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MASSACHUSETTS TECHNICAL GUIDE NOTICE NO. MA-260

TO: All holders of Field Office Technical Guide, Sections II and IV

Purpose. This notice transmits an updated Cultural Resources Review Request Form; two new conservation practice standards; and one revised conservation practice standard with associated guidance documents.

Explanation

- **Cultural Resources Review Request Form (MA-CRC-1B).** The request form for “Cultural Resources Review” of undertakings/excavations has been updated and posted to Section II of the eFOTG.
- **Solid/Liquid Waste Separation Facility (Code 632).** This is a new MA NRCS conservation practice standard, adopting the national criteria.
- **Upland Wildlife Habitat Management (Code 645).** This is an updated conservation practice standard issued with three updated jobsheets.
- **Well Water Testing (Code 355).** This is a new MA NRCS conservation practice standard, adopting the national criteria.

Filing Instructions. Insert this notice in front of Section I of the Field Office Technical Guide (FOTG). File the updated “Cultural Resource” request form in Section II of the FOTG. Replace the existing index located in front of Section IV with the revised index (01/09/2013) provided with this notice. File the conservation practice standard in Section IV of the FOTG. All of the documents have been posted to the Electronic FOTG (eFOTG).

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Attachments

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