January 30, 2009

INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: PM-09-005

TO: All Approved Insurance Providers
    All Risk Management Agency Field Offices
    All Other Interested Parties

FROM: Tim B. Witt /s/Tim B. Witt
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SUBJECT: Sanctions Amendment


The amendment is in compliance with the Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 (ARPA) strengthening FCIC’s ability to combat fraud, waste and abuse by establishing a strong system of administrative actions that are now applicable to all participants in the Federal crop insurance program.

Insurance providers must notify policyholders of these changes at least 30 days prior to the applicable cancellation date.

DISPOSAL DATE:

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting/updating information and the disposal date is December 31, 2009.