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TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE IL-265

Purpose: To provide notice of revisions to the Field Office Technical Guide.

The FOTG can be accessed through the Illinois home page by clicking on "FOTG" or at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/efotg/>.

<u>Location</u>	<u>Summary of Significant Changes January 2012</u>
Section IV.A. Index of Conservation Practice Standards	
<i>Index of Conservation Practice Standards – Alphabetical</i>	New Practice Standard <i>Woody Residue Treatment (384)</i>
	Name Changes
<i>Index of Conservation Practice Standards – Numerical</i>	Revised October 2011 <i>Channel Bed Stabilization (584)</i> <i>Irrigation Pipeline (430)</i> <i>Irrigation System, Microirrigation (441)</i> <i>Irrigation System, Sprinkler (442)</i> <i>Irrigation System, Surface and Subsurface (443)</i> <i>Irrigation Water Management (449)</i> <i>Pipeline (516)</i> <i>Pond (378)</i> <i>Pumping Plant (533)</i> <i>Roofs and Covers (367)</i> <i>Surface Drain, Field Ditch (607)</i> <i>Surface Drain, Main or Lateral (608)</i> <i>Waste Facility Closure (360)</i> <i>Water Well Decommissioning (351)</i>
Section IV. B. Conservation Practices	
Cover Crop Standard and Specification (340)	Revisions include modification of seeding rates and providing provisions for making custom cover crop seed mixtures.
Cover Crop Job Sheet (340)	Job Sheet updated.
Cover Crop Statement of Work (340)	Revised.
Conservation Cover Seeding Calculator (327)	Fixed some glitches.
Mulching Standard and Specification (484)	Correcting calculations for quantities per unit area.
Mulching Job Sheet (484)	Job Sheet updated.
Mulching Statement of Work (484)	Revised.

Nutrient Management Job Sheet (590)

Nutrient Management Job Sheet (590) modified to be consistent with current University of Illinois recommendations.

Documentation and Certification (general list)

Removed from Documentation and Certification general list:

Mulching (484)

Documentation requirements for practices released in TG Notice 265 shall follow the appropriate Statement of Work.

Technical Guide Notice 265 is filed under Section I, "FOTG transmittals" at the FOTG site.



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