

SUBJECT:

United States Department of **Agriculture**

INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: IS-13-003

Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services

TO: All Approved Insurance Providers

All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

All Other Interested Parties

Risk Management

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2014 Standard Reinsurance Agreement (SRA) and 2014 Livestock Price

Reinsurance Agreement (LPRA)

The Risk Management Agency (RMA) has released the 2014 Standard Reinsurance Agreement (SRA) and Appendices, and the 2014 Livestock Price Reinsurance Agreement (LPRA) and Appendices, which become effective July 1, 2013. The documents are located on the RMA website at: http://www.rma.usda.gov/pubs/ra/.

1) The following negotiated changes were made in the 2014 SRA:

Section III(a)(2)(G)(i)(IV):

For the 2014 reinsurance year, the value in subclause (IV) will be 1.0375.

Section III(a(2)(H)(i))(IV):

For the 2014 reinsurance year, the value in subclause (IV) will be 1.0375.

2) The 2014 SRA and LPRA Appendix II Section II(h) are revised to reflect the new website address for registering as a federal contractor.

Companies wishing to participate during the 2014 reinsurance year must submit a signed copy of the applicable agreement and the Plan of Operation exhibits, to RMA by April 1, 2013. Send all 2014 SRA and 2014 LPRA documentation to:

VIA email to: Dave.Miller@rma.usda.gov

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