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Livestock Disaster Assistance Programs For 2011 and Subsequent Years 1-LDAP (Revision 1)	Amendment 24
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Amendment Transmittal

A Reasons for Amendment

Subparagraph 442 A, step 28, has been amended to clarify that an adjustment to the AU's does not need to be made when 1 of the questions in subparagraph 411 J are met to determine the lessee is at risk in the production of the crop acreage or the lessee has control of the crop acreage.

Subparagraphs 443 B and 654 B have been amended to provide the 2016 monthly value of forage.

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442 CCC-853, Livestock Forage Disaster Program Application (Continued)

A Completing Manual CCC-853 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
28	<p>Enter number of AU's allowed by the pasture type entered in item 27.</p> <p>Example 1: Grazing Permit allows the producer to graze 150 AU's from September 1 through December 31 for a total of 600 AUM's. The number of AU's to enter in item 27 would be 150 AU's.</p> <p>Example 2: Grazing Permit allows the producer to graze 500 AUM's for a 5-month grazing period. The total number of AU's entered in item 27 would be 100 AU's. 500 AUM's/5 months = 100 AU's.</p> <p>Important: Ensure that AU's for each specific animal type are converted to an AU equivalent. See Exhibit 16.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Example: 100 sheep x .25 AU's = 25 AU's.</p> <p>Note: Adjustments may need to be made to the number of AU's entered if the Federal Agency reduces the grazing days under the Federal grazing permit or lease because of drought, and the producer does not pay the Federal Agency because of a temporary non-use of the--* *--permit. An adjustment to the AU's need not be made when one of the questions in subparagraph 411 J, or other as warranted, are met to determine the lessee has a risk in production of the crop acreage or the lessee has control of the crop acreage. The adjustment, if required, may need to be entered in item 29, if the producer provides a copy of the last quarter billing statement from the Federal Agency.</p>
29	<p>COC shall enter the adjusted AU's, if applicable.</p> <p>Note: An entry is only required when COC determines AU's different than the AU's certified to by the producer in item 28.</p> <p>The producer shall be provided applicable appeal rights according to 1-APP if an entry is entered in item 29.</p>
Part E - Forage Information Fire	
30	<p>Enter fire event number that corresponds to the fire event number listed in item 8.</p>
31	<p>Manually assign a pasture number to each fire event.</p> <p>Note: Multiple fire events may be associated to the same pasture number.</p>

442 CCC-853, Livestock Forage Disaster Program Application (Continued)

A Completing Manual CCC-853 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
32	<p>ENTER “rangeland” as the pasture type for all rangeland that is managed by a Federal Agency (that is, BIA, BLM, FS, etc.) that was affected by fire for which the eligible producer is prohibited by the Federal Agency from grazing the normal permitted livestock on the managed rangeland because of fire.</p> <p>Note: Grazing losses on private or State rangelands managed by a Federal Agency because of fire for which an eligible producer is prohibited by the Federal Agency from grazing the normal permitted rangeland because of fire shall also be entered in items 30 through 36.</p>
33	<p>Enter permitted AU’s from the Federal grazing lease agreement.</p>
34	<p>Enter number of permit days grazing is allowed under the Federal lease agreement during the calendar year.</p> <p>Note: The number of permit days grazing is allowed under the Federal lease agreement shall be obtained from the producers grazing permit.</p>
35	<p>Enter number of AU’s the producer is prohibited from grazing on the managed rangeland by the Federal Agency because of fire.</p> <p>Note: There may be entries in item 35 and/or item 36.</p>
36	<p>Enter number of days the producer is prohibited from grazing the normal permitted livestock on the managed rangeland by the Federal Agency because of fire.</p> <p>Note: There may be entries in item 35 and/or item 36.</p>
37	<p>COC shall enter the adjusted permitted AU’s, if applicable.</p> <p>Note: An entry is only required when COC determines permitted AU’s different than the permitted AU’s certified to by the producer in item 33.</p> <p>The producer shall be provided applicable appeal rights according to 1-APP if an entry is entered in item 37.</p>
38	<p>COC shall enter the adjusted permit days, if applicable.</p> <p>Note: An entry is only required when COC determines permit days different than the permit days certified to by the producer in item 34.</p> <p>The producer shall be provided applicable appeal rights according to 1-APP if an entry is entered in item 38.</p>

