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INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM: R&D-03-051

TO: All Reinsured Companies
    All Risk Management Agency Field Offices
    All Other Interested Parties

FROM: Tim B. Witt /s/ Tim B. Witt
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SUBJECT: Cultivated Clam Pilot Crop Insurance Underwriting Guide and the Cultivated Clam
         Pilot Loss Adjustment Standards Handbook for the 2004 and Succeeding Crop
         Years

The Risk Management Agency (RMA) placed on the Reporting Organization (RO) Server the
cultivated clam underwriting guide and loss adjustment standards handbook that will be effective
for the 2004 crop year.

This information is also available on the RMA Website at:

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Robert Vollmert, Research and Evaluation
Division Director, at (816) 926-6343.

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