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**VIRGINIA TECHNICAL GUIDE  
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Subject: Virginia Field Office Technical Guide – Section IV – Virginia Conservation Practice Standards

Effective Date: Upon receipt.

Purpose: To transmit the following documents to the e-FOTG:

Virginia Engineering Design Note 316 (DN-316) – Design of Large Animal Mortality Composting Facilities

Virginia Engineering Design Note 578 (DN-578) - Stream Crossing

Explanation: Design Note 316 - Design of Large Animal Mortality Composting Facilities, dated April 2013, replaces the version dated October 2012. Design Note 578 – Stream Crossing, dated May 2013, is new.

Filing Instruction: These documents are located in Section IV of the e-FOTG at: <http://efotg.sc.egov.usda.gov/treemenuFS.aspx>. If your office maintains hard copies, file these new documents behind the pertinent standard.

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