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SUBJECT: TECHNICAL GUIDE SECTION II - Valleys of the Plumas Land
Capability Class and Storie Index Ratings

Purpose: To transmit Land Capability Class and Storie Index Ratings
Lists for the Valleys of the Plumas portion of the Plumas National
Forest Soil Survey Area (CS713).

Effective Date: Effective upon receipt.

Background: These Land Capability Class and Storie Index Ratings Lists
were recently developed. The criteria used for the Storie Index ratings
are those found in "Storie Index Soil Rating", Special Publication
3203, University of California, Revised December 1978. The criteria
used for the Land Capability Class ratings are found in "Guides to
California" (Tables 1-3) memo dated April 7, 2000 (also see NSSH page
622-1, Part 622 Ecological and Interpretive Groups). Consult with the
appropriate Area Soil Scientist for assistance in using these lists.
The lists will be used until such a time that an update is issued via
Technical Guide Notice.

Filing Instructions: Lists for Land Capability Class and Storie Index
ratings are to be filed in Section II of the FOTG, and previous lists
should be removed.

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Enclosures

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