

# CropTalk



## MPCI Underwriting

### In the Federal Register

An **Interim Rule** revising the “enterprise unit” definition in the “Common Crop Insurance Regulations; Basic Provisions” was published June 15, 2009. It is effective immediately, beginning with the 2010 crop year for crops/counties with a contract change date on or after June 15, 2009. Any comments (for consideration when the Interim Rule is made Final) are due to RMA by August 14, 2009.

A **Final Rule Correction** regarding the “Cabbage Crop Insurance Provisions” was published June 2, 2009, to correct section references in sections 12(c) & 12(e) of the 2010 Cabbage Crop Provi-

sions. (This correction was made in the crop provisions before the 2010-NCIS 810 was issued.)

Of possible interest: An **Interim Rule** on “Karnal Bunt; Regulated Areas” was published [under Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service] June 4, 2009 [with a correction of a reference number published June 10], removing certain areas in Riverside county, CA, from the list of regulated areas. Any comments are due to APHIS by August 3, 2009. *(Chris Lindsay)*



### 2010 MPCl POLICIES

The following NCIS policy provisions are or will be made available:

- 2010 Livestock Gross Margin (LGM) Basic Provisions and Commodity Exchange Endorsements for Cattle, Dairy Cattle, and Swine [NCIS Bulletin #09036].
- 2010 Livestock Risk Protection (LRP) Basic Provisions [2010-NCIS 902] and Specific Coverage Endorsements for Feeder Cattle and Lamb [NCIS #09037 – corrected copy to show the correct year of the “Previous” LRP Lamb SCE].
- 2010-NCIS 701-EU Enterprise Unit Amendment [pending]. *(Chris Lindsay)*

## Training

### NCIS CONFERENCES

The dates for the 2009 NCIS conferences are listed below. All conferences will be held at the Sheraton in Overland Park, Kan. A bulletin for each conference will be distributed 6-8 weeks prior and will continue registration information and a tentative agenda.

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- 2010 Fall Update Conference—July 21-22, 2009
- 2010 Spring Update Conference—November 5-6, 2009

*(Laurence Crane)*

## Membership

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<i>2009 NCIS SCHOOL/FIELD DAY</i>	<i>LOCATION</i>	<i>DATE</i>
Crop-Hail & MPCCI Corn, Soybean, Small Grains & Forage	Centerville, SD	July 14-15
2010 Fall Update Conference	Overland Park, KS	July 21-22
Crop-Hail Soybean & Corn	Lamberton, MN	July 22-23
Crop-Hail Corn	Lincoln, NE	July 27-28
New Adjuster, Crop-Hail & MPCCI	Fargo, ND	July 27-29
Crop-Hail Corn & Soybean	Champaign, IL	August 4-5
Apple	Clinton, NJ	August 11
TBD	Dodge City, KS	August 18-19
Forage, Corn & Soybean	Madison, WI	September 1-2
Crop-Hail Cotton, Soybeans, Rice	Greenville, MS	September 2-3
2010 Spring Update Conference	Overland Park, KS	November 5-6



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