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**CALIFORNIA TECHNICAL GUIDE
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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE NO. 84

SUBJECT: Section IV - California Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications

Purpose: To issue two revised practice standards.

Effective Date: When Contents are received.

Explanation: The following California conservation practice standards are being revised:

Prescribed Grazing (Code 528) - The practice standard was revised to comply with the National practice standard dated October 2003.

Range Planting (Code 550) - The practice standard was revised to comply with the National practice standard dated October 2003.

The California eFOTG, located on the web at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg/> and in my.nrcs at <https://my.nrcs.usda.gov/default.aspx>, is being updated to reflect these changes to Section IV.

Optional Filing Instructions

Replace the "Index of Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications Index – Alphabetical Index" contents, pages 1 - 10, dated June 1, 2006, with the new "Index of Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications Index – Alphabetical Index" contents, pages 1 – 10, dated June 30, 2006.

Replace "Index of Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications Index – Numerical Index" contents, pages 1 - 10, dated June 1, 2006, with the new "Index of Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications Index – Numerical Index" contents, pages 1 – 10, dated June 30, 2006.

Insert the new standards dated June 2006 in alphabetical order as designated on the new "Index of Conservation Practice Standards and Specifications Index – Alphabetical Index."

Remove and archive, as appropriate, the following deleted items:

Prescribed Grazing (Code 528) – The practice standard dated October 2002.

Range Planting (Code 550) – The practice standard dated July 2000.

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