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SUBJECT: Technical Guide Notice No. 58

To: All holders of the PA Technical Guide

Purpose. To provide revised references to NRCS and CD personnel.

Background.

In September, 1997, NRCS revised Ag Handbook No. 590, *Ponds - Planning, Design, Construction*, and was subsequently provided to all NRCS/CD offices. The 6/82 version of this handbook is Technical Guide Reference No. 27a.

Recently, PennState Ag Research & Cooperative Extension completed a handbook, *Management of Fish Ponds in Pennsylvania*. This is basically a revision of the *Pennsylvania Fish Ponds* booklet, which is currently Technical Guide Reference No. 27.

Filing Instructions

Replace Technical Guide No. 27a with the 9/97 version of *Ponds - Planning, Design, Construction*.

Replace Technical Guide No. 27 with the enclosed PSU2000 version of *Management of Fish Ponds in Pennsylvania*.

For additional copies of the Ag Handbook No. 590, contact NTIS @ 1-800-553-NTIS.
For additional copies of the PSU2000 booklet, contact PSU Publications Distribution Center @ 1-814-865-6713.

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Enclosure

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