

For: State and County Offices

**2011 LIP Application Software**

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



**1 Overview**

**A Background**

The Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008, Pub. L. 110-234, as amended by Pub. L. 110-398, authorizes LIP. LIP provides compensation to eligible livestock producers who have incurred livestock death losses in excess of normal mortality on or after January 1, 2008, and before October 1, 2011. Eligible losses as a result of adverse weather, as determined by the Secretary during the calendar year, include blizzards, disease, extreme cold, extreme heat, floods, hurricanes, and wildfires.

To be eligible for LIP benefits for 2011, participants must file FSA-914:

- notice of loss the earlier of either of the following:
  - 30 calendar days of when the loss of livestock was apparent to the participant
  - October 31, 2011
- for payment no later than 30 calendar days after the end of the calendar year in which the loss of livestock occurred.

**B Purpose**

This notice notifies State and County Offices that the web-based 2011 LIP application software was available as of January 10, 2011.

<b>Disposal Date</b>	<b>Distribution</b>
May 1, 2011	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices
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### 2 Action

#### A State Office Action

State Offices shall instruct all County Offices to begin accepting FSA-914's for 2011 LIP livestock death losses according to 1-LDAP.

#### B County Office Action

County Offices shall:

- publicize that FSA-914's with notice of loss and application for payment for 2011 livestock death losses for 2011 LIP are being accepted
- begin accepting FSA-914's for 2011 LIP death losses according to procedure in 1-LDAP
- use the web-based LIP application software to enter FSA-914's.