2012 MINNESOTA ACTUARIAL UPDATE

4/30, 6/30, & 8/31 FILINGS

4/30 MN Programs: LGM - Cattle, Dairy Cattle, Swine; LRP - Fed Cattle, Feeder Cattle, Lamb, Swine 6/30 MN Crops: Apiculture, APH Forage Production, Cultivated Wild Rice, Grass Seed, Pasture/Rangeland/Forage 8/31 MN Crops/Programs: AGR-Lite, Apples, GRP Forage Production

PROGRAM EXPANSION: PASTURE/RANGELAND/FORAGE (PRF) pilot program using the Rainfall Index plan was added to all Minnesota counties.

PROGRAM DELETIONS: None

DATES:

• Premium billing date changes: AGR-Lite, APPLES, and GRP FORAGE PRODUCTION will now be 8/15.

RATES:

• No rate reviews done for any crop, however some rates may have changed due to rates moving toward the target rates previously established.

STATEMENTS:

- APPLES
 - > The Type Statement in the Special Provisions regarding insurable varieties in Varietal Group A has been amended to include the variety Ambrosia. Statement also includes that each specified variety within Varietal Group A will include all commercially recognized selections and brand names, mutations, or sports; but does not include hybrids created by crosses between the stated variety and any other varieties.
 - > Statement added to Special Provisions regarding when interest will begin to attach on unpaid premium.
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 - > Statement added to Special Provisions regarding when interest will begin to attach on unpaid premium. CULTIVATED WILD RICE
 - > Statement added to the Special Provisions that changes the deadline date for requests for new breaking written agreements to be the sales closing date.
- GRASS SEED PILOT
 - > Statement added to the Special Provisions that states the Production Reporting Date will be the earliest Acreage Reporting Date.

TYPES/PRACTICES: No changes.

T-YIELDS: No changes.

MAPS: No changes.

OTHER:

- LGM SWINE
 - > Premium payment now due at the end of the coverage period rather than at the time of purchase.
 - New Basic Provisions, Commodity Exchange Endorsement, and Underwriting Rules.

NOTE: This is not an official document.