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Purpose. To transmit new Section IV Standards and Specifications.

Filing Instructions. The enclosed Standard 317 (Composting) and Standards and Specifications 317A (Waste Stacking and Handling Pad) and 318 (Mortality Composting Facility) are additions to Section IV, and should be filed alphabetically.

The Section IV index should be updated by hand. Composting is the correct name for Standard 317, which was previously listed as "Composting Facility", and the lead discipline should be changed to Engineering. The current standard date is 4/99 for all three standards.

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