443 CCC-853-1, Estimated Livestock Forage Disaster Program Payment Calculation Worksheet (Continued)

B Completing CCC-853-1 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
22	<p>Enter number of acres, by pasture type, from CCC-853, item 23, normally used in the operation to support eligible covered livestock during the qualifying drought condition for privately owned/cashed leased land.</p> <p>If multiple participants are using the same pasture acres during the qualifying drought period, the acres must be prorated.</p> <p>Example 1: Participant A has 200 head of eligible livestock and Participant B has 75 head, a total of 275 head grazing the same 500 pasture acres.</p> <p>Calculate prorated acres according to the following.</p> <p>Participant A: $200 \text{ head} / 275 \text{ head} = .7273$ Participant B: $75 \text{ head} / 275 \text{ head} = .2727$</p> <p>$.7273 \times 500 \text{ acres} = 363.7 \text{ total acres for Participant A.}$ $.2727 \times 500 \text{ acres} = 136.3 \text{ total acres for Participant B.}$</p> <p>Example 2: Participant A and Participant B have a 50-50 owner share in 200 head of eligible livestock. The 200 head of eligible livestock graze 500 acres of native pasture.</p> <p>Calculate prorated acres according to the following.</p> <p>$.5000 \times 500 \text{ acres} = 250.0 \text{ total acres for Participant A.}$ $.5000 \times 500 \text{ acres} = 250.0 \text{ total acres for Participant B.}$</p> <p>Notes: If an entry is entered in CCC-853, item 25, then item 25 for the specific pasture type shall be used instead of item 23.</p> <p>Only enter pasture types for Federal or State land if the agreement is by the acre and does not provide for an allotted number of AU's or AUM's that can be grazed for an established period of time.</p>
23	<p>Enter carrying capacity or acres/AU for the applicable type of pasture type from CCC-853, item 24.</p> <p>Note: This entry will be the STC/COC-approved carrying capacity for the specific type of pasture in item 21 as established under NAP.</p>

443 CCC-853-1, Estimated Livestock Forage Disaster Program Payment Calculation Worksheet (Continued)

B Completing CCC-853-1 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
24	Enter maximum AU's by dividing acres in item 22 by acre/AU in item 23. Round the result to 2 decimal places. Example: 2000 acres/30.0 acre/AU = 66.67 AU's
25	Enter established monthly value of forage for the applicable calendar year. The monthly value of forage has been established at: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$34.57 for 2011 •*--\$32.36 for 2016--* • \$51.81 for 2012 • \$57.27 for 2013 • \$52.56 for 2014 • \$40.79 for 2015
26	Enter the carrying capacity monthly feed cost calculated by multiplying item 24 times item 25. Round to the nearest whole dollar.
Part D - Forage Information - Drought - AUM or Animal Unit Lease Land	
27	For land leased on an AUM or AU basis, enter the numeric or alpha-numeric number from CCC-853, item 12 for each livestock kind/type and weight range that are grazing or would have been grazing the specific pasture type in CCC-853, item 27.
28	Enter all pasture types leased on an AUM/AU basis normally used in the operation to support eligible covered livestock during the qualifying drought condition from CCC-853, item 27. Notes: Eligible pasture types will be 1 of the following grazing losses that occurred after September 30, 2011, and before January 1, 2015: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • annual crabgrass planted specifically for grazing • annual ryegrass planted specifically for grazing • forage sorghum planted specifically for grazing • improved • long season small grains planted specifically for grazing • native • short season small grains planted specifically for grazing.

443 CCC-853-1, Estimated Livestock Forage Disaster Program Payment Calculation Worksheet (Continued)

B Completing CCC-853-1 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
28 (Cntd)	<p>*--Pasture types include the following for 2015 and subsequent years:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • annual crabgrass planted specifically for grazing • annual ryegrass planted specifically for grazing • cool season improved • forage sorghum planted specifically for grazing • full season improved • long season small grains planted specifically for grazing • native • short season small grains planted specifically for grazing • warm season improved. <p>For 2015 and subsequent years, STC's must designate grazed forage types for improved pasture in the county as either of the following to be consistent with NAP:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • full season improved • cool season and warm season improved.--* <p>Only enter pasture types for Federal or State land that provide for an allotted number of AU's or AUM's that can be grazed for an established period of time. Pasture types for Federal or State leases expressed in acres and not AU's or AUM's for an established period of time shall be entered in item 21.</p>

443 CCC-853-1, Estimated Livestock Forage Disaster Program Payment Calculation Worksheet (Continued)

B Completing CCC-853-1 (Continued)

Item	Instruction
29	<p>Enter AU's from CCC-853, item 28.</p> <p>Notes: If an entry is entered in CCC-853, item 29, then item 29 shall be used instead of item 28.</p> <p>Federal permits and some private/State land leases provide for an allotted number of AU's or AUM's that can be grazed for an established period of time. AU's will be listed on the Federal grazing permits or can be calculated by dividing the AUM's by the number of months grazed.</p> <p>Example: Federal permit allows grazing 1100 AUM's for 5 months.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1100 AUM's/5 months = 220 AU's</p> <p>Ensure that AU's for each specific animal type are converted to an AU equivalent. Round to the nearest whole number. See Exhibit 16.</p> <p>Example: 100 sheep x .25 AU's = 25 AU's.</p> <p>Adjustments may need to be made to the number of AU's entered when the Federal Agency reduces the grazing days under the Federal grazing permit or lease because of drought, and the producer does not have to pay the Federal Agency because of a temporary non-use of the permit.</p>
30	<p>Enter established monthly value of forage for the applicable calendar year. The monthly value of forage has been established at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$34.57 for 2011 •*--32.36 for 2016--* • \$51.81 for 2012 • \$57.27 for 2013 • \$52.56 for 2014 • \$40.79 for 2015.
31	<p>Enter the carrying capacity monthly feed cost calculated by multiplying item 29 times item 30. Round to the nearest whole dollar.</p>

654 LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report (Continued)

B LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report Description (Continued)

Field	Description	CCC-853, Item
Part B - Livestock Information - Drought - Mitigated Livestock From Prior Years		
Livestock Number	Corresponding number assigned to each livestock kind, type, and weight range.	12
Livestock Kind Type and Weight Range	Kind, type, and weight range of livestock.	13
Number of Livestock	Number of Prior Years Mitigated Livestock.	16 or 20
Share	Producer's share in the livestock for the applicable livestock kind, type, and weight range.	17
Payment Rate	Payment rate for the applicable livestock kind, type, and weight range.	
Mitigated Partial Compensation Factor	80 percent.	
Livestock Monthly Feed Cost	Livestock Monthly Feed Cost for the livestock kind, type, and weight range is determined by multiplying the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number of Livestock, times • Share, times • Mitigated Partial Compensation Factor, times • Payment Rate. 	
Total Livestock Monthly Feed Cost - Prior Year Mitigated Livestock	Total of all Livestock Monthly Feed Costs in Part B.	

654 LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report (Continued)

B LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report Description (Continued)

Field	Description	CCC-853, Item
Part C - Forage Information - Drought - Owned or Cashed Leased Land		
Livestock Number	Corresponding number assigned to each livestock kind, type, and weight range.	21
Pasture Type	Pasture type the livestock kind, type, and weight range is associated to.	22
Acres	Acres associated to the Pasture Type.	23 or 25
Carrying Capacity	Carrying capacity for the Pasture Type.	24
Maximum AU's	Maximum AU's are determined by dividing the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acres, divided by • Carrying Capacity. 	
Monthly Value of Forage	Established monthly value of forage for the applicable calendar year as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$34.57 for 2011 • \$51.81 for 2012 • \$57.27 for 2013 • \$52.56 for 2014 • \$40.79 for 2015. • *--\$32.36 for 2016--* 	
Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost	Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost is determined by multiplying the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maximum AU's, times • Monthly Value of Forage. 	
Part D - Forage Information - Drought - AUM or Animal Unit Leases		
Livestock Number	Corresponding number assigned to each livestock kind, type, and weight range.	26
Pasture Type	Pasture type the livestock kind, type, and weight range is associated to.	27
Animal Units	Animal units allowed by the Pasture Type.	28 or 29

654 LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report (Continued)

B LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report Description (Continued)

Field	Description	CCC-853, Item
Monthly Value of Forage	Established monthly value of forage for the applicable calendar year as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •*--32.36 for 2016--* • \$34.57 for 2011 • \$51.81 for 2012 • \$57.27 for 2013 • \$52.56 for 2014 • \$40.79 for 2015. 	
Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost	Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost is determined by multiplying the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animal Units, times • Monthly Value of Forage. 	
Part E - Net Payment Calculation for Drought - Small Grains		
Livestock Monthly Feed Cost - Current Year	The sum of the Livestock Monthly Feed Cost in Part A for the specific livestock grazing small grains in Part C.	
Livestock Monthly Feed Cost - Prior Year Mitigated Livestock	The sum of the Livestock Monthly Feed Cost in Part B for the specific livestock grazing small grains in Part D.	
Total Livestock Monthly Feed Cost	Total Livestock Monthly Feed Cost is determined by adding the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Livestock Monthly Feed Cost - Current Year in Part E for small grains, plus • Livestock Monthly Feed Cost - Prior Year Mitigated Livestock in Part E for small grains. 	

654 LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report (Continued)

B LFP Estimated Calculated Payment Report Description (Continued)

Field	Description	CCC-853, Item
Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost - Drought Owned/Leased Land	The Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost in Part C for the livestock kind, type, and weight range associated to small grains.	
Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost - Drought AUM or AU Leases	The Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost in Part D for the livestock kind, type, and weight range associated to small grains.	
Total Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost	Total Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost is determined by adding the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost - Drought Owned/Leased Land in Part E for small grains, plus • Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost - Drought AUM or AU Leases in Part E for small grains. 	
Monthly Feed Cost	Monthly Feed Cost is the smaller of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Total Livestock Monthly Feed Cost in Part E for small grains • Total Carrying Capacity Monthly Feed Cost in Part E for small grains. 	
National Payment Reduction Factor	Drought National Payment Factor of 60 percent.	