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Risk Management Agency

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INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: PM-08-010

 TO: All Approved Insurance Providers All Risk Management Agency Field Offices All Other Interested Parties
FROM: Tim B. Witt /s/Tim B. Witt Deputy Administrator

SUBJECT: Addendum to 2008 Crop Year (CY) Actuarial Document (Special Provisions) – Crop Revenue Coverage (CRC) Cotton Base Price and Low & High Price Factors; Group Risk Income Protection (GRIP) Cotton Expected Price and Price Volatility Factor; Income Protection (IP & Indexed IP) Corn, Cotton, and Soybeans Projected Prices; and Revenue Assurance (RA) Corn, Cotton, and Soybeans Projected Harvest Prices and Price Volatility Factors

CROP REVENUE COVERAGE

The following 2008 CY base price, along with low and high price factors, have been approved for CRC cotton in counties with a February 28 or March 15 cancellation date.

		Price Factors	
<u>Crop</u>	Base Price	Low	<u>High</u>
Cotton	\$0.77/pound	0.091	0.091

GROUP RISK INCOME PROTECTION

The following 2008 CY expected price and price volatility factor have been approved for GRIP cotton in counties with a February 28 or March 15 cancellation date.

Crop
CottonExpected Price
\$0.77/poundVolatility Factor
0.20



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INCOME PROTECTION

The following 2008 CY projected prices have been approved for IP cotton and soybeans, and for Indexed IP corn and soybeans in counties with a February 28 sales closing date.

<u>Crop</u>	Projected Price	
Corn	\$5.18/bushel	
Cotton	\$0.77/pound	
Soybeans	\$12.57/bushel	

REVENUE ASSURANCE

The following 2008 CY projected harvest prices and price volatility factors have been approved for RA corn and soybeans in counties with a cancellation date **prior to** March 15, and for RA cotton in all covered counties.

	Projected	<u>Volatility</u>
<u>Crop</u>	Harvest Price	Factor
Corn	\$5.26/bushel	0.29
Cotton	\$0.77/pound	0.20
Soybeans	\$12.81/bushel	0.28

DISPOSAL DATE

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting information and the expiration date is December 31, 2008.