INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: R&D-00-053

TO: All Reinsured Companies
    All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

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       Administrator

SUBJECT: Coverage Enhancement Option (CEO) - Not Applicable to Revenue Assurance and Crop Revenue Coverage

BACKGROUND:

The 2001 FCI-35 Actuarial Tables released for Revenue Assurance (RA) canola in North Dakota and Crop Revenue Coverage (CRC) rice in Arkansas, Louisiana, and Mississippi contained Coverage Enhancement Option (CEO) Optional Coverage Factors. However, CEO is not available on the RA and CRC plans. (See Research and Development Informational Memorandum R&D-99-036.)

ACTION:

Insurance providers should disregard the CEO factors listed on the FCI-35 for RA canola in North Dakota and CRC rice in Arkansas, Louisiana, and Mississippi. CEO is not available with the RA and CRC plans.

DISPOSAL:

The disposal date is December 31, 2001.