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Purposes. To transmit practice standard changes in Section IV.

Effective Date. This notice is effective upon receipt.

Explanation.

1. Residue and Tillage Management, No-Till/Strip-Till/Direct Seed conservation practice standard (329) replaces the Residue Management, Direct Seed interim conservation practice standard (777) and Residue Management, No-Till and Strip-Till conservation practice standard 329A.
2. Residue and Tillage Management, Mulch-Till conservation practice standard (345) replaces the Residue Management, Mulch-Till conservation practice standard (329B).
3. Residue and Tillage Management, Ridge-Till conservation practice standard (346) replaces the Residue Management, Ridge-Till conservation practice standard (329C).
4. Please be advised that practices 329, 345 and 346 have not been added yet to the appropriate conservation system guides. This action will occur in the near future.

Instructions. Note Changes for Practice Standards 777, 329A, 329B and 329C.

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