September 2, 2009

INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: PM-09-043

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: 2009 Crop Year Vegetation Index Interval I Final Grid Indices for Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage; 2009 Crop Year Rainfall Index Interval III Final Grid Indices for Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage

In accordance with Section 7 of the Vegetation Index Plan Common Policy Basic Provisions, final grid indices and payment calculation factors have been determined and approved for Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage for **Index Interval I (April 1 – June 30)** for the 2009 crop year.

In accordance with Section 7 of the Rainfall Index Plan Common Policy Basic Provisions, final grid indices and payment calculation factors have been determined and approved for Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage for **Index Interval III (June 1 – July 31)** for the 2009 crop year.

The final grid indices and payment calculation factors have been incorporated into the Actuarial Data Master and will be available by close of business today on the Risk Management Agency website at: [www.rma.usda.gov/tools/prf.html](http://www.rma.usda.gov/tools/prf.html). In accordance with Section 7(c), any payments owed shall be issued no later than 60 days from the date of this notice.

DISPOSAL DATE

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