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Risk Management

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TO: All Reinsured Companies

All Risk Management Agency Offices

All Other Interested Persons

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Deputy Administrator

SUBJECT: 2007 Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) 24040 Document and

Supplemental Standards Handbook (DSSH)

The 2007 FCIC 24040 DSSH has been released on the Risk Management Agency (RMA) website at http://www.rma.usda.gov/handbooks/24000/index.html. The DSSH provides the form standards and procedures for use in the sales and service of any eligible crop insurance contract and the standards and procedures for submission and RMA review of non-reinsured supplemental policies in accordance with the Standard Reinsurance Agreement (SRA). The Summary of Change highlights the primary changes to the DSSH.

Approved Insurance Providers may continue to use existing form stock developed according to previously released RMA standards through December 31, 2006.

Questions or comments regarding the DSSH content, or to request a printed or electronic copy of the DSSH, may be emailed to norman.stock@rma.usda.gov or by contacting the RMA at 816-926-7387 or the address provided in this Informational Memorandum.

DISPOSAL DATE:

This Informational Memorandum is for the purpose of transmitting information and the disposal date is December 31, 2006.