UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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Notice FI-3022

For: FSA Employees

Privately Owned Vehicle (POV) Mileage Rates for 2011 and Changes Needed to GovTrip Travel Documents

Approved by: Acting Associate Administrator for Operations and Management



A Background

On December 29, 2010, the mileage reimbursement rates for Federal government travelers were published in FR. GSA eliminated the POV rate category "committed to use government owned vehicle". There are now only 2 automobile rate categories, "if no government-owned vehicle is available", and "if government-owned vehicle is available". The current mileage rates can be found at **www.gsa.gov/mileage**.

B Purpose

This notice:

- informs travelers of the 2011 POV mileage rates
- obsoletes Notice FI-2958.

C Changes Needed to GovTrip Travel Documents

The new 2011 mileage rates were updated in GovTrip with an effective date of January 1, 2011. For travel documents created before the January 1 date, with mileage expense entries on or after the January 1 date, the mileage rate expense will need to be **removed from the travel document and re-added** so that the **correct rate can take effect**.

Disposal Date	Distribution
May 1, 2011	All FSA employees; State Offices relay to
	County Offices

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1 Change of POV Mileage Rates (Continued)

D 2011 POV Rates

This table shows the rate per mile and the effective date for the rate for the following modes of transportation.

Mode of Transportation	Effective Date	Rate Per Mile
Automobile		
if no government-owned vehicle available	January 1, 2011	51 cents
if government-owned vehicle is available	January 1, 2011	19 cents
Motorcycle	January 1, 2011	48 cents
Airplane	January 1, 2010	\$1.29

E Contact

If there are questions about this notice, contact the appropriate office as follows.

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