

| United States<br>Department of<br>Agriculture                      | April 8, 2016                       |  |
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|  | INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: PM-16-020 |  |
| Farm and Foreign<br>Agricultural<br>Services<br>Risk<br>Management | то:                                 | All Approved Insurance Providers<br>All Risk Management Agency Field Offices<br>All Other Interested Parties   |
| Agency<br>Beacon Facility<br>Mail Stop 0801                        | FROM:                               | Thomas W. Worth /s/Thomas W. Worth<br>Acting Deputy Administrator  |
| P.O. Box 419205<br>Kansas City,<br>MO 64141-6205                   | SUBJECT:                            | <b>2016 Crop Year Rainfall Index</b> January – February Index Interval Final Grid Indices for Annual Forage, Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage |

**2016 Crop Year Rainfall Index** December – January Index Interval Final Grid Indices for Annual Forage

## **BACKGROUND:**

In accordance with Section 8 of the Rainfall and Vegetation Index Plan Common Policy Basic Provisions, final grid indices and payment calculation factors have been determined and approved for the following:

- 2016 Crop Year Rainfall Index January February Index Interval Final Grid Indices for Annual Forage, Apiculture and Pasture, Rangeland, Forage;
- 2016 Crop Year Rainfall Index December January Index Interval Final Grid Indices for Annual Forage.

## **ACTION:**

By close of business today, final grid indices and payment calculation factors will be available in the Actuarial Data Master and Actuarial Information Browser at the following link: <u>webapp.rma.usda.gov/apps/actuarialinformationbrowser/</u>. In accordance with section 8(d), any payments owed shall be issued no later than 60 days from the date of this notice.

## **DISPOSAL DATE:**

December 31, 2016