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**NEW MEXICO FIELD OFFICE TECHNICAL GUIDE  
TRANSMITTAL NOTICE NO. 79**

**SUBJECT:** ECS – Section IV, Practice Standards and Specifications

**Purpose:** This notice transmits new or revised Conservation Practice Standard and associated specification/job sheet for insertion into the New Mexico FOTG.

**Effective Date:** This notice is effective when received.

**Explanation:** The following revised documents have been added to NM Field Office Technical Guide (FOTG) Section IV:

- Windbreak/Shelterbreak Renovation (650) – Changes were made to the practice standard and specification/job sheet to clarify types of windbreak renovation activities, add information and resources for renovation activities and to increase flexibility for multi-species windbreaks. No changes were made to the Statement of Work.
  - Standard – February 2015
  - Specification/Job Sheet – February 2015

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