

For: State Offices

Updating Points of Contact (POC's) in 4-RM, Exhibit 11

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Updating 4-RM, Exhibit 11

A Background

The Agricultural Risk Protection Act of 2000 (2000 Act) requires FSA and RMA to work together to improve program compliance and integrity of the Federal Crop Insurance Program. Procedure for implementing the provisions of the 2000 Act are provided in 4-RM.

4-RM, subparagraph 4 A requires SED's to establish a POC and an alternate POC who:

- serves as the primary contact for all functions associated with implementing the 2000 Act
- is responsible for maintaining the lines of communication between FSA, RMA, and Approved Insurance Providers (AIP) within their State
- is responsible for all POC responsibilities in 4-RM.

A list of all State POC's and alternate POC's is provided in 4-RM, Exhibit 11. To ensure that RMA is aware of the proper contacts for crop insurance issues, it is important that State Offices update Exhibit 11 as POC's and alternate POC's change.

B Purpose

This notice directs State Offices to verify that POC's and alternate POC's listed in 4-RM, Exhibit 11 are correct.

C State Office Action

State Offices shall verify the names and contact information for FSA POC's and alternates listed in 4-RM, Exhibit 11. If names and/or contact information is incorrect, State Offices or assigned POC's shall e-mail changes to Melonie Sullivan at **Melonie.Sullivan@wdc.usda.gov** no later than **April, 30, 2010**.

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