 100% share, is the other share insured under a Federal crop	Substantive					
В	insurance program? If so, list the person's name, AIP, and policy number, if known."	Substantive					
C	"Insured Intends to: (Check One)"  (1) "Harvest" (2) "To Chop/Silage" (3) "Leave for Cover" (4) "Destroy" (5) "Plant to Another Crop: (6) "Pasture" (7) "Hay" (8) "Direct Market Crop" (9) "Replant" (10) "Unknown" (11) "Other, explain in the comments section"	Substantive					
D	"If the Insured intends to replant and a replanting payment is applicable, is the acreage greater than 50 acres of the unit? Yes □ No □ (Check One)"	Substantive					
E	"I request authorization to commingle production from two or more units or commingle production between insured and uninsured acreage within the same structure and to use my load records, structure markings, or combine monitor records to determine production between units or production from insured/uninsured acreage. Do you agree to follow your insurance provider's written criteria and instructions to do this? Yes $\square$ No $\square$ (Check One)"	Substantive					

## **Loss Adjustment Notice of Damage or Loss (Continued)**

4	4 Required Statements						
A	Certification Statement	Certification Statement					
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive			
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive			
D	"I understand that authorization for commingling production must be received from my approved insurance provider before production can be commingled. I also understand that if authorization is given, my approved insurance provider will provide (or has provided) written criteria and instructions for the use of load or combine monitor records to separate such production, and if I fail to follow all instructions, my optional unit structure will be collapsed."	<b>Note:</b> Include instruction for insured to initial this statement.		Non- Substantive			
E	"I am an agent, employee, or contractor affiliated with the Federal crop insurance program. Yes □ No □ (Check One)"	Substantive					
5	Required Signatures						
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date of	Notice"		Substantive			
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Numbe	r and Date of Notice"		Substantive			

### **Loss Adjustment Notice of Prevented Planting**

The Notice of Prevented Planting is used to record loss and provide notice to the AIP for acres that were prevented from being planted. These standards may be combined with the Notice of Damage or Loss if the form is utilized to record the notice. See the LAM for form completion instructions.

1	General Information	
A	"Insured's Name"	Substantive
В	"Insured's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
C	"City and State"	Substantive
D	"Zip Code"	Substantive
E	"Insured's Telephone Number"	Substantive
F	"Best Time to Contact: [INSERT TIME] am/pm"	Non- Substantive
G	"Policy Number"	Substantive
Н	"Claim Number:	Non- Substantive
Ι	"Agent's Name"	Substantive
J	"Agent's Street and/or Mailing Address"	Substantive
K	"Agent's City and State"	Substantive
L	"Agent's Zip Code"	Substantive
M	"Agent's Telephone Number"	Substantive
2	Crop Information	
A	"Crop Year"	Substantive
В	"Crop"	Substantive
C	"Unit Number"	Non- Substantive
D	"Acres"	Non- Substantive
E	"Legal Description:" "Section:" "Township:" "Range:" "Other Land Identifier (e.g., Spanish land grants, metes and bounds, etc.):"	Substantive
F	"Date of Damage"	Substantive
G	"Cause of Damage"	Substantive
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## Loss Adjustment Notice of Prevented Planting (Continued)

3	Notice Information							
	Include the following instruction: "Refer to the Provisions for more information regarding dama requirements."	Substantive						
A	"If you have less than 100% share, is the other s insurance program? If so, list the person's name			Substantive				
	"Insured Intends to: (Check One)"							
	☐ (1) "Plant a Cover Crop"	☐ (1) "Plant a Cover Crop"						
	□ (2) "Destroy"							
В	☐ (3) "Plant to Another Crop:	Substantive						
В	☐ (4) "Graze (Only After November 1)"							
	☐ (5) "Hay (Only After November 1)"							
	☐ (6) "Unknown"							
	☐ (7) "Other, explain in the comments section	on"						
4	Required Statements							
A	Certification Statement		Exhibit 2	Substantive				
В	Privacy Act Statement		Exhibit 3	Substantive				
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement		Exhibit 4	Substantive				
D	"I am an agent, employee, or contractor affiliated with the Federal crop insurance program. Yes □ No □ (Check One)"	Substantive						
5	Required Signatures							
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date of	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date of Notice"						
В	"Agent's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number	er and Date"		Substantive				

### **Growing Season Inspection Report**

Growing Season Inspections (GSIs) are done as a part of quality assurance and may be done in conjunction with a Pre-Harvest Inspection. See the LAM for form completion instructions.

1 General Information				
A	"Insured's Name"		Substantive	
В	"Policy Number"		Substantive	
C	"Crop Year"		Substantive	
D	"Crop"		Substantive	
E	"Unit Number"		Substantive	
F	"Acres"		Substantive	
G	"Share"		Substantive	
Н	"Practice"		Substantive	
I	"Appraised Potential"		Substantive	
J	"Companion Contract Yes □ No □"		Substantive	
K	"Field Identification"		Substantive	
L	"Planting/Replanting Date"	<b>Note:</b> Provide space to enter both dates if applicable and to add additional dates by field.	Substantive	
M	"Narrative"		Substantive	
2	Required Questions			
A	"What kind of tillage methods has the insured carried out?"		Substantive	
В	"What kind of weed control practices are being carried out?"		Substantive	
C	"Has current soil test(s) been taken on any of the insured acreage? If yes, record the date of test and test results. If all of the information cannot be obtained, explain."		Substantive	
D	"How does the crop inspected compare with those in the general area? If the condition of the crop being inspected differs from those in the general area, document differences."		Substantive	
E	"What fertilizer program is being followed? Record the type of program used. If all of the information cannot be obtained, explain."		Substantive	
F	"What insecticide/pesticide program is being followed? Record the type of program used. If all the information cannot be obtained, explain."		Substantive	
G	"Weather Conditions?"		Substantive	
Н	"Is an irrigated practice insured on the crop unit being inspected?		Substantive	
Ι	"Type of Irrigation System and Average Times Used"		Substantive	
J	"Is the irrigation system adequate? Yes □ No □ (Check One). If no, explain."		Substantive	
K	"Is the irrigation water adequate? Yes □ No □ (Check One). If no, explain."		Substantive	
L	"Should the insured's farming operation be inspected at a later date? Yes □ No □ (Check One). Please explain why or why not."		Substantive	
M	"Comments"		Substantive	

## **Growing Season Inspection Report (Continued)**

3 Required Statements				
A	Certification Statement	Exhibit 2	Substantive	
В	Privacy Act Statement	Exhibit 3	Substantive	
C	Nondiscrimination Policy Statement	Exhibit 4	Substantive	
6 Required Signatures				
A	"Insured's Printed Name, Signature and Date"		Substantive	
В	"Loss Adjuster's Printed Name, Signature, Code Number and Date"		Substantive